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I. Scholarships and Fellowships

Georgia College & State University

With only one month left until our application deadline, Georgia College & State University would like to remind educational advisors once again that we are offering a number of International Student Scholarships and Assistantships. I am hoping for a very competitive applicant pool this year and I would encourage your advisees to apply.

You can find out more information about our requirements and academic programs by visiting www.gcsu.edu/international. The application deadline is April 1st, 2008. We send you our sincere thanks for supporting our international education efforts at Georgia College & State University.

Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Teaching Fellowship College Of The Holy Cross

Non Western (field open)

The Department of Visual Arts seeks applications for an Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Teaching Fellowship in Non-Western Art History effective August 2008.

Candidates will normally have received their doctoral degree no earlier than 2005 and must demonstrate a commitment to pursuing careers as teacher-scholars in a liberal arts setting. Asian and Islamic specializations are of particular interest. Applicants should be broadly trained in the History of Art and able to teach a general survey course in their area. Applicants are expected to teach more advanced courses reflecting the applicant's field of specialization. As a small but vigorous department eager to encourage interdisciplinary exchange, we especially welcome applicants interested in exploring the intersection between Western and non-Western traditions.

This full-time fellowship appointment will be for two years and is non-renewable. Under the mentorship of a tenured faculty member, fellows will teach three courses per year and pursue scholarly projects. Fellows will have access to funds to support research and travel, will be offered the opportunity to enroll in courses offered by the Colleges of Worcester Consortium's Certificate in College Teaching Program, and will also participate in an on-campus faculty development program that fosters excellence in teaching and scholarship. The fellowship offers a competitive salary and includes full benefits.

Holy Cross is a highly selective Catholic liberal arts college in the Jesuit tradition. It enrolls about 2,700 students and is located in a medium-sized city 45 miles west of Boston. Review of applications will begin on March 24, 2008 and continue until the positions have been filled. Holy Cross belongs to the Colleges of Worcester Consortium (<http://www.cowc.org>) and the New England Higher Education Recruitment Consortium (<http://www.faculty.harvard.edu/01/013.html>). The College is an Equal Employment Opportunity Employer and complies with all Federal and Massachusetts laws concerning Equal Opportunity and Affirmative Action in the workplace.

Applicants should submit a letter of application which includes a statement of teaching philosophy and research interests, a current curriculum vitae, graduate and undergraduate transcripts, and three letters of recommendation. Send to: Professor Joanna Ziegler, Chair, Department of Visual Arts, College of the Holy Cross, One College Street, Worcester, MA 01610-2395.

Brown University- Watson Institute Fellowships

The Watson Institute is seeking several recent PhDs for one- and two-year visiting fellowships affiliated with existing Institute research projects. Successful candidates will develop their own research in collaboration with one or more Watson projects, teach undergraduate students, and be actively involved in Institute activities. Scholars with a commitment to multi-disciplinary collaboration are sought for the fellowships, which begin July 1, 2008. Preference will be given to individuals who can make contributions to and/or across themes such as:

- globalization and inequalities;
- traditional and critical security studies (including issue areas such as terrorism, proliferation, illicit flows, and global media);
- participatory institutions and civil society;
- climate change and/or global environmental governance;
- transnational labor migration and trafficking; and
- democracy promotion in international perspective.

Fellows will also each teach one undergraduate course per year in their area of specialization within the university's International Relations or Development Studies undergraduate concentrations.

Each fellowship carries a salary of \$50,000 for 12 months, with the option to purchase insurance at the university's group rate. There is a possibility of renewal, depending on project progress and availability of funding.

Brown University is an AA/EEO employer and especially welcomes applications from women and minority candidates.

www.watsoninstitute.org/application The committee will begin reviewing applications on March 17.

The Aga Khan Program for Islamic Architecture at Harvard University

2008-2009 Postdoctoral Fellowship Program for Advanced Historical Research in Islamic Art & Architecture

The Aga Khan Program for Islamic Architecture is pleased to invite applications for fellowships to conduct advanced historical research in Islamic art and architecture at Harvard University.

Grants are intended principally for overseas scholars (preferably, but not exclusively, from Muslim countries) to support research in art and architectural history and archaeology. These fellowships are not intended to sponsor design, conservation, or development projects. We welcome applications both from established scholars and from recent post-doctoral graduates. All applicants must have a Ph.D. degree to be eligible.

The duration of the fellowship ranges from a minimum of 3 months to a maximum of 9 months. Awards consist of a stipend plus travel and research expenses. The stipend awarded is based on need and length of stay and may not exceed a total of \$27,000 (before taxes). Scholars with their own financial resources or other sources of funding are also encouraged to apply for fellowships without stipend.

Each Fellow will be responsible for finding his or her own housing for the term of the fellowship. The program will provide full library access and an e-mail account. Each Fellow is expected to deliver a public lecture on his or her project during the term and is encouraged to publish project findings in *Muqarnas*, an annual publication of the Aga Khan Program.

Please send to the address below two copies of each of the following: curriculum vitae, two-page research proposal, sample of previous research publication(s), dates of intended stay with proposed budget, and two letters of recommendation from two sources.

The application submission deadline is April 14, 2008. Results will be announced before the end of June. Application materials must be submitted in hard copy only. Applications received incomplete and/or after the deadline will not be considered by the committee.

The Aga Khan Program for Islamic Architecture, Fellowship Program, Sackler Museum, 485 Broadway, Cambridge, MA 02138, USA Please direct any inquires to agakhan@fas.harvard.edu or 617-495-2355, or go to <http://www.fas.harvard.edu/~agakhan/index2.html>

Applications invited for UN journalism fellowships

Contact an EducationUSA adviser near you for guidance on finding and applying to an accredited U.S. college or university <http://www.educationusa.state.gov/> 2

The Dag Hammarskjold Scholarship Fund for Journalists is now accepting applications from professional journalists from developing countries for its 2008 Fellowship Program. The application deadline is April 25. The Fellowships are available to radio, television, print and web journalists, age 25 to 35, from developing countries who are interested in traveling to New York to report on international affairs during the 63rd session of the United Nations General Assembly. The Fellowships will begin in mid-September and extend to late November and will include the cost of travel and accommodations in New York, as well as a per diem allowance. The Fellowship Program is open to journalists who are native to a developing country in Africa, Asia, South America or the Caribbean, and are currently working full-time for a bona fide media organization in a developing nation. Applicants must demonstrate an interest in and commitment to international affairs and to conveying a better understanding of the UN to their readers and audiences. Selections of the 2008 Fellows will be made in June.

Questions about the program, eligibility and application process can be directed to info@unjournalismfellowship.org, or visit www.unjournalismfellowship.org.

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Free Access to Sage Publications

If you are interested in accessing articles in journals published by Sage, a leading publisher of education research, they are offering free access through April 30. Follow this link:

<http://www.sagepublications.com/promos/1086013.html>

Boston University Summer Law Program

Part A of the program runs from July 6th through July 26th and includes courses in Legal English and Legal Writing. Part B of the program runs from July 27 through August 16th and includes courses in U.S. Corporate Law, U.S. Contract Law, International Trade Regulation and International Business Agreements. Part B participants choose two of the four courses.

Participants may enroll in Part A, Part B, or both. The application deadline is May 1, 2008. More information and application instructions for the Summer Legal Institute in London can be found on our website at www.bu.edu/law/londonlaw.

"10,000 Women" Invests in the Exponential Power of Women in Business

The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. recently unveiled "10,000 Women," a global initiative that will provide 10,000 underserved women, predominantly in developing and emerging markets, with a business and management education. The initiative recognizes and invests in the exponential power of women as entrepreneurs and managers. Through partnerships between universities in the U.S. and Europe and business schools in emerging and developing countries, "10,000 Women" also will seek to have a lasting impact on the quality and capacity of business education in developing regions around the world.

The initial partnerships will support pragmatic, flexible and shorter term programs, resulting in business and management certificates that can open doors for thousands of women whose financial and practical circumstances prevent them from receiving a traditional business education. In addition to funding tuition for business and management education, "10,000 Women" will work with development organizations to better understand the local challenges girls and young women must overcome so more of them can realize economic opportunity and achieve their full potential. Many of these partnerships will seek to establish mentoring and networking channels for women and encourage career development opportunities. Goldman Sachs has committed \$100 million over five years to create "10,000 Women" and to support its long-term success.

10,000 Women's initial academic partners are: American University of Afghanistan; American University in Cairo; Brown University; Columbia Business School; Harvard Business School; Indian School of Business; Pan-African University, Nigeria; School of Finance and Banking, Rwanda; Stanford Graduate School of Business; Thunderbird School of Global Management; United States International University, Kenya; University of Cape Town Graduate School of Business; Judge Business School, University of Cambridge; University of Dar es Salaam, Tanzania; William Davidson Institute at the University of Michigan; and The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania. More information about "10,000 Women" and its partners is available at <http://www.gs.com> and <http://www.10000women.org>