



Asian American
Studies Center
Bridging Research with Community

UCLA Asian American Studies Center

Application for Graduate Fellowships & Prizes

Academic Year 2017-2018

Graduate Student Fellowships are due Monday, February 27, 2017: Check all Fellowships that you are applying for.

21st Century Graduate Fellowship	1 award at \$1,500	Title:
Professor Harry H. L. Kitano Fellowship	1 award at \$1,000	Title:
Tritia Toyota Graduate Fellowship	1 award at \$3,000	Title:
Rose Eng Chin & Helen Wong Eng Fellowship	1 award at \$2,000	Title:
George & Sakaye Aratani Graduate Fellowship	1 award at \$5,000	Title:
Dr. Paul & Hisako Terasaki Fellowship	1 award at \$5,000	Title:
Pearl Wang Fellowship	1 award at \$5,000	Title:
21st Century Graduate Internship	1 award at \$1,500	Title:

Academic Prizes for Graduate Students due Monday, March 6, 2017: Check all Academic Prizes that you are applying for.

Hiram Wheeler Edwards Prize for the Study of WWII Internment Camps & Japanese Americans	1 award at \$500	Title:
Professor Harry H.L. Kitano Graduate Prize	1 award at \$500	Title:
Wei-Lim Lee Memorial Prize	1 award at \$500	Title:
Ben & Alice Hirano Academic Prize	1 award at \$500	Title:
Rose Eng Chin & Helen Wong Eng Fellowship	1 award at \$500	Title:
Tsugio & Miyoko Nakanishi Prize in Asian American Literature & Culture	1 award at \$500	Title:

Applicant Information: *Information must be typed on the form.*

Name: _____ Gender: _____
Last First Middle

UCLA Identification Number: _____ Social Security # (need for academic prize apps & graduating students) _____

Email address: _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____ Permanent Home Phone: (____) _____

School Address:

_____ Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Permanent Mailing Address:

_____ Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Degree Program enrolled in: Doctorate Master of Arts / Sciences Master of Fine Arts

Graduate Department: _____ Field of Specialization: _____

Asian American Studies Graduate Concentration (X if participant):

Cumulative Grade Point Average Winter 2017: _____ Academic units completed: _____

Graduate student status in program: _____ year began program _____ date advanced to candidacy _____ expected graduation date

Ethnicity (optional/ list only if requested in guidelines): _____

California Resident? Yes No U.S. Citizen? Yes No

If "No," Country of Citizenship: _____ Visa Type: Student Permanent Resident

Have you received an AASC Grant, Fellowship, or Academic Prize in the past? Yes No If yes, please state date received: _____

Title of Project that received past award: _____

Please list any publications or other creative works that resulted from the previous award: _____



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Award Requirements:

1. Submit a curriculum vitae or resume. ****If you do not have this, respond to the following questions on additional pages and attach to this application.**
 - a) List chronologically your academic record or achievements, including research or creative projects, field studies, internships, honors thesis, special studies projects, teaching experience, publications, presentations, etc.
 - b) List chronologically your record of professional activities, university or community service. Provide a description of your activities and service.
 - Include dates of involvement and, if any, offices held. If this is your first year at UCLA you may include activities from your high school or transfer institution.
 - c) List any current or previous employment. Include job descriptions, dates, and hours worked per week.
 - d) List the honors and awards that you have received.

2. List one Faculty Reference, a second Faculty Reference is optional.
 - A Letter of Recommendation **is required** for Fellowship Applications.
 - A Letter of Recommendation **is not required** for Academic Prize Applications.

Reference of UCLA Faculty Advisor (Required)

Name & Title: _____ Email: _____

Office Address: _____ Phone: _____

In what capacity are you acquainted with this reference? _____

Reference of any Faculty / Instructor / Community Organization (Optional)

Name & Title: _____ Email: _____

Organization affiliation: _____

Work Address: _____ Phone: _____

In what capacity are you acquainted with this reference? _____

"I hereby certify that all information I submit in this application, and in support of it, is complete and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that knowingly providing false or incomplete information may be grounds for dismissal from UCLA."

Student Signature _____ Date _____

****Complete application for Fellowships is due on Monday, February 27, 2017 and for Academic Prizes Monday, March 6, 2017.***

*****Submit one application with your curriculum vitae and proposal(s) or paper(s) as a Microsoft Word document and pdf of your academic transcript to scp@aasc.ucla.edu, in the email subject heading, please enter: 2017 Application for Fellowship or Internship or Academic Prize (as appropriate).***

For any questions contact meg@ucla.edu or (310) 825-1006, or contact AASC main office phone: (310) 825-2974.



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Faculty Recommendation:

PART A *(To be completed by Student applicant)*

The person whose name appears below is an applicant for a UCLA Asian American Studies Center - Fellowship for the 2017-18 academic year.

Name of Applicant:

Last *First* *Middle*

The applicant (circle one) has agreed or has not agreed to waive rights to access to letters of recommendation under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and any other laws, regulations, or policies.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____

PART B *(To be completed by Faculty Advisor)*

AASC policy recommends that students who receive an AASC award conduct their research or creative project under the mentorship of a faculty advisor. Should you agree to serve as a faculty advisor for the above applicant, AASC requests that your letter of recommendation include comments on the following:

- (a) How well you know the applicant;
- (b) The significance and feasibility of the proposed research or creative project;
- (c) The applicant's capability to carry out the proposed research or creative project;
- (d) Whether you will be available for consultation with the student during the award period.

Name of Faculty: *(please print)* _____

Title: _____ Department: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Form to be completed by Faculty Advisor and submitted to scp@asec.ucla.edu with subject heading "Letter of Recommendation for student's name".

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