International Research Award

The International Studies Program, Study Abroad Office, and Helen Hardin Honors Program are partnering to fund 3-6 International Research Travel Awards for Summer 2016. The purpose of this program is to provide undergraduate students with opportunities to pursue research in international settings, under the guidance of a faculty member. Faculty members benefit from research assistance in the field.

Program Supports:

✓ $1000 allowance to undergraduate student for international travel and accommodations
✓ $650-$1000 professional support funds for the full-time faculty mentor (for travel support and research related expenses)
✓ Faculty working with Honors students may be eligible for $1000 research allowance for supplies to be used in direct support of the research project under the Honors Program Summer Research Fellowship (see below)

Student Eligibility:

✓ Open to undergraduate students majoring in International Studies who will enroll for at least one semester at the University of Memphis as an undergraduate student after completion of the research
✓ Honors students in International Studies also eligible to apply for $2400 summer research stipend (see below)

*Students graduating in May or August 2016 are not eligible

Faculty Eligibility:

✓ Open to full-time faculty with an active research project in an international setting, with priority given to International Studies Faculty Affiliates.

Application:

✓ Submit application form as a faculty-student pair to kbrondo@memphis.edu by April 1, 2016.
✓ 750-1000 word statement of nature of research and student responsibilities, plus a timeline for research activities, and simple budget.
✓ Applicants for the Honors Program Summer Research Fellowship must submit the additional separate application to Honors Program

Honors Program Summer Research Fellowship

Up to 10 stipends at $2,400 each will be awarded to support honors students who will work with a University of Memphis full-time faculty mentor in the summer of 2016. Students will also receive an allowance of $1,000 for supplies and services to be used in direct support of the research project. More information about this opportunity can be found on the Honors Program’s website: http://www.memphis.edu/honors.
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The deadline to apply is April 1, 2016

E-mail documents to: Keri Brondo, Ph.D.
Director, International Studies

E-mail address: kbrondo@memphis.edu

Application

Type or print clearly and return the completed application form and the research statement to International Studies.

1. Name:

   (Last) ____________________________ (First) ____________________________ (Middle) ____________________________

2. U-Number ____________________________

3. Expected Degree and Graduation Date: ____________________________

4. Current GPA: ____________________________

5. Research Project Title: ____________________________

6. Faculty Mentor Contact Information:

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