

Diplomatic and Consular Officers, Retired (DACOR) Fellowship for 2005-06

A fellowship of up to \$10,000 will be awarded for the 2005-2006 academic year to an MSU graduating senior who plans to pursue a master's degree in international affairs (broadly construed as relating to international work, international studies, international programs, area language studies, etc.) at a recognized U.S. institution of higher learning. The fellowship of up to \$10,000 is exclusively for tuition and is for one year of full-time graduate study. The graduating senior must be a U.S. citizen.

Application materials must include:

- A curriculum vitae prepared by the applicant
- A MSU transcript of the applicant's academic record and from any other institution of higher learning that the applicant attended
- An essay of approximately 600 words that expands on the information provided in the resume (curriculum vitae) as appropriate and covers such items as special academic activities or accomplishments, work experience, experience related to international affairs (e.g., international travel, study abroad, foreign language competence, etc.), career objectives, and any other matters pertinent to the nominee's qualifications.

Applicants need not be planning on a career in the Foreign Service of the United States, although the selection committee looks with favor on a career objective in public service. A committee appointed by the Dean of International Studies and Programs will select three MSU nominees and an alternate. These four applications will be forwarded to the DACOR (Diplomatic and Consular Officers, Retired) Bacon House Foundation Education committee who will make the final decision.

One MSU student will receive a fellowship.

This announcement will be made by DACOR in early April 2005.

Deadline: Applications must be submitted to Dr. Charles Gliozzo, 209 International Center by 5:00 p.m., **Thursday, January 20, 2005.**

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