

Fellowship Opportunities

What is a fellowship?

Fellowship is a broad term used by a variety of programs. Generally, fellowship programs are short-term opportunities lasting from a few months to several years. They focus on the professional development of the fellow (you) and are sponsored by a specific association or organization.

Where to find a fellowship?

The following list are a few resources to get you started. Don't stop here, there are many more fellowships out there. Be sure to check out the fellowship office on your campus! Many college campuses offer their own unique fellowship opportunities specifically for their students.

International Fellowships

Education

[Fullbright Fellowship](#)

The Fulbright U.S. Student Program provides grants for individually designed study/research projects or English Teaching Assistantships. A candidate will submit a Statement of Grant Purpose defining activities to take place during one academic year in a country outside the U.S.

Deadline: Between August – October: Every school has a different date and you must work with your school's individual Fullbright Program Adviser

[Community Water Solutions Fellowship Program](#)

The CWS Fellowship Program is a three-week water education and leadership training experience in Northern Region Ghana. The purpose of the fellowship is to teach individuals about the global water crisis, and inspire them to become leaders in the field of international development.

Deadline: Varies throughout the year

Health

[Global Health Corps Fellowship](#)

Fellowships are available in a wide range of areas, from monitoring and evaluation to supply-chain management, communications to human resources. GHC focuses on engaging young people in fields that help to build health systems and improve health services without requiring clinical training.

Deadline: Spring/Summer prior to senior year

[Global Health Fellows II](#)

GHFP-II Fellows work in a variety of global health technical areas ranging from maternal and child health to nutrition to HIV/AIDS. Each fellow has a specific scope of work and placement site within USAID or with one of its implementing partners. GHFP-II Fellows work full time for two years with the possibility of extending their fellowships for an additional two years. During their placements, fellows gain valuable experience and

expertise in global health development. Placements are made both in Washington, DC and in developing countries.

Deadline: Ongoing

Science

[Whitaker International Program](#)

The Whitaker International Program sends emerging leaders in U.S. biomedical engineering (or bioengineering) overseas to undertake a self-designed project that will enhance their own careers within the field.

Deadline: January

Political Science

[International Development Fellows Program](#)

Catholic Relief Services' International Development Fellows Program (IDFP) gives people who are interested in a career in international relief and development an opportunity to increase their overseas experience and gain exposure relief service exposure. Each year, CRS places approximately 25 Fellows with their country programs overseas. Assignments are for one year, typically starting at the end of July.

Specific job responsibilities vary greatly from one country to another depending on the country program's focus (Agriculture, Health, Peace building, 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. Many of our fellowships lead to regular positions with Catholic Relief Services.

Deadline: December 7

[National Endowment for the Humanities](#)

Fellowships support individuals pursuing advanced research that is of value to humanities scholars, general audiences, or both. Recipients usually produce articles, monographs, books, digital materials, archaeological site reports, translations, editions, or other scholarly resources in the humanities.

Deadline: May 1st of year prior

[Rotary](#)

The Rotary Fellowship program provides grants for individually deigned study/research projects in various focus areas including peace and conflict prevention/resolution, disease prevention and treatment, water and sanitation, maternal and child health, basic education and literacy, and economic and community development.

Deadline: February of year prior

National Fellowships

Education

[The Nativity School of Worcester Fellows Program](#)

Nativity School of Worcester offers a comprehensive, quality education to its high-needs, at-risk students as a result of the dedication, hard work, and passion of its Nativity Fellows. Nativity Fellows are distinguished, recent college graduates who are excited about the challenges and rewards of providing a quality education for Worcester's disadvantaged boys.

Deadline: Applications available in January

[The Woodrow Wilson-Rockefeller Brothers Fund Fellowships for Aspiring Teachers of Color](#)

The goal of the Woodrow Wilson-Rockefeller Brothers Fund Fellowships for Aspiring Teachers of Color is to help recruit, support, and retain individuals of color as K-12 public school teachers in the United States.

Deadline: Unknown

[Urban Teaching Fellowship at City on a Hill](#)

The Urban Teaching Fellowship at City on a Hill is a one-year, \$16,000 fellowship intended to train and certify individuals interested in a career teaching in urban public high schools.

Deadline: Rolling

[Teach for America](#)

A national teacher corps of outstanding recent college graduates who commit two years to teach in under-resourced urban and rural public schools.

Deadline: September 13 2013, October 25 2013, January 24 2014, February 20 2014

[MATCH Teacher Residency](#)

The MATCH Teacher Residency is a 2-year program in which first-year training takes place in Boston and during the second year the Resident is a full time teaching jobs elsewhere. After the end of this full-time year of teaching, MTRs are eligible to earn a master's degree.

Deadline: Rolling throughout the year

For more Teaching Fellowships and Opportunities across America:

<http://www.bc.edu/content/bc/offices/careers/careers/careerfields/ednotcertified.html>

Science

[National Physical Science Consortium Fellowship](#)

NPSC's goal is to increase the number of American citizens with graduate degrees in the physical sciences and related engineering fields, emphasizing recruitment of a diverse applicant pool including women and minorities. The NPSC Fellowship provides support for up to six years of continuing education and employer funding. Students may apply during their senior year in college, or in the first year or two of graduate school.

Deadline: November

Political Science

[Edward R. Murrow Press Fellowship](#)

The Edward R. Murrow Press Fellow spends nine months full time in residence at Council on Foreign Relations headquarters in New York. The program enables the fellow to engage in sustained analysis and writing,

expand his or her intellectual and professional horizons, and extensively participate in CFR's active program of meetings and events.

Deadline: March 1

[Thomas R. Pickering Foreign Affairs Graduate Fellowship](#)

This fellowship provides students with valuable work experience in Foreign Affairs as they engage in the teamwork, the challenges, and the skills needed to perform the duties of a foreign service officer. Student must be planning to attend grad school, international affairs, political and economic analysis, administration, management, and science policy.

Deadline: February

[The Villers Fellowship for Health Care Justice](#)

Fellows will work on a variety of health care justice issues and develop an understanding of the federal legislation process. They will also be exposed to different advocacy strategies, including producing analytic reports, disseminating effective messages through the media, successful coalition building, and e-advocacy techniques.

Deadline: January

Local Fellowships (Boston)

Education

[Boston Teaching Residency](#)

Boston Teacher Residency (BTR) recruits talented college graduates, career changers and community members of all ages and gives them the tools to make an immediate impact in the classrooms of the Boston Public Schools (BPS). Combining a yearlong classroom apprenticeship with targeted master's-level coursework, the program offers much more than just an affordable route into teaching. BTR provides every Resident with the practical learning, hands-on experience and ongoing support essential to any successful career in teaching.

Deadline: November 15, 2012, January 31, 2013, or April 1, 2013

[Massachusetts Institute for New Teachers](#)

MINT provides an accelerated certification process through an intensive seven-week training program.

Deadline: Varies

[180 Days in Springfield](#)

The TEACH 180 Days in Springfield Pathway is a one-year, 36-credit pathway leading to a Master's degree and teacher licensure at the middle or high school level.

Deadline: Fall Admission: January 15, Spring Admission: October 1

Health

[The Deland Fellowship in Health Care and Society](#)

One-year administrative experience which prepares professionals to be leaders of health care institutions. All throughout the year, Fellows are exposed to the operations of an academic and community-based medical center. They develop the skills which are fundamental to their professional development as healthcare professionals.

Deadline: October 1, 2012

[Dana-Farber Cancer Institute Fellowship](#)

The Administrative Fellowship is a one-year program at Dana-Farber Cancer Institute that provides management and leadership training, as well as opportunities to learn about health care planning and ambulatory care management.

Deadline: October 5, 2012

[Massachusetts General Health Administrative Fellowship](#)

The Administrative Fellowship Program is a two-year program designed to provide health care professionals with essential hospital management and administration training in ambulatory care and inpatient settings.

Deadline: October 9

[Association of Public Health Laboratories Fellowships](#)

Through its fellowship and traineeship programs (various fellowship opportunities), APHL prepares students for careers in public health laboratories and supports specialized training for practicing scientists.

Deadline: varies