

Grant Title: AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN (AAUW) - INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP

Funding Opportunity Number: N/A

Area of Research: Support for one year of graduate or postgraduate study in the United States to women who are not U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

Release and Expiration: N/A

Application Deadline: December 1, 2008.

Amount: Master's/Professional Fellowship \$18,000. Doctorate Fellowship \$20,000. Postdoctoral Fellowship \$30,000.

Length of Support: Fellowship year: July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010. Up to six International Fellowships will be renewable for a second year.

Eligible Applicants: Applicants must meet the following criteria: 1) Citizenship in a country other than the United States (dual citizenship is not allowed) or possession of a non-immigrant visa if residing in the United States; 2) Academic degree (earned in the U.S. or abroad) equivalent to a U.S. bachelor's degree completed by the time of application or by September 1, 2008; 3) Intention to devote herself full-time to the proposed academic plan during the fellowship year; 4) Intention to return to her home country to pursue a professional career; 5) Master's/Professional and Doctoral applicants must have applied by December 1, 2008, to an accredited institution of study for the period of the fellowship year and must indicate the name of the institution in the International Fellowship application; 6) Postdoctoral applicants must provide proof of their doctorate degree and must indicate where they will conduct their research; 7) Enrollment in a U.S. institution located in the United States. A limited number of awards are available to AAUW Educational Foundation 2009-2010 International Fellowships IFUW members for study or research in any country other than their own. Note that foreign branches of U.S. institutions are considered outside of the U.S. 8) Full year of study or research. International Fellowships do not provide funding for a partial year of study or research. Programs ending prior to April of the fellowship year are not eligible. 9) Proficiency in English. Unless the applicant can verify that her native language is English, that she received her secondary diploma or undergraduate degree from an English-speaking institution, or that she will have completed one semester of full-time study in her discipline at an English-speaking college or university by September 1, 2008 (transcript required by postmark date of December 1, 2008, for validation), she must submit a recent score (no older than October 2006) on the International TOEFL (Test of English as a Foreign Language). Institutional TOEFL scores and other English proficiency test scores (such as IELTS) will not be accepted.

Agency/Department: American Association of University Women (AAUW)

Summary: International Fellowships are awarded for full-time study or research in the United States to women who are not United States citizens or permanent residents. Women holding dual citizenship in the U.S. and another country are not eligible. Both graduate and postgraduate study at accredited institutions are supported. Several fellowships are available for study outside of the U.S. The program provides support for one year of graduate or postgraduate study. Applicants must have earned the equivalent of a U.S. bachelor's degree by September 1, 2008, and preference is given to women who show prior commitment to the advancement of women and girls through civic, community, or professional work. Fellowships are available for study in the United States. A limited number of awards are available to women who are members of the International Federation of University Women (IFUW) for study or research in any country other than their own.

Detail Information: http://www.aauw.org/education/fga/fellowships_grants/international.cfm