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Global Research Fellows Program

The Halle Institute for Global Research is pleased to announce the 2020 Global Research Fellows Program for Laney Graduate School PhD students in the pre-candidacy stage. The program will fund as many as six grants of up to \$4,000/grant.

The Halle Institute Global Fellows program is open to students conducting research outside the United States or for transnational projects that include a majority of research outside of the United States. Students from all disciplines and schools who are in the pre-candidacy phase may apply. The purpose of the research funding is to permit a short research trip abroad (normally four to twelve weeks) to determine the feasibility of a Ph.D. dissertation project prior to applying for external funding. The grant must be used during the summer following the award.

Global Fellows will participate in a grant writing/professionalization seminar organized by the Halle Institute for Global Research. The workshop will meet twice in the Spring Semester prior to fieldwork, virtually over the summer during fieldwork, and approximately six times during the Fall Semester in anticipation of student application for grants such as Fulbright, Fulbright Hays, Social Science Research Council, Mellon, NIH, Wenner-Gren, NSF ACLS, Mellon CLIR, DAAD, AIIS, Newcombe, etc. Students will be expected to write a blog post with photographs upon their return from the research trip and to complete and discuss various drafts of their doctoral grant proposal during the Fall Semester research seminar.

Applications will be judged by a multi-disciplinary, multi-school faculty committee, based on the intellectual merit of the proposed research, the student's progress toward the degree, and the potential for writing an excellent proposal for future external support. Exemplary proposals will be free of jargon and have clear methods and timelines. Halle Global Research Fellowships will not count against PDS funding maximums.

The Halle Institute Global Fellows Program will support travel germane to the project and other properly argued and supported costs associated with training or daily living expenses. The grants will not support travel to conferences.

A. Eligibility Requirements:

1. Students must be enrolled in an eligible Emory doctoral program for the duration of the research.
2. Students must be in pre-candidacy
3. Students must be in good standing in the LGS and in their program at the time of the application and during the award period.
1. Support can include reasonable living expenses at the fieldwork site (s) for the duration of the research. While a student receives a graduate school stipend, support will not be

granted for living expenses at the student's primary residence. Applications for retroactive support will not be considered.

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B. Proposal Guidelines

In **ONE pdf**, please include, in this order:

1. A research proposal of not more than 750 words including methods and specific research sites.
2. A preliminary bibliography of no more than one page.
3. A tentative research timeline for the grant period.
4. A statement of commitment of eager participation in the Global Fellows grant writing/professionalization seminar.
5. A curriculum vita (two pages maximum), with a notation of date of expected comprehensive exam.
6. A clear budget including supporting documentation for any requested costs, which in most cases can be found online. This may include documentation for any line item that you fill out on the application as it pertains to your research request.

Additional items:

- A letter of reference from your advisor. Send this letter directly to Kelly Richmond Yates, Assistant Director of the Halle Institute for Global Research at kyates2@emory.edu.
- The completed and signed international travel waiver <http://www.graduateschool.emory.edu/includes/documents/sections/professional-development/pds/pds-international-travel-release.pdf>

C. Review

2. The complete application must be submitted to the Halle Institute for Global Research at halle.global@emory.edu by **11:59pm, Sunday, March 15, 2020**. Late submissions will not be considered.
3. Proposals will be evaluated by the Halle Institute Evaluation Committee and final rankings will be reviewed by the Director of the Halle Institute.
4. Research proposals must be clearly written for a multi-disciplinary, multi-school audience. Explain the significance of your proposal without the use of jargon. Make sure that your budget and project timeline are clearly related. Committee members should have no difficulty determining when different parts of the project will be carried out.
5. Applicants will be notified by mid-April about the results of their application.
6. Global Fellows must submit a written report, including a brief narrative of the research and the use of the awarded funds to the Halle Institute, within 30 days of the completion of the research.

Questions? Please contact Kelly Richmond Yates, Assistant Director, Halle Institute for Global Research, kyates2@emory.edu.