

Josef ALBERS Traveling Fellowships

2008 - 2009

The Josef Albers Foundation has established a fellowship at Yale University to be used for awards to Yale students (currently enrolled in a graduate or undergraduate program), post-doctoral fellows, and faculty for travel expenses in connection with scholarly research involving pre-Columbian or Colonial art and artifacts of Mesoamerica, Central America and South America. Applicants are expected to have knowledge of the study area based on specific coursework or training and should provide a summary of this background in their fellowship proposal.

Fellowship funds are intended primarily to cover travel expenses, including lodging and per diem. No awards will be made for the purchase of photographic or other expensive equipment. Grants are ordinarily in the range of \$1,000 - \$5,000. Students or faculty affiliated with other colleges or universities are not eligible. Please note that award funds are considered to be taxable income.

1. Applicants must complete the Albers-Coe-Hazard Application, 2008-2009, which summarizes their proposal. The signature of the applicant's mentor, committee chairperson, dissertation/thesis/essay advisor or Director of Undergraduate Studies is required.

2. Attach a brief statement (no more than three double spaced pages) describing the intended use of the fund with a fully itemized budget. Please include: destination, dates of travel, and purpose. Any change in the scope or budget of the project after submission should be reported to the department/council office. If funding is awarded to you, a paragraph of your research must be reported to the department/council office within 90 days after the completion of your fieldwork.

If an awardee also qualifies for an award from the Williams, the Berkeley, Biddle and Woolsey Scholarship, the Hazard, the Coe or the Dorot Funds, or other awards for the same project, the recipient must clearly indicate whether such application has been made. Indicate to whom (please furnish contact information), for what items and amounts other requests have been made, and include deadline and decision announcement dates for those other requests.

Responsibility for the selection of Fellowship recipients resides with the Chairman of the Council on Archaeological Studies who has appointed an advisory committee to assist with the decision process.

The application should be submitted either personally or placed in the mailboxes at the department of

Karen Phillips or Gordon Wong
Registrar's Office, Room 102
10 Sachem Street, New Haven, CT 06511

Jennifer DeChello
Room 200
205 Whitney Avenue, New Haven, CT 06511

Please note: If expenses exceed the amount approved, no additional reimbursements will be approved.

APPLICATION ACCEPTED BEGINNING: March 2, 2009

All applications are due by March 31, 2009
Decisions will be announced by April 7, 2009