

Postdocs at Oberlin and Kalamazoo Colleges

Interested in teaching at a liberal arts college? As part of an exchange funded by the Mellon Foundation, applications are being accepted for four post-doctoral fellowships at Oberlin College or Kalamazoo College.

The opportunity features:

- One-year appointment to teach and conduct research at a major liberal arts college
- Beginning salary of \$46,500 per year
- Half-time teaching load to free up time for research
- Guidance and mentoring from an Oberlin College or Kalamazoo College faculty member

Students from all fields in the humanities and humanistic social sciences are encouraged to apply. **Applicants must have earned a U-M Ph.D. at some time after June 1, 2011, or expect to do so no later than August 15, 2013.** The positions are designed to support the fellows in developing both their teaching skills and their research programs. Students with a strong commitment to teaching and a genuine interest in pursuing an academic career are encouraged to apply.



To apply, please see:

http://www.rackham.umich.edu/postdoctoral/opportunities/exchange_program

For more information, please attend:

What's It Like To Work at a Liberal Arts College? - January 25, 2013, 3:00-4:30 p.m.
Rackham Assembly Hall - For details check <http://www.crlt.umich.edu/gsis/wil.php>



For questions about the program, please contact:

Associate Dean Sara Blair, sbblair@umich.edu

If you need technical assistance submitting materials, please contact:

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Applications must be received by

February 18, 2013



"We have an obligation to see that the greatest variety of perspectives is brought to bear on the issues before us as scholars and citizens." – Diversity Statement, President Robert J. Zimmer

Open to Scholars in All Fields

Provost's Career Enhancement Postdoctoral Scholarships

As part of an effort to promote a diversity of backgrounds, perspectives, and experiences among its faculty as set forth in the [University of Chicago Diversity Statement](#), the University of Chicago invites nominations and applications for the Provost's Career Enhancement Postdoctoral Scholarship (PCEPS).

This year the Office of the Provost will award two 2-year postdoctoral scholarships to promising junior scholars in all fields. Candidates must have completed all requirements for their doctoral degree (Ph.D., M.D., J.D., or foreign equivalent) before the scholarship start date, and must be no more than three years beyond receiving that degree. Individuals currently holding a postdoctoral or faculty position at the University of Chicago are not eligible.

Successful candidates will be selected on the basis of academic achievement, scholarly promise, potential to add to the diversity of the University community, and the likelihood that the individual may become a qualified and competitive candidate for a faculty position at the University of Chicago upon the completion of the Scholarship. Each cohort of PCEPS holders will include at least one scholar whose research furthers the mission of the [Center for the Study of Race, Politics, and Culture](#).

In addition to pursuing their research, Scholars will teach one quarter-long course in their field for each year in which they hold a postdoctoral scholarship.

Individuals may become candidates by completing an [application](#) on this site. Any member of the University of Chicago faculty may [nominate](#) a candidate who then must apply to the program. Although a University of Chicago nomination will be considered one of the three required recommendations for that applicant, a nomination or recommendation by a member of the University of Chicago faculty is not required. Faculty members at other institutions should encourage promising candidates to apply directly using this site, and may provide a [recommendation](#) on behalf of the candidate.

Applications and nominations will be accepted September 1, 2012 through November 1, 2012.

Consortium for Faculty Diversity in Liberal Arts Colleges

Mission and Goals

The Consortium is committed to increasing the diversity of students, faculty members and curricular offerings at liberal arts colleges with a particular focus on enhancing the diversity of faculty members and of applicants for faculty positions.

The Consortium was founded as an association of liberal arts colleges committed to strengthening the ethnic diversity of students and of faculty members at liberal arts colleges. The early goals of the Consortium with regard to faculty diversity included encouraging U.S. citizens who are members of under-represented minority groups to complete their graduate programs and to consider faculty employment in liberal arts colleges.

The Consortium now invites applications for dissertation fellowships and post-doctoral fellowships from those who will contribute to increasing the diversity of member colleges by increasing their ethnic and racial diversity, maximizing the educational benefits of diversity and/or increasing the number of professors who can and will use diversity as a resource for enriching the education of students. Applicants must be able to provide evidence of U.S. citizenship or unconditional permanent resident status at the time of hire.

Appointments to the fellowships are made by the member institutions according to local needs and local program guidelines under the general framework for dissertation fellowships and post-doctoral fellowships described by the Consortium.

2011-2012 Consortium Member Institutions

- [Bard College at Simon's Rock - Great Barrington, MA](#)
- [Bowdoin College - Brunswick, ME](#)
- [Bryn Mawr College - Bryn Mawr, PA](#)
- [Carleton College - Northfield, MN](#)
- [Centre College - Danville, KY](#)
- [Colorado College - Colorado Springs, CO](#)
- [Denison University - Granville, OH](#)
- [DePauw University - Greencastle, IN](#)
- [Dickinson College - Carlisle, PA](#)
- [Gettysburg College - Gettysburg, PA](#)
- [Goucher College - Baltimore, MD](#)
- [Grinnell College - Grinnell, IA](#)
- [Hamilton College - Clinton, NY](#)
- [Harvey Mudd College - Claremont, CA](#)
- [Haverford College - Haverford, PA](#) (Will not be hiring a scholar for 2012-13)
- [Hobart and William Smith Colleges - Geneva, NY](#)
- [Lafayette College - Easton, PA](#)

- Lawrence University - Appleton, WI
- Luther College - Decorah, IA
- Macalester College - St. Paul, MN
- Mount Holyoke College - South Hadley, MA
- Muhlenberg College - Allentown, PA
- New College of Florida - Sarasota, FL
- Oberlin College - Oberlin, OH
- Pomona College - Claremont, CA
- Reed College - Portland, OR
- Rhodes College - Memphis, TN
- Richmond, University of - Richmond, VA
- Ripon College - Ripon, WI
- Scripps College - Claremont, CA
- Skidmore College - Saratoga Springs, NY
- Smith College - Northampton, MA
- Southwestern University - Georgetown, TX
- St. Olaf College - Northfield, MN
- Swarthmore College - Swarthmore, PA
- Trinity College - Hartford, CT
- Vassar College - Poughkeepsie, NY
- Wellesley College - Wellesley, MA
- Willamette University - Salem, OR
- Wooster, The College of - Wooster, OH

Fellowship Opportunities

Consortium for Faculty Diversity at Liberal Arts Colleges - Dissertation & Postdoctoral Fellowships for Underrepresented Minorities

Deadline: **10/31/2012**

While there is no deadline, most member schools begin review of applications in the fall. For full consideration, application by October 31 is strongly encouraged.

The Consortium offers one-year dissertation and postdoctoral fellowships for the purpose of increasing the diversity of students, faculty members and curricular offerings at liberal arts colleges, with a particular focus on enhancing the diversity of faculty members and of applicants for faculty positions.

Dissertation Fellowship

The dissertation fellowship is intended for scholars who have completed all requirements for the Ph.D. or the M.F.A. except the dissertation. This fellowship is intended for scholars in the final stage of their dissertation and aims, above all, to help the fellow complete the final requirements for the degree during the year of residency.

Postdoctoral Fellowship

The postdoctoral fellowship is intended for scholars who have been awarded the Ph.D. or M.F.A. no later than the beginning of the fellowship year and no earlier than five years before the beginning of the fellowship year.

Eligibility:

- Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.
- Applicants must have no more than 5 years of teaching experience prior to beginning the Fellowship.

Award amount:

- Fellowship recipients will receive compensation commensurate with the compensation of a full-time, one-year instructor (Dissertation Fellowship) or a one-year faculty member (Postdoctoral Fellowship) with comparable qualifications.
- Modest funds will be made available to finance proposed research will be provided.

Contact:

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Institutional Research and Academic Career Development Awards (IRACDA) (K12)

The purpose of the IRACDA program is to develop a diverse group of highly trained biomedical and behavioral scientists to address the nation's biomedical, behavioral and clinical research needs. The program promotes consortia between research-intensive institutions (RII) and partner institutions that have a historical mission and a demonstrated commitment to providing training, encouragement and assistance to students from groups underrepresented in the biomedical and behavioral research enterprise of the nation. The IRACDA program combines a traditional mentored postdoctoral research experience with an opportunity to develop academic skills, including teaching, through workshops and mentored teaching assignments at a partner institution. The program is expected to facilitate the progress of postdoctoral candidates toward research and teaching careers in academia. Other goals are to provide a resource to motivate the next generation of scientists at partner institutions and to promote linkages between RIIs and partner institutions that can lead to further collaborations in research and teaching.

Applications must be submitted on behalf of a consortium of domestic, private or public, educational institutions. The lead applicant institution must be an RII and it must serve as the primary site of the postdoctoral research experience, and the consortium must include one or more partner institutions. The program must have a strong research base and the mentored research experience must fall within the scope of the [NIGMS mission](#). The application must include appropriate training in the responsible conduct of research and contain a detailed process and outcome evaluation plan.

The total project period may not exceed 5 years and projects are renewable. Institutions that receive awards may recruit and select candidates directly into their programs rather than submitting a separate application on behalf of each prospective candidate. Applicants may request salary and fringe benefits to support the full-time effort of the candidates for up to 3 years, as well as funds for tuition, fees and books related to career development; supplies and other research expenses; and travel to one training or scientific meeting per year. Funds may also be requested to support mentored teaching activities at the partner institution and program administration.

For more information about this award, see the *NIH Guide for Grants and Contracts*, July 24, 2011 ([PAR-12-245](#)), or contact [Dr. Shiva Singh](#) at 301-594-3900.

[IRACDA Participating Institutions](#)

[IRACDA Supplemental Instructions for Form PHS 2590](#)

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Post-Doctoral Curriculum Fellow - Quantitative Biology Curriculum

Institution:

Harvard Medical School

Posted:

September
14, 2012

Location:

Massachusetts

Employment Level:

Post-doc

Website:

<http://curriculumfellows.hms.harvard.edu/>

Application Deadline:

October 31, 2012

Category:

Biology/ life sciences,
Curriculum and
instruction

Employment Status:

Full-time

Salary:

Not specified

Post-Doctoral Curriculum Fellow Quantitative Biology Curriculum

Institution: Harvard Medical School

Location: Boston, MA

Category: Faculty - Science

Type: Full Time

Harvard Medical Schools Curriculum Fellows Program (CFP) is pleased to announce a post-doctoral Curriculum Fellow position for an energetic and creative scientist/educator to assist with the development of quantitative curricula for graduate students in the biomedical sciences at Harvard.

The Curriculum Fellow position is a service and training program designed for early career scientist-teachers who are interested in an academic pathway involving curriculum development, teaching, and educational programming in the biomedical and biological sciences. CFs work with course faculty members at Harvard Medical School, Harvard University, and the Harvard-affiliated teaching hospitals in Boston to design and help implement educational innovations within new and existing graduate and medical coursework at HMS. In addition to curriculum development, CFs implement and manage paracurricular activities which support graduate student training grants, participate in teaching small groups and lectures for graduate and undergraduate students, and have the opportunity to design and

conduct educational research projects. Importantly, this position is also meant as a training opportunity in science education; thus fellows receive mentorship and career advising to support their development as educators throughout the duration of the appointment.

Faculty members at HMS have developed a five-day intensive "boot camp" in quantitative methods (<http://www.hms.harvard.edu/bss/neuro/bornlab/qmbc/>), which teaches basic programming skills along with image processing, statistics, and quantitative analysis. The basic responsibilities of the quantitative Curriculum Fellow will be to: 1) improve and organize course materials for the boot camp; 2) help develop and teach new course materials (e.g. bioinformatics, simulation, and experimental design), with a focus on incorporating technology-based pedagogy; 3) assist with integrating quantitative material into existing core graduate courses; 4) extend and evaluate tools for longitudinally assessing student outcomes; 5) serve as an ongoing resource for students needing help in analyzing their own data with MATLAB; 6) develop an online version of the course. The quantitative Curriculum Fellow will report to the course directors of the quantitative boot camp.

To apply:

The ideal candidate has a PhD in the biomedical sciences and a strong quantitative background including extensive experience with programming, preferably in the MATLAB environment. Previous teaching experience is important. Candidates should also have a passion for exploring new ways to improve pedagogy through the use of new, web-based technology and must have outstanding writing and organizational skills, demonstrated capacity for independence and innovation, and the ability to work as part of a team. The appointment is renewable for a maximum of three years, and is non-tenure-track. The position will begin in January 2013, at Harvard Medical School in Boston. Candidates will be interviewed by phone or Skype before selections are made for on-campus interviews. To be considered for one of these positions, please email a single pdf document containing: a letter of application that addresses your interest in and qualifications for the specific position of interest, curriculum vitae, and a statement of teaching philosophy. Please also arrange to have three letters of reference sent on your behalf. Please send all application materials by October 31, 2012 to the contact below. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.

Johanna Gutlerner, Ph.D.

Associate Director, Curriculum Fellows Program

via

Ms. Kerry Mojica (cfp@hms.harvard.edu)

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MathJobs.Org

Mathematics, University at Buffalo, SUNY

Position ID: [596-PD](#) [#3478]

Position Title: Postdoctoral Associate

Position Location: Buffalo, New York 14260, United States [[map](#)]

Subject Area: Algebra

Application Deadline: 2012/01/15 finished (posted 2011/12/08, listed until 2012/02/12)

Position Description:

The Department of Mathematics at University at Buffalo, State University of New York, invites applications for a post-doctoral position, effective August, 2012. This position is intended for a new or recent Ph.D. with outstanding potential in research and excellent teaching. It is a one-year position, which is renewable for a second year based on satisfactory performance. The post-doc will be expected to teach two courses per year.

Preference will be given to the candidates working in geometric representation theory, categorification, cluster algebras or group representations, and meshing well with the research of current faculty in the department. However, exceptional candidates in related fields are encouraged to apply.

Applicants must submit their application package online at www.UBjobs.buffalo.edu, posting number 1100753. Applications must include

- a letter of application
- proposed research plan
- curriculum vitae
- the names and contact information of professional references including mail and email addresses and phone numbers.

Of the four reference letters, one letter must support the applicant's effectiveness as a teacher. The deadline for applications is January 15, 2012. Late applications will be considered until the position is filled. Email inquiries concerning this position may be directed to hassard@buffalo.edu.

The University at Buffalo is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. We are interested in identifying prospective minority and women candidates. No person, in whatever relationship with the University at Buffalo, shall be subject to discrimination on the basis of age, color, creed, handicap, marital status, national origin, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation or veteran status.

Application Material Required:

Those requested in the position description.

Further Info:

<http://www.math.buffalo.edu/>

Brian Hassard <hassard@buffalo.edu>

716-645-8780

244 Mathematics Building



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About the Postdoctoral Teaching Fellowship Program

Noteworthy News

AW Registration Must Close Early

Due to the overwhelming response to our [2012 Workshop for Senior Administrators](#), we must **now close registration**, as registrations have exceeded capacity. We are very sorry if this causes any inconvenience. If you are currently waitlisted our office will contact you regarding the status of your registration as soon after September 14 as possible. If you have questions or concerns, please contact the LFP National Office at lillyfellows.program@valpo.edu or 219-464-5317.

Registration for the National Conference is Closed

Registration for the annual Lilly Fellows Program [National Conference](#), October 19-21, 2012, at the University of Indianapolis is *now closed*.

Call for Applications: Postdoctoral Fellows Program

The Lilly Fellows Program is now accepting applications for the [Postdoctoral Fellows Program](#). *The deadline for submission is November 1, 2012.*

Sacred Heart University: Network Exchange

Sacred Heart University held its Network Exchange April 15-18, 2012. Read more about it [here](#).

National Network of Church-Related Colleges and Universities

If you are interested in learning more about membership in the National Network of Church-Related Colleges and Universities, please [contact us here](#).

One of the three initiatives the Lilly Fellows Program sustains is the Two-Year, Residential Postdoctoral Fellowship Program at [Valparaiso University](#).

Lilly Fellowships are two-year residential fellowships for teacher-scholars who seek to renew and enrich their intellectual and professional lives while preparing for leadership roles at church-related institutions of higher learning. Each academic year, three Fellows are appointed for two-year periods. Fellows are selected from applicants who evince an interest in the relationship between Christianity and the academic vocation and are considering a career at church-related colleges or universities. Fellows are in residence at [Valparaiso University](#) in Valparaiso, Indiana.

Lilly Fellows are incorporated into a community of Christian teacher-scholars through:

- Teaching experiences in five to seven courses over two years in appropriate departments and Christ College (Honors College) at Valparaiso University
- Mentoring over the course of two years by a senior faculty member from the Fellow's discipline or Christ College
- Participation in weekly meetings of a two-year colloquium program led by Senior Fellows from Valparaiso University
- Research opportunities for scholarly or creative work in the Fellow's field and in the relationship of Christianity to the academic vocation
- Opportunities to develop contact with representatives selected from the Program's National Network of Church-Related Colleges and Universities
- Assistance in the second year with post-doctoral career planning and placement

For Eligibility, Appointment, and Compensation, [click here](#)

For Application Procedures, [click here](#)

For a List of Current Fellows, [click here](#)

For a List of Former Fellows, [click here](#)



Posting Details

Posting Number:	0600272
Job Title:	Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship in Russian
Position Type:	Faculty
Department:	Modern Languages
Job Summary/Basic Function:	teaching, research Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow Kenyon College is seeking applications for an appointment as a one-year postdoctoral fellowship in Russian for the academic year 2013-14, renewable for one additional year. The fellowship is sponsored by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. The successful candidate will teach three Russian language and culture courses during the first year and, if reappointed, four courses during the second year. The fellow will receive a competitive salary, plus standard benefits and a research budget.
Minimum Qualifications:	To apply, candidates should visit the online application site found at https://employment.kenyon.edu . A complete application will be comprised of 1) a Cover Letter discussing the applicant's prior teaching experience; 2) a statement of the applicant's teaching philosophy; 3) a Curriculum Vita; and 4) Letters of Reference from three (3) recommenders. All application materials must be submitted electronically through Kenyon's employment website. Review of applications will begin November 1, 2012, and will continue until the position is filled.
Preferred Qualifications:	Applicants must, without exception, have completed all requirements for the Ph.D. degree by June 30, 2013 to be appointed to the position.
Posting Date:	09-14-2012
Closing Date:	Open Until Filled
Special Instructions to Applicants:	Candidates using a dossier service, such as Interfolio, should contact those services themselves and request that the dossier be sent to the following e-mail address: sheasbyp@kenyon.edu .
Contact(s):	Pamela Sheasby Natalia Olshanskaya
Contact Phone/Extension:	740/427-5656
Contact Email:	olshanskaya@kenyon.edu
Quicklink for Posting:	employment.kenyon.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=50833

Andrew W. Mellon Post-Doctoral Fellowships in the Humanities
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
2013–2015

The Illinois Program for Research in the Humanities, supported by a grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, seeks to hire two Post-Doctoral Fellows for two-year appointments starting in Fall 2013.

The Mellon Post-Doctoral Fellows in the Humanities will spend the two-year term in residence at Illinois; will conduct research on the proposed project; and will teach two courses per year (both graduate and undergraduate) in the appropriate academic department. The Fellows will also participate in the IPRH Fellows Seminar, a yearlong interdisciplinary workshop, and will be encouraged to participate in activities related to their research available through IPRH, in the teaching department, and on the Illinois campus. Each Post-Doctoral Fellow will give a public lecture on his or her research.

The search for Mellon Fellows is open to scholars in all humanities disciplines, but we seek applicants whose work falls into one of the following broad subject areas:

- **Race and Diaspora Studies**
- **History of Science/Technology**
- **Empire and Colonial Studies**
- **Memory Studies**

Eligibility

Applicants must have received a Ph.D. in a humanities discipline between January 1, 2008 and August 31, 2012. Please note that these are **external** fellowships; current full- and part-time faculty members at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign as well as current U of I graduate students and scholars who received their doctorates from the U of I are **not** eligible for these awards.

Terms

The appointment will begin on August 16, 2013, and the successful applicants must be on the Illinois campus by that date for orientation. The Post-Doctoral Fellows will be required to live within 20 miles of Champaign-Urbana during the academic years of the appointment.

The fellowship carries a \$45,000 annual stipend, a \$2,000 research account, and a comprehensive benefits package.

Application Guidelines

Applications must be submitted online at this URL: <https://my.atlas.illinois.edu/submit/go.asp?id=464>. Applicants will be asked to create a password-protected account, to which they can return multiple times. The application system opens September 1, 2012. No paper or emailed applications will be accepted. **The online application must be completed and submitted no later than 5:00 p.m. on October 29, 2012.**

In addition to completing the online application form, applicants must submit the following application materials through the online system:

1. A one-page abstract, with project title (250-300 words).
2. A detailed narrative statement (2,000 words) describing the research project the applicant will undertake during the term of the fellowship. The narrative statement should explain how the proposed project would make a contribution to the applicant's research and advance the larger field of study; how the project would articulate with one of the four designated subject areas; and the

anticipated outcomes of the proposed research. Applicants must address why the proposed research can be undertaken successfully at the University of Illinois, and should include details about programs, individual scholars, and resources at the U of I that would enrich the project.

3. A curriculum vitae (maximum 10 pages).
4. A sample syllabus for a course (undergraduate or graduate) related to the applicant's research project that could be taught by the applicant as part of the fellowship.
5. Three (3) letters of recommendation to be uploaded by the applicant's referees. We recommend entering your recommenders' names and emails early in the online application process. The application system will generate an email request for letters of recommendation to those referees whose names and emails you submit, and the email will provide a link to the recipient for uploading the letter. Please note that you must enter your personal contact information first before you can proceed to entering references. Doing so enables the system to insert your name in the email request to your referees. In order for the system to generate those emails, however, you must hit "continue" after entering your referees' names and emails—even if you are doing nothing else in your application at that time. *Applications for which all three letters of recommendation have not been uploaded by 5:00 p.m. on October 29th will be deemed incomplete and will **not** be considered.*

The letters of recommendation should come from senior colleagues who are familiar with the applicant's work and the proposal being made for the fellowship. Letters must address the specifics of the project being proposed for the fellowship, the applicant's research and teaching skills, and the contributions the proposed project would make to the broader scholarly community. (Note: Only three letters will be accepted.) Because the letters must address the specifics of the proposal and the position being sought, we strongly discourage applicants from sending general dossier files.

Deadline

Online applications must be complete and submitted, including all letters of support uploaded, by 5:00 p.m. on October 29, 2012, after which the application portal closes. The application system can be found at: <https://my.atlas.illinois.edu/submit/go.asp?id=464>. Deadline extensions will not be granted. The review committee will consider only complete applications. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that all documentation is complete, and that referees submit their letters before the deadline.

Notification

All applications will be acknowledged via e-mail, and all applicants will be notified when the search has concluded. Please do not contact IPRH about the status of an application; because of the volume of applications IPRH receives, we are unable to answer questions about individual applications.

Click [here](#) to be taken to the application system, where you will be asked to create an account. The system opens September 1, 2012.

Questions about these fellowships may be addressed to Dr. Nancy Castro, Associate Director of IPRH, at ncastro@illinois.edu or (217) 244-7913.

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Announcement: Call for Applications Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships in the Humanities, 2013-2015

The application form will go live on Monday 1 October 2012 at 9:00 a.m. (EDT).

The Jackman Humanities Institute (JHI) at the University of Toronto is pleased to announce Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships designed to provide financial and intellectual support for outstanding scholars at the beginning of their professional careers. Up to three Fellows in the Humanities will be selected each year for a two-year fellowship in the JHI. Fellows will be selected on the basis of accomplishment appropriate to their stage in their career, the promise of excellence and the relevance of their research to the annual theme.

The JHI interprets "Humanities" as a broad category, including political theory, interpretative social science, music, and the arts.

The theme for 2013–2014 is TRANSLATION AND THE MULTIPLICITY OF LANGUAGES

What are the implications of knowing more than one language? From mythic reflections on the Tower of Babel through contemporary philosophical reflections on the question of translation, the multiplicity of languages has been an ongoing focus of inquiry. How is translation possible, both in the specific sense of translating speech or texts, but also in the larger sense of bringing meaning from one system to another, including from speech to writing? How do we conceive of languages of music, as well as song; icons and symbols as well as scripts? How best can we interpret the exchanges between languages in a world of multilingual interactions? In the ancient Near East, for example, a number of written bilingual texts sometimes reflect a local language and lingua franca, other times reflect a political orientation and appeasement or defiance. Translation between cultures and languages produce unintended results, often creating new originals. Amidst these multiple languages, what is the impact of the untranslatable?

The postdoctoral fellows will pursue their individual research in the context of the JHI. They will have offices at the JHI and will participate in weekly seminars and other activities in the circle of fellows. In addition, each postdoctoral fellow will be affiliated with a Department and will teach one course in each Fall and Winter term of their two-year Fellowship. We are especially interested in candidates who have an interest in and capacity for interdisciplinary work of a high quality. The Fellowship provides an annual \$50,000 Canadian stipend.

Eligibility

- Ph.D. between 1 July 2010 — 1 May 2013
- Applicants must have completed their degree within three years of the beginning of the fellowship (1 July 2013). Applicants who will defend their thesis before 1 May 2013 are eligible, but a letter from their supervisor or Chair may be requested. Any award will be conditional on a successful defense.
- Applicants who received their Ph.D. prior to 1 July 2010 are ineligible.
- Degree candidates and recipients of the Ph.D. from the University of Toronto are ineligible.
- Fellowships are open to citizens of all states.
- The University of Toronto is strongly committed to diversity within its community and especially welcomes applications from visible minority group members, women, Aboriginal persons, persons with disabilities, members of sexual minority groups, and others who may further expand the range of ideas and perspectives.

Procedure

You must have a registered userID on the JHI website to apply. Click on [Funding](#) to see the description of the fellowship and application procedures. Scroll to the bottom of the description, and then click Apply Now to apply (this will not be visible until 1 October 2012).

You will be asked to upload the following documents in your application:

1. Letter of Application
2. Curriculum vitae
3. Statement of Teaching and Research Interests
4. Writing Sample (normally a completed thesis chapter of about 30 pages)

All documents must be in .doc or .pdf format. The size limit for a complete application including all four documents is 7 mb. If your application is too large, you will see an error message; please adjust the size of your files and try again.

You will also be asked to provide the names and email addresses of three referees, and/or the name and email address of your dossier service. You may include both a dossier service and referee names if necessary. Please alert your referees to your intention to apply before you submit your application in order to allow them sufficient time to respond.

When you complete the application, click Submit. Please be aware that it is not possible to save a partial application and return to it at a later point. When you click on Submit, your application will be filed, and the referees that you have named will be contacted automatically to request letters of reference. Do not click Submit until all materials have been uploaded and you are ready for reference requests to go out.

You may check on the status of your application by going into your userID profile on the JHI website and clicking on Applications (left column). If your application says "complete", your dossier/references have been received. If your application says "pending", we are waiting for a dossier or reference letters. Your dossier and/or letters of reference should be received by 15 December 2012.

Deadline

All applications must be made online at www.humanities.utoronto.ca by **1 December 2012** at 11:59 p.m. (EDT). Faxed, emailed, and paper applications will not be considered.

Featured Events



October 4, 2012, 9:00 am
Foodways: Diasporic Diners, Transnational Tables, and Culinary Connections
170 St. George St., rm100



October 4, 2012, 5:00 pm
Rita McKeough: The Lion's Share
UTSC Doris McCarthy Gallery



October 25, 2012, 4:00 pm
The Future of Cage: Credo
214 College St., 3rd Floor, Robert Gill Theatre

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History

Stanford departments have hosted Mellon Fellows for over thirty years, based on a generous grant from the [Andrew W. Mellon Foundation](#) in the 1970s. In 2001, the fellowships were brought together into a coherent program under the leadership of Seth Lerer. Lerer developed the program into a genuine community of scholars, fostering intense dialogue across disciplines based primarily on regular and close engagement by the Fellows with one another's work.

The Mellon Fellowship is currently directed by R. Lanier Anderson (Philosophy) and J.P. Daughton (History).



About the Fellowship

The Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship of Scholars in the Humanities (formerly the Stanford Humanities Fellows Program) is an interdisciplinary program offering post-doctoral fellowships in humanities disciplines. The program brings outstanding younger scholars (within three years of the PhD) to Stanford on two-year fellowships (with the possibility of a third). Fellows enjoy substantial time to pursue research, teach two courses per year in an affiliated Stanford Department, and participate in an active program of scholarly exchanges with other Fellows, Stanford faculty, and outside visitors.

The Mellon Fellows Program aims to foster Fellows' careers through close engagement with established scholars, including Stanford faculty associated with the program, internal and visiting fellows at the Stanford Humanities Center. The Program invites major figures in the humanities to present public lectures and participate in small group sessions with the Fellows, and the Fellows gather throughout the year, to present their research to one another and for professional development workshops devoted to pedagogy, publishing, and mentoring.

Each Fellow is affiliated with a Stanford Humanities department, which arranges teaching and office

space. This complements the Fellowship's cross-disciplinary community by promoting Fellows' full engagement in the activities of their home disciplines here at Stanford. Mellon Fellows are also full participants in the intellectual life of the [Stanford Humanities Center](#), a residential research community which brings outstanding external faculty to Stanford for research leaves, as well as providing competitive internal fellowships to Stanford faculty and graduate students. Fellows will have the opportunity to be active in the Humanities Center's programs and workshops.

THE ANDREW W. MELLON FELLOWSHIP OF SCHOLARS IN THE HUMANITIES PROGRAM CANNOT ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FROM SCHOLARS WITH PHDS FROM STANFORD UNIVERSITY

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Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships in the Humanities

“Cultures in Transnational Perspective”

Application Period: CLOSED. Application period will re-open on September 17, 2012.

Submission Deadline: CLOSED

About the Program

The Division of Humanities at the University of California, Los Angeles, will soon begin accepting applications for the **Andrew W. Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships** in the Humanities “**Cultures in Transnational Perspective**”. We expect to appoint two or more fellows for a 1-year term in the Fall of 2013, potentially renewable for a second year, pending funding. Fellows must have earned their doctoral degree no earlier than **January 2008** and no later than **June 2013**. The Mellon Fellowship provides a salary of \$56,000 a year plus benefits, a one-time moving allowance of \$1,500, and a research budget of \$3,500.

All fellows will have the title of Visiting Assistant Professor and will be housed in relevant home departments for which they teach two courses. Appointments begin on **July 1, 2013** and visas/work authorizations must be effective by that date. Fellows are required to be in residence during fall, winter and spring quarters and participate in the monthly Mellon Seminars and annual Mellon Conference, as well as the on-going intellectual life of their home departments. Fellows will also write a progress report due on June 15th of each year of residence.

Designed to explore the emerging field of Transnational Studies, the aim of the **Mellon Program** at UCLA is to broaden the study of minority cultures from its national focus to global and comparative perspectives. We seek innovative scholarship that explores minority cultures as major components of world culture and history, generated by immigrant and minority writers, artists, filmmakers, playwrights, and musicians residing in metropolitan centers across the world and thereby reshaping the canons of literature, art, and music in their respective countries.

How to Apply

Before you submit an application, you will need to register for an account. Click **here** to access the application system, and select “**Register**” from the menu to register for an account. After you register for an account, please select the button “**Begin Application**” under “**Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowships 2013-14.**” You will be asked to upload the following documents into the system:

1. **Project Name** -- title of the scholarly project you will work on during fellowship term
2. **Statement of Purpose** – cover letter outlining your interest in the program
3. **Proposal** -- 3000-word description (including bibliography) of the scholarly project that you will work on during the fellowship term
4. **Curriculum vitae**

Documents should be uploaded into the system as PDF, DOC (Word), or XLS (Excel) documents. PDFs are preferred. There are free PDF converters available on the web if you do not have the latest version of Acrobat or MS Office on your computer.

In addition, you will be asked to provide the name and email address of three referees who will write letters of recommendation for you. The referees will be sent a link that they can use to upload their letter of recommendation. Letters of recommendation are also due by **December 3rd at 12:00 p.m. PST.**

You have one hour to submit your application after starting it. If you do not submit within one hour, your session will time out and your application data will be lost. Once you submit it, it is possible to go back and update or revise your application multiple times.

Frequently Asked Questions

Can I use letters of recommendation from a dossier service?

Yes, you can use letters of recommendation from a dossier service. Please have the letters emailed directly to Dacia Imakura at dacia@humnet.ucla.edu and we will upload them manually. In the application, please include the names and necessary information of the recommenders who will be writing letters on your behalf.

You are also welcome to have the dossier service upload the letters of recommendation for you. However, please keep in mind that direct upload service often takes several more days than email service to be completed. As such, please make sure to make your requests to the dossier service well in advance of the application deadline.

How do I send the email to referees requesting the letter of recommendation before completing the application?

You should let your referees know that they will receive an email with a link to the website where they will be able to submit their letter. Please make sure to let them know of the December 3 deadline.

As you cannot issue this email to your referees until you have uploaded your application materials, you should upload materials as soon as you can so that your referees receive their email well in advance of the deadline. If you do not have

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your final documents ready for upload, you can upload blank documents to serve as placeholders and replace them when you have final versions. You will be able to log in to the website to update or edit your application as often as you would like until the December 3 deadline.

When are letters of recommendation due?

All application materials, including letters of recommendation, are due on December 3.

When does the application close?

The application will be open through 11:59 p.m. PST on December 3.

Am I still eligible if I will receive my Ph.D. soon after the June deadline?

No. You must have filed for or have your Ph.D. in hand by June 30. No exceptions can be granted.

May I send in additional letters of recommendation?

No, only a total of three letters will be accepted. Additional letters will not be reviewed.

If you have further questions, please contact **Dacia Imakura** at dacia@humnet.ucla.edu or (310) 267-4842

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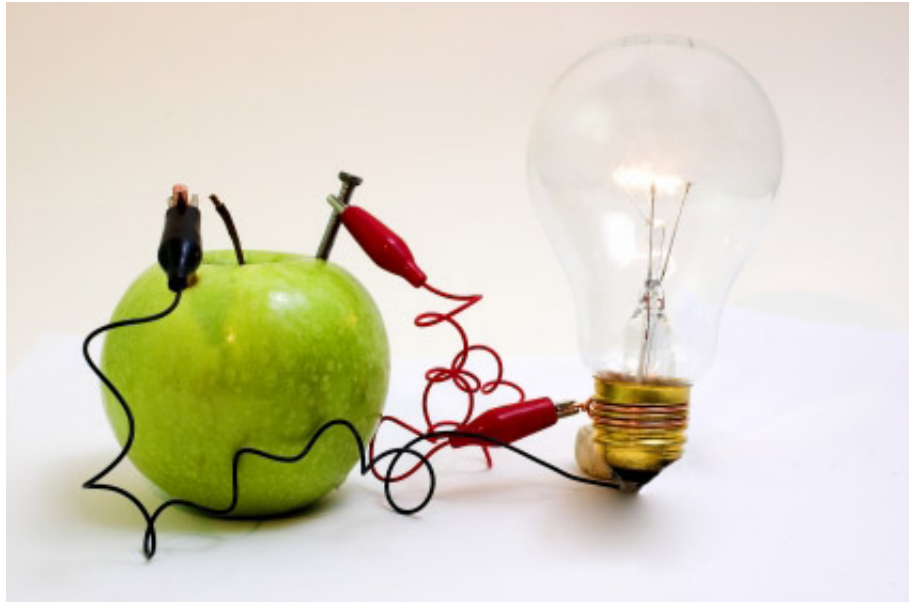
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Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship in the Humanities

How to apply

Please read this page first for an overview of requirements.

[Access the online application.](#)



Application Process for the 2013-2015 Fellowships

The Mellon Fellowship is for scholarship across boundaries

Thanks to the generous support of the Mellon Foundation, MIT's School of Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences awards two fellowships each year to promising young scholars working at the intersection of humanities disciplines, or between humanities and other disciplines. This Fellowship is especially intended for scholars who work in more than one specialty within the humanities, or bridging from the humanities with other disciplines.

Terms of Appointment

Applicants must designate the academic unit in which they would like to be located. Units at MIT include Anthropology, Comparative Media Studies, History, Literature, Foreign Languages and Literatures, Political Science, Music and Theater Arts, and the Program in Science, Technology and Society. Appointments will be for two years, effective July 1, 2013. Fellows will teach one course in Spring 2014 and one per semester the following year, and will be in residence at MIT during this time. Salary will be \$50,000 per year with standard benefits, and each Fellow will receive a research fund of \$5,000 to cover travel and other costs associated with research and professional development.

Eligibility and Selection

To be eligible for the position, applicants must have received their Ph.D. no earlier than July 1, 2010 and no later than July 1, 2013. If you have not

formally received your degree at the time you apply for the fellowship, please forward certification from your Department Head or the Graduate Studies Office at your institution to confirm that you are expected to earn your Ph.D. prior to July 1, 2013. Fellows may not hold other appointments during the period of the Fellowship. Fellowships are awarded only to postdoctoral scholars who have received their degrees from institutions other than MIT. Fellows will be announced in March 2013.

Application Materials

- Letter describing the applicant's teaching and research experience, and presenting a brief proposal for a new research project to be completed during the term of the fellowship
- Curriculum Vitae
- One-page description of an undergraduate class to be offered in Spring 2014
- Three letters of recommendation

Application due no later than Tuesday, January 15, 2013

Applications must be received at MIT by January 15, 2013. Late applications cannot be considered.

Questions?

Please check out the [FAQ page](#). Email shass-mellon@mit.edu, or call Britta Bell in the Dean's Office at 617-715-4525.

Begin the Online Application

Online application will be available September 1st, 2012. [Access the online application](#).



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Institution:

University of Pennsylvania

Posted:

September
13, 2012

Location:

Pennsylvania

Employment Level:

Fellowship

Website:

<http://www.upenn.edu/>

Category:

Ethnic/ multicultural
studies, Religion

Employment Status:

Full-time

Salary:

Not specified

The School of Arts and Sciences invites applicants for three two-year postdoctoral teaching fellowships in the humanities and humanistic social sciences. Fellows will teach one course per term. Eligibility is limited to applicants who will have received their Ph.D. within two years prior to the time they begin their fellowship at Penn (August, 2011 or later). \$50,923 stipend. Application deadline: November 30, 2012. We are especially seeking fellows in Africana Studies (Africa, especially religion or South Africanist, or early African American history, especially slavery, black Atlantic), Philosophy, and Religious Studies (specialist in the study of Islam and gender in Asia).

For guidelines and application, see the School of Arts and Sciences website [<http://www.sas.upenn.edu/deans-office/Mellon>] or write:

Office of the Dean
School of Arts and Sciences
University of Pennsylvania
1 College Hall, Room 116
Philadelphia, PA 19104-6377

The University of Pennsylvania is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer; women and minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.