

Office of Graduate Fellowships

Fellowship Opportunities in:

Public Policy, International Affairs, and Conflict Resolution

Introduction

Graduate students in public policy, global/international affairs, conflict resolution, and related fields are situated in between the academic orientation of traditional social science fields and the practice-oriented approach of professional training. Depending on the nature of their work / degree program, students in these fields can often compete for mainstream academic fellowship programs in the social sciences, including (for doctoral students) dissertation research and writing fellowships. However, there are also fellowships specifically targeted at master's students, recent graduates, and young professionals working toward careers in these fields.

A small number of awards (such as the Roback Scholarship or the Bryce-Harlow Fellowship) offer partial scholarships to help defray the cost of graduate education. Others (such as Fulbright, Boren, Guggenheim, Smith Richardson, or Jennings Randolph) provide support for research or international study. Most, however, are designed to offer high-impact professional development experiences, usually in the form of a paid internship or job placement. These opportunities can last anywhere from a few weeks to a year or more, and offer awardees access to special professional development activities and networking opportunities. It is not uncommon for these fellowships to serve (formally or informally) as recruitment tools. Both domestic and international opportunities are available.

The following is not an exhaustive list, and opportunities change from year to year. Prospective applicants are encouraged to search for targeted opportunities in their area of interest.

Albert Gallatin Fellowships in International Affairs (Geneva, Switzerland)

http://www.graduateinstitute.ch/webdav/site/iheid/shared/iheid/48/Gallatin_fellowship.pdf
One-year award to support advanced doctoral study in international affairs (and related fields) at the
Graduate Institute for International and Development Studies in Geneva. This award is generally used to
support the final year of doctoral research/writing. Open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents in
doctoral programs at U.S. institutions. Stipend is \$26,000 + airfare. Deadline falls on or about March 1.

Alfa Fellowship Program (Russia)

http://culturalvistas.org/programs-for-students-and-professionals/professional-fellowships/alfa-fellowship

The Alfa Fellowship Program is a high-level professional development exchange program placing qualified young professionals in work assignments at leading organizations in Russia in the fields of business, economics, journalism, law, and public policy. The program accepts up to 10 American and 5 British citizens per year. The program includes language training, seminar programs, and extended professional experience. Fellows receive travel, free housing, monthly stipends, and insurance. Deadline: December.

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Asian Pacific American Institute for Congressional Studies (APAICS) Fellowship Program

http://www.apaics.org/index.php/pages/programs/fellowships/

The APAICS Fellowships offers Asian and Pacific American students a one-year placement in a professional development fellowship dealing with legislative and public policy relating the Asian and Pacific American issues in Washington D.C. Applicants must have a bachelor's degree or higher in hand at the time of application, and may be continuing graduate students or recent alumni of a master's or doctoral program. Deadline: March.

Boren Fellowships

http://www.borenawards.org/boren_fellowship

Supports overseas study and/or research with an emphasis on language training in less commonly studies languages/regions. Open to all fields, with STEM candidates particularly encouraged. U.S. citizens only. The focus of this fellowship is academic, but it specifically seeks to attract those with an interest in public service relating to national security issues. Winners are required to complete one year of service (paid work, internship, volunteer, or combination) with the U.S. federal government after graduation. Please note that travel/study in western Europe is not supported. Deadline: January.

Bosch Foundation Fellowship Program (Germany)

 $\underline{\text{http://culturalvistas.org/programs-for-students-and-professionals/professional-fellowships/robert-bosch-foundation-fellowship-program}$

The Robert Bosch Foundation Fellowship Program is a transatlantic initiative that each year offers twenty accomplished young Americans the opportunity to complete a high-level professional development program in Germany. Over the course of a 6-9 month program, Bosch Fellows complete one or more work phases at leading German institutions and attend seminars with key decision-makers from the European public and private sectors. Fellows are recruited from business administration, journalism, law, public policy and closely related fields. Graduate study plus five years of relevant professional experience are required. German language skills are advantageous but not required. Non-German speaking awardees commit to an intensive pre-departure program of language acquisition. Deadline: October.

Bryce Harlow Fellowships

http://www.bryceharlow.org/program/index.cfm

Awarded to students who work full time while attending graduate school part time, and who demonstrate interest in professional advocacy via a career in public affairs, government relations, nonprofit advocacy, or lobbying, with an emphasis on issues relevant to the private sector. Open to U.S. citizens in any academic field, the award provides \$8,000 toward tuition and educational expenses. Deadline: April.

Carter Center Graduate Assistantship Program

http://www.cartercenter.org/involved/internship/grad-assistantship-overview.html

\$3,500 stipend for ten-week (40 hr/week) assistantship at the Carter Center in Atlanta, Georgia. Applicants must have completed at least two semesters of their graduate program coursework, but not yet have graduated. Program areas include: Americas, China, Conflict Resolution, Democracy, Health, Human Rights, and Mental Health. Deadline is March 1. Note that graduate students and recent graduates are also eligible to apply to Carter Center Internships, but these are unpaid.

Catholic Relief Services International Development Fellows Program (IDFP)

http://crs.org/about/careers/fellowships/

The CRS International Development Fellows Program (IDFP) gives people who are interested in a career in international relief and development in a Catholic faith-based organization an opportunity to increase their overseas experience and gain exposure to CRS programs. Each year, CRS places approximately 20-25 fellows with CRS country programs overseas. Assignments are paid and run for 8-12 months, starting in early September. Specific job responsibilities vary from one country to another depending on the country program's focus (Agriculture, Health, Peacebuilding, Education, Microfinance, or a combination of these). The goal of the IDFP is to place Fellows in positions where they can draw on their previous education and work experience, while broadening their skills. Most fellowships lead to regular positions with CRS. French or Arabic language required. Deadline: December 1.

Christine Mirzayan Science & Technology Policy Graduate Fellowship Program

http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/policyfellows/index.htm

Funds graduate students and recent graduate degree recipients to participate in a semester-long DC-based program focused on science and technology policy. Open to student in social/behavioral sciences, medical/health disciplines, physical or biological sciences, any field of engineering, law/business/public administration, or any relevant interdisciplinary fields

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Graduate Fellowship Program

http://www.chci.org/fellowships/page/chci-graduate-fellowship-program

This nine-month paid fellowship program offers exceptional Latinos who have earned a master's degree (or higher) within three years of the program start date the opportunity to gain hands-on experience in the public policy areas of higher education, secondary education, health, housing, law, and STEM fields. The fellowship consists of placements in policy-making positions in Washington D.C. and offers salary, benefits, and professional development/networking opportunities.

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Public Policy Fellowship Program

http://www.chci.org/fellowships/page/chci-public-policy-fellowship

This program offers talented Latinos who have earned a bachelor's degree within two years of the program start date a paid, nine-month paid fellowship consisting of a work placement in Washington D.C., where the fellow will gain hands-on experience at the national level in the public policy area of their choice. The fellowship includes salary, benefits, and professional development/networking opportunities for candidates between undergraduate and graduate school (or career).

Critical Languages Scholarships (CLS)

http://clscholarship.org/

This U.S. State Department program provides students at all levels full funding to attend overseas summer language programs in designated "critical" languages. For some languages no background is required and students at all stages (including beginners) may apply. Applicants must demonstrate long-term interest in/commitment to the language and region of their choice. U.S. citizens only. Open to all fields and degree levels. Deadline: November.

David A. Winston Health Policy Fellowship

http://www.winstonfellowship.org/home.html

The David A. Winston Health Policy Fellowship is a 12-16 month postgraduate experience in Washington, D.C. Open to students in the final year of a graduate degree program completing a master's or doctoral degree in any program, school or department of a college or university that is a member of the Association of University Programs in Health Administration (including George Mason University. Students who do NOT have prior work experience in Washington D.C. in the field of health policy, but who aspire to such careers, will be given preference. Non-U.S. citizens may apply, but must be eligible to work in the United States for the twelve-month duration of the fellowship. Deadline is in October annually, and fellowship term commences in June.

Davis-Putter Scholarships

http://www.davisputter.org/

Need-based grants (up to \$10,000) to undergraduate or graduate students activists working for peace and justice on campus and/or in the wider community. No citizenship restrictions, but applicant must be enrolled in a U.S. institution and residing in the U.S. Preference is given to applicants who show an interest in continuing their activism in the U.S. after graduation.

District of Columbia Capital City Fellows Program (CCFP)

http://dchr.dc.gov/page/capital-city-fellows-program

CCFP recruits recent graduates of master's degree programs in public administration, public policy, urban planning and related fields to work for the city of Washington, DC. Candidates compete for two-year fellowship appointments during which they may complete four six-month rotations in different city agencies. Fellows are appointed at a salary of \$50,000.

Economic Club of Washington DC: Philip M. Dearborn Fellowship Award

http://www.economicclub.org/page.cfm/go/scholarship-program

A \$10,000 award offered annually to students in the Consortium of Universities of the Washington Metropolitan Area (including George Mason University) to support doctoral-level research dealing with issues of direct and specific relevance to the Greater Washington Metropolitan Area, including issues of economics, public and private finance, education, transportation, law enforcement, social welfare, housing, and regional/community development. It is expected that the research will rely to a significant extent on information and data derived from or relating to the Washington, DC metropolitan area. Application deadline: Early March

Economic Club of Washington DC: Vernon Jordan Fellowship Award

http://www.economicclub.org/page.cfm/go/scholarship-program

Two \$10,000 stipends will be awarded to doctoral-level students from Consortium of Universities of the Washington Metropolitan Area institutions (including George Mason University) to support independent research in areas of interest to the Economic Club of Washington. Areas of concentration could include economics, finance, international trade or business. Application Deadline: Early March

EMDAP (Emerging Markets Development Assistance Program)

http://www.iie.org/Programs/EMDAP.aspx

A professional development fellowship with USAID, EMDAP is open to recent or graduating MA/MS or MBA students with a minimum of two years relevant professional experience in fields related to international affairs, international business/finance, or management. Fellows are awarded a year-long work placement with USAID overseas, where they work collaboratively with USAID programs and local NGOs. Application Deadline: May/June annually.

EMGIP (Émigré Memorial German Internship Program)

http://culturalvistas.org/programs-for-students-and-professionals/professional-fellowships/emgip
Opportunities for U.S. and Canadian citizens to intern at a German state parliament (Landtag) for 1-3
months with travel and expenses paid and program support provided. Applicants may be graduate or
undergraduate students between 18-30 years of age. For list of eligible fields see web site, but generally
targeted at public policy related fields. Proficiency in German is required. Deadlines: October 1 for
spring internships; December 1 for early summer internships; March 31 for fall internships.

Emerson National Hunger Fellows Program

http://www.hungercenter.org/fellowships/emerson/

Ten-month paid professional development fellowship in which fellows serve five months in a community based organization (nationwide) dealing with issues of hunger and food security, and five months in a policy-making setting (government agency or NGO) in the D.C. metro area. Open to Master's and doctoral students and recent graduates who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

Fulbright U.S. Student Program

http://us.fulbrightonline.org/home.html

Fulbright grants send U.S. students overseas worldwide, with two types of grant available: "Research" grants allow students to do independent research and study overseas for one academic year. "ETA" grants fund students to assist in ESL classrooms at various levels around the world. In addition, some countries also offer other specialized types of Fulbright grants (such as Public Health). U.S. citizens who are graduating seniors, graduate students, or recent alums who have not yet received the Ph.D. are eligible. Open to all fields. This award requires a campus-level review process; applicants must consult with the Director of Graduate Fellowships. Application is due September 15 annually.

Fulbright Clinton Fellowships (Fulbright Public Policy Fellowships)

http://us.fulbrightonline.org/fulbright-clinton-fellowships

The Fulbright Clinton Fellowships seek graduating (or recently graduated) Master's and/or current Ph.D. students for one-year overseas placements working as a special assistant in a public policy / public sector setting in the host country. Applicants must possess a minimum of two years relevant professional experience in addition to academic qualifications. The countries in which placements will be offered are listed on the web site (and updated each fall). Applicants with in-depth knowledge of the host country and language skills sufficient to function in a professional setting in the host country are strongly preferred. Applicant must be a U.S. citizen and may not have completed the Ph.D. by the time of the fellowship. Application deadline: February 1.

German Chancellor Fellowship

http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/4074.html

This program is for university graduates from the U.S., the Russian Federation and the People's Republic of China with an interest in international issues and demonstrated leadership potential. It is targeted at young professionals who are likely to become decision-makers and thought leaders in their respective fields, including but not limited to politics, public policy, law, media, business, the non-governmental sector, and the arts. Fellows spend one year in Germany, where they will conduct an independent project at a home institution and network with other prospective leaders from abroad. Deadline for applicants from the U.S. is October 15 annually.

Global Health Corps Fellowships

http://ghcorps.org/apply/info

Professional development fellowship offering year-long work placements in NGOs and similar organizations in Sub-Saharan Africa dealing with health, health care, and health education. Open to students from a variety of different academic backgrounds, not limited to those in health-related fields. Applicants must begin the application process in December annually, with final deadline in February.

Goldman Fellowship for the Study of German & European Politics, Political Economy, and Intl Affairs http://www.acgusa.org/about2.php?pagename=Fellowships&subpagename=For+Scholars&toppagename=Goldman+Fellowships&mlinkid=27

The Goldman Fellowship, sponsored by the American Council on Germany, funds up to one month of research-related travel to/in Germany (and elsewhere in Europe) for early career scholars, including advanced Ph.D. candidates, who are working on topics relating to Germany and European politics, economics, and foreign affairs. One award is offered each year. U.S. citizens only. Deadline late June/early July.

Harry Frank Guggenheim Foundation Dissertation Fellowships

http://www.hfg.org/df/guidelines.htm

Dissertation completion award of \$20,000 for candidates in the final year of their Ph.D. program. The HFG Foundation supports research on violence and aggression in in relation to social change, intergroup

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conflict, war, terrorism, crime, and family relationships, among other subjects. Field / discipline is open, but dissertations with no relevance to understanding human violence and aggression will not be supported. Deadline: January/February.	

Herbert Roback Scholarships (National Academy of Public Administration)

http://www.napawash.org/about/award-programs/the-herbert-roback-scholarship/

One scholarship of up to \$7,500 awarded annually to a graduate student currently enrolled, or admitted for enrollment, in a full-time master's degree program in public administration, public and international affairs, and/or political science. Deadline: April. Please note that students may not apply directly to this competition; the application must be submitted in advance to the Office of Graduate Fellowships. Please contact the Director of Graduate Fellowships for more information.

Herbert Scoville Peace Fellowship

http://scoville.org/

Funds students to work 6-9 months in Washington D.C. with nonprofit, public-interest organizations addressing peace and security issues. Student must have a bachelor's degree in hand. Stipend of \$2,400 per month plus travel and health insurance. Open to all, but preference given to U.S. citizens and to those who have not had substantial prior public interest or government work experience in the Washington D.C. area. Deadline for spring semester awards is early October, and for fall semester awards is mid-January.

HORIZONS Scholarship (Women in Defense)

http://wid.ndia.org/horizon/Pages/default.aspx

Sponsored by the National Security Organization Women in Defense, this award supports the educational objectives of women who are U.S. citizens either currently employed or planning careers in defense and national security fields. Deadline: July 1 annually.

Human Rights Watch Fellowships in International Human Rights

http://www.hrw.org/en/about/fellowships

For recent graduates (Master's or J.D.) in journalism, international relations, area studies, law, or other relevant disciplines. Fellows work full-time for one year with Human Rights Watch typically in New York or Washington, D.C., or in some instances in another location. Students may apply in the final year of their graduate program to begin after graduation. No citizenship restrictions. Deadline: Early October.

IREX U.S. Embassy Public Policy Specialist Program

http://www.irex.org/project/us-embassy-policy-specialist-program-eps

The U.S. Embassy Policy Specialist program (EPS) gives U.S. scholars the opportunity to serve as researchers-in-residence at U.S. Embassies, U.S. Consulates, and USAID Missions in Eurasia. Each EPS fellowship lasts one to two months and is structured in consultation with the host Embassy or Mission. Applicants must have a graduate degree in hand at the time of application, and must be U.S. citizens. This program is not offered every year; check web site for details.

Ian Axford (New Zealand) Fellowships in Public Policy

http://www.fulbright.org.nz/awards/usscholar/axford/

For outstanding mid-career American professionals to research and gain firsthand experience of public policy in New Zealand. Eligible candidates are U.S. citizens with a minimum of 5 years of professional experience in the public, business, or non-profit sectors. Three or four Fellowships valued at up to NZ\$45,500 plus travel are granted each year for seven months of research. Deadline is March 1 annually.

Inter-American Foundation Fellowships (Latin America / Caribbean)

www.iie.org/iaf

Supports dissertation research on grassroots development in Latin America and the Caribbean undertaken by students who have advanced to Ph.D. candidacy in a university in the United States. Fellows may be U.S. citizens or citizens of an independent Latin American or Caribbean country (except Cuba).

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Jennings Randolph Peace Scholarship Dissertation Program

http://www.usip.org/fellows/scholars.html

Open to students enrolled in US universities who are researching and/or writing doctoral dissertations on topics related to peace, conflict, conflict resolution, and international security. Proposals from all disciplines are welcome, with preference given to research that shows clear relevance to policy issues. No citizenship restrictions. The award is currently set at \$20,000 for ten months. Deadline: December

Kathryn Davis Fellowships for Peace

http://www.middlebury.edu/ls/finaid/fellowships/kwd

Covers the full cost of summer language study at Middlebury College's Summer Language School (located in VT.) Eligible languages are Arabic, Chinese, Hebrew, Japanese, Portuguese, and Russian. The Davis Fellowships are merit-based and intended for exceptionally qualified individuals with demonstrated interest in one or more of the following areas: international, global, or area studies; international politics and economics; peace and security studies; and/or conflict resolution. Deadline: January

Leland International Hunger Fellows Program

http://www.hungercenter.org/fellowships/leland/

Two-year professional development fellowship in which fellows serve internationally in both field and policy settings dedicated to the alleviation of hunger and poverty in Asia, Africa, and Latin America. Open to Master's and doctoral candidates/recent graduates, with at least one year of related work/service experience required. Limited to U.S. citizens and permanent residents. Competition is held in odd numbered years – next deadline will be January 2015.

Margaret McNamara Memorial Fund Scholarships

http://www.mmmf-grants.org/grants-us.html

For women from developing countries currently studying in the U.S. or Canada who will be at least 25 years of age by December 31. Recipients agree to return to their home country after graduation to perform service. Special emphasis on service toward improving the lives of women and children in developing countries.

Mariam K. Chamberlain Fellowship in Women and Public Policy

http://www.iwpr.org/about/fellowships

Paid nine-month professional development fellowship at the Institute for Women's Policy Research in Washington, D.C., related to women's issues in public policy. Open to students with BA/BS in hand (whether currently enrolled in graduate school or not). No citizenship restrictions. Deadline: March.

Miller Center Fellowships in Politics and History

http://millercenter.org/academic/dgs/fellowship

The Miller Center of Public Affairs at the University of Virginia (Charlottesville) offers a competitive fellowship program for individuals completing their dissertations on American politics, foreign policy and world politics, or the impact of global affairs on the United States. The program provides up to eight \$20,000 grants to support one year of research and writing. Residence at the Miller Center is strongly encouraged, but not required. No citizenship restrictions. Deadline: Early February.

NYC Urban Fellows Program

http://www.nyc.gov/html/dcas/html/employment/urbanfellows.shtml

The Urban Fellows Program is a highly selective, nine-month fellowship that combines work in Mayoral offices and City agencies with an intensive seminar series that explores current urban issues impacting public policy. Eligibility is based on when the candidate received the bachelor's degree. Graduate students who are eligible may apply, but will be expected to suspend graduate study and outside work during the fellowship. \$30,000 plus health insurance.

NNSA Graduate Program (Nonproliferation Graduate Fellowship)

http://ngfp.pnnl.gov/

This 12-month, full-time, salaried fellowship program provides participants with specialized training and practical experience on projects and initiatives relating to issue of nonproliferation. In addition to gaining valuable experience working with federal government programs, participants have opportunities to collaborate with the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), as well as other government agencies, national laboratories, and non-governmental organizations.

PMF (Presidential Management Fellowship)

http://www.pmf.gov/

The PMF program is the premier pathway into U.S. federal government service for entry-level professionals. Students apply during their final year in graduate school. Finalists in the competition win the opportunity to obtain a two-year appointment in a federal agency with full salary and benefits with the possibility (not guaranteed) of conversion to a permanent job at the end of the two-year fellowship. Fellows also participate in special professional development and leadership training opportunities, as well as rotational assignments to offer a diversity of experience. Deadline for initial application: Fall.

SSRC International Dissertation Research Fellowship (IDRF)

http://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/idrf-fellowship/

Offers 9-12 months of support to graduate students in the humanities and social sciences who are enrolled in doctoral programs in the US and conducting dissertation research outside the US. Students enrolled in Ph.D. programs in public policy, public health, and education, may be eligible to apply if their research projects engage directly with broader theoretical and analytical issues in the humanities and social sciences. Research topics may address all periods in history, but applicants should call attention to the broader implications of their work as it relates to contemporary issues and debates.

Smith Richardson World Politics and Statecraft Fellowship

http://www.srf.org/grants/world_politics.php

Supports research and writing of policy-relevant dissertations on American foreign policy, international relations, international security, strategic studies, area studies, and diplomatic and military history. Funds can be used toward dissertation research (including fieldwork, archival research, or language training) and writing. Preference will be given to projects that have the potential to directly inform U.S. policy debates and thinking, rather than purely theoretical or scholarly debates. The foundation awards up to 20 grants of \$7,5000 each.

U.S. Borlaug Fellows in Global Food Security Program

http://www.purdue.edu/discoverypark/food/borlaugfellows/index.php

Supports interdisciplinary fieldwork in food security issues in the developing world. A competitive, fully funded summer program in food security issues is also offered in Indiana.

Udall Environmental Public Policy and Conflict Resolution Ph.D. Fellowship

http://www.udall.gov/OurPrograms/ECRFellowship/ECRFellowship.aspx

Two one-year fellowships of \$24,000 awarded to doctoral candidates whose research concerns U.S. environmental public policy and/or environmental conflict resolution and who are entering their final year of writing the dissertation. Open to U.S. citizens and permanent residents only. Note: Due to funding constraints this award will not be offered in 2013. The Udall foundation hopes to offer the award again in the future. Interested candidates should continue to check the web site.

Villers Fellowship for Healthcare Justice

http://www.familiesusa.org/fellowships/the-villers-fellowship.html

The Villers Fellow works as a full-time policy analyst in Families USA's Health Policy Department in Washington, D.C. Principal responsibilities include conducting primary and secondary research on a range of health care issues and health reform topics—such as Medicaid, Medicare, the state Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), and the private insurance market—as well as writing and contributing to publications that are relevant to current health reform issues. The fellowship will last one year, from August through July, and Fellows will receive a compensatory package that includes an annual salary of approximately \$38,000 and excellent health care benefits. Deadline: January.

Wellstone Fellowship for Social Justice

http://www.familiesusa.org/fellowships/wellstone-fellowship.html

The Wellstone Fellow's primary responsibilities include assisting in the organization of conferences and trainings for advocates and community leaders; drafting talking points, blogs, fact sheets, and content for other publications. The Fellow will learn about health reform implementation, health equity, Medicaid, Medicare, and other important health policy issues. The fellowship will last one year, from August through July. Fellow will receive an annual salary of approximately \$38,000 and excellent health care benefits. This is a diversity fellowship intended to attract candidates from under-represented and low-income groups, including American Indian and Alaska Native, Asian American, Black/African American, Latino, and Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander individuals. Deadline: January

William Randolph Hearst Endowed Fellowship for Minority Students

http://www.aspeninstitute.org/policy-work/nonprofit-philanthropy/leadership-initiatives/hearst
The Aspen Institute Program on Philanthropy and Social Innovation (PSI) in Washington, DC, offers the
William Randolph Hearst Endowed Fellowship three times annually. The fellowship, which is based on
academic excellence and need, is open to both undergraduate and graduate students of color. The Hearst
Fellow serves as an intern with PSI in the Washington, DC office of the Aspen Institute. Through this
fellowship, PSI seeks to introduce a diverse group of students to issues and challenges
affecting philanthropy, social enterprise, nonprofit organizations, and other actors in the social sector.

Wilson Center Grants and Fellowships

http://www.wilsoncenter.org/fellowships-grants

The Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars welcomes outstanding and award winning scholars, practitioners, journalists and public intellectuals to take part in its non-partisan dialogue. Each year, the Center hosts around 160 scholars who conduct independent research on national and/or international issues addressing key public policy challenges. Fellowships include an internationally competitive residential fellowship focused on public policy issues in addition to other fellowships focused on Eastern Europe, Japan, and on Human Rights and Conflict Resolution. Most fellowships take place in residence at the Wilson Center or affiliated institutes in Washington D.C. Deadlines vary by competition.

WREI Congressional Fellows on Women and Public Policy

http://www.wrei.org/FellowsFAQ.htm

Eight-month professional development fellowship in Washington, D.C. Participants intern for members of Congress on women's issues in public policy. Open to Masters and Ph.D. students during studies or up to 18 months post graduation. No citizenship restrictions. Open to all disciplines/majors with emphasis on women's issues in public policy.