



**WEATHERHEAD EAST ASIAN INSTITUTE  
OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK**

**FELLOWSHIP AND GRANT BASIC APPLICATION FORM**

\_\_\_ Mr. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Ms.

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity/Race: \_\_\_\_\_

Columbia University E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ UNI: \_\_\_\_\_

School or Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Program (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Discipline: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Discipline: \_\_\_\_\_

Degree Sought (B.A., M.A., Ph.D., etc.): \_\_\_\_\_ Region(s) of Interest: \_\_\_ East Asia \_\_\_ Southeast Asia

Expected Semester and Year of Completion of all Degree Requirements: \_\_\_\_\_

Undergraduate Institution: \_\_\_\_\_ Undergraduate Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Graduate Institution: \_\_\_\_\_ Course Of Study: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Country of Interest: \_\_\_\_\_ Secondary Country of Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

General Description of Interests, Research, Academic and Professional Background \_\_\_\_\_

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Career Objective(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Previous Sector(s) of Employment (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Visa Status in US: \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Citizenship: \_\_\_\_\_

Native Language(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Local Contact Information: valid until \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Contact Information: valid until: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate the fellowship(s) and grant(s) for which you are applying.

- Julie How Fellowship
- Junior Fellowship in Japan Studies
- V.K. Wellington Koo Fellowship
- Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund (SYLFF) Fellowship
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- SIPA Program Assistantship
- Daniel and Marianne Spiegel Fund Grant
- Weatherhead Ph.D. Training Grant
- Weatherhead Training Grant
- Weatherhead Undergraduate Training Grant
- C. Martin Wilbur Fellowship
- Y.F. and L.C.C. Wu Fellowship

The following graduate fellowships are available through the Financial Aid Office in 107 Low Memorial Library (except for FLAS applications for SIPA students which are available online at <http://www.sipa.columbia.edu/prog/fellowship.html>).

Please indicate below if you have applied for any of these fellowships.

- Foreign Language & Area Studies Fellowship (FLAS)
- GSAS Traveling Fellowship
- Jacob J. Javits Fellowship
- MacArthur Foundation Fellowship in International Peace and Security
- President's Fellowship
- SIPA Travel Grant
- Summer Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship (FLAS)\*
- Whiting Fellowship
- None of the above
- Other(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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Educational background: List name and location of all colleges and graduate/professional schools attended (including Columbia)

School (name/location)	Dates of Attendance	Degree	Date Received/Anticipated

What fellowships or honors have you held, including at Columbia? Please note the names and years.

Fellowships, Honors, Awards	Dates Held

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Please give the names of two Columbia faculty members or instructors who know your academic work. If possible, at least one should be a member of the Weatherhead East Asian Institute faculty. It is not necessary to supply letters of recommendation, unless noted on a specific fellowship or grant application form.

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Have you taken a course related to East Asia in the three previous semesters?

yes       no

Which East Asian studies courses do you plan to take in the upcoming academic year?

**Course Name(s)**


Please indicate your level of proficiency in any of the above languages and whether or not your level of proficiency is sufficient for the project you are proposing. (Non-native speakers, please indicate the number of years of language training you have received.)

East Asian Language	Years of Study	Level of Proficiency	Proficiency Sufficient for Project?
			<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
			<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
			<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no
			<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no

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**C. MARTIN WILBUR FELLOWSHIP  
JULIE HOW FELLOWSHIP  
JUNIOR FELLOWSHIP IN JAPAN STUDIES  
SASAKAWA YOUNG LEADERS FELLOWSHIP FUND FELLOWSHIP  
V. K. WELLINGTON KOO FELLOWSHIP  
(for Ph.D. Students)**

**APPLICATION**

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Please indicate which of the three fellowship(s) you are applying for:

- Julie How Fellowship**  
 **Junior Fellowship in Japan Studies**  
 **V. K. Wellington Koo Fellowship**  
 **Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund Fellowship**  
 **C. Martin Wilbur Fellowship**
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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you applied for funding from your department for the upcoming academic year?

\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

2. What is your anticipated registration status for the upcoming academic year?

Fall 2005: \_\_\_ Matriculation & Facilities (M&F) \_\_\_ Extended Residence (ER)  
Spring 2006: \_\_\_ Matriculation & Facilities (M&F) \_\_\_ Extended Residence (ER)

3. When did you complete the requirements for the M.Phil degree?

Semester: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Has your dissertation proposal been approved by your department? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

5. Have you completed your fieldwork? \_\_\_ yes \_\_\_ no

6. When do you expect to defend your dissertation?

Semester: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

7. What country or countries would you be in during the term of the fellowship?

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8. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:

- statement of progress of approximately four pages describing your dissertation progress
- two letters of reference
- all official academic transcripts, including those from Columbia

**DANIEL AND MARIANNE SPIEGEL FUND GRANT APPLICATION**  
**(for Ph.D. Students)**

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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. In what country or countries would you conduct your project?
2. Describe your proposed project in one sentence.
3. What, if any, institutional affiliation will you have during the project?
4. What is the total amount of research expenses you are requesting for this project?
5. What are the approximate start and end dates for the project?
6. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:
  - one to two-page project description
  - one-page budget indicating the research expenses for which you are requesting reimbursement
  - official Columbia University transcript
  - one letter of recommendation from a Columbia University faculty member or instructor

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**SASAKAWA YOUNG LEADERS FELLOWSHIP FUND (SYLFF) GRANT  
APPLICATION  
(for all Graduate Students)**

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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. In what country or countries would you conduct your project?
2. Is the project an internship or research?     \_\_\_ internship     \_\_\_ research
3. Describe your proposed project in one sentence.
4. What, if any, institutional affiliation will you have during the project?
5. What are the financial arrangements of your stay? Will the host organization provide housing, a living stipend, or any other benefits or compensation?
6. What is the total amount you are requesting for this project?
7. What are the approximate start and end dates for the project?
8. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:
  - one to two-page description of the proposed project
  - official Columbia University transcript
  - resume
  - one letter of recommendation
  - detailed budget
  - if your project is an internship, a letter from the host organization confirming your internship

**SIPA PROGRAM ASSISTANTSHIP APPLICATION**  
**(for SIPA Students)**

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**PLEASE NOTE THAT YOU MUST ALSO SUBMIT  
A SEPARATE PROGRAM ASSISTANTSHIP APPLICATION TO SIPA**

**THE APPLICATION CAN BE OBTAINED ONLINE AT:**

**<http://www.sipa.columbia.edu/prog/fellowship.html>**

\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. What professional, leadership, and/or event planning/organizing skills do you possess that you can offer the Institute?

2. What has been your level and type of involvement in APAC?

3. In what ways have you been engaged with the Institute?

4. Please submit a hard copy of your resume.



**WEATHERHEAD PH.D. TRAINING GRANT APPLICATION**  
**(for Ph.D. Students)**

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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. In what country or countries would you conduct your project?
2. Describe your proposed project in one sentence.
3. What, if any, institutional affiliation will you have during the project?
4. What is the total amount you are requesting for this project?
5. What are the approximate start and end dates for the project?
6. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:
  - one to two-page description of the proposed project
  - official Columbia University transcript
  - detailed budget which includes a break down of your expenses (you may apply for up to \$4,000)
  - brief statement of purpose explaining your long-term academic/career plans and how this training grant will help you to achieve your plans
  - any additional information (description of the language program, etc.) that you think would be helpful to the review committee

**WEATHERHEAD TRAINING GRANT APPLICATION**  
**(for M.A. and Professional School Students)**

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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please check the category that applies to you.

\_\_\_ M.A. Student     \_\_\_ Professional School Student

2. In what country would you conduct your project?

3. Is the project an internship or research?     \_\_\_ internship     \_\_\_ research

4. Describe your proposed project in one sentence.

5. What, if any, institutional affiliation will you have during the project?

6. What is the total amount you are requesting for this project?

7. What are the approximate start and end dates for the project?

8. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:

- one to two-page description of the proposed project
- official Columbia University transcript
- one letter of recommendation, preferably from a Columbia University faculty member or instructor
- detailed budget which includes a break down of your expenses (you may apply for up to \$3,000)
- resume
- brief statement of purpose explaining your long-term academic/career plans and how this training grant will help you to achieve your plans
- if your project is an internship, a letter from the host organization confirming your internship
- any additional information (letters of invitation from host organizations, description of the language program, etc.) that you think would be helpful to the review committee

**WEATHERHEAD UNDERGRADUATE TRAINING GRANT APPLICATION**  
**(for Undergraduate Students)**

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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. In what country or countries would you conduct your project?

2. Is the project an internship or research? \_\_\_ internship \_\_\_ research

3. Describe your proposed project in one sentence.

4. What, if any, institutional affiliation will you have during the project?

5. What is the total amount you are requesting for this project?

6. What are the approximate start and end dates for the project?

7. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:

- one to two-page description of the proposed project
- one letter of recommendation from a Columbia/Barnard faculty member or instructor
- detailed budget which includes a break down of your expenses (you may apply for up to \$2,500)
- official university transcript
- if your project is an internship, a letter from the host organization confirming your internship

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**Y.F. AND L.C.C. WU FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION**  
**(for GSAS, Business, Journalism, Law, Public Health, SIPA, and Teachers College Students)**

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\_\_\_ Mr. \_\_\_ Ms. First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please indicate your country of citizenship.

2. Please indicate whether or not you are from China, Hong Kong, or Taiwan, or you are of Chinese, Hong Kong, or Taiwan descent and provide some form of documentation, if possible.

3. What country would you be in during the term of your fellowship?

4. Please submit the following materials with your application forms:

- one to two-page statement of purpose regarding your academic/career plans and how the Wu fellowship will help you succeed in your endeavors
- official Columbia University transcript
- one letter of recommendation from a faculty member or instructor familiar with your work
- documentation indicating Chinese citizenship or descent, if possible
- completed Y.F. and L.C.C. Wu Fellowship Financial Statement Worksheet
- supporting documentation for the financial statement worksheet, including a copy of your 2003 tax return

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## Y.F. AND L.C.C. WU FELLOWSHIP FINANCIAL STATEMENT WORKSHEET

Please attach statements of all income and debt to this worksheet. The official document must include a US income tax return or a letter of financial status, submitted by international students for visa issuance. The Fellowship Committee will perform selective verification and may request additional documentation such as bank statements, parental income tax forms, or student loan contracts.

Is the student claimed as a dependent on someone else's income tax return for the years

2003:  yes  no  
2004:  yes  no

Parental income after taxes in the years

(convert foreign currency to US dollars at the current rate) 2003: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
2004: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Student's marital status in the years

2003:  single  married  
2004:  single  married

Number of student's dependents in the years

2003: \_\_\_\_\_ dependents  
2004: \_\_\_\_\_ dependents

### Income (as of the end of 2004)

Student's earnings after taxes \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Spouse's earnings after taxes \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Assistance from parents (not loans) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify: \_\_\_\_\_) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Income** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Assets (as of the end of 2004)

Cash, Savings, Investments, etc. \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify ) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Assets** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Debt (as of the end of 2004)

Undergraduate Loans Outstanding \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduate Loans Outstanding \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other (specify: \_\_\_\_\_) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Debt** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

*Applications submitted without copies of supporting financial documentation will not be considered.*

Indicate briefly any additional information relevant to your financial situation.

*Any intentional omission or inaccuracy will result in the disqualification of this application.*

*I certify that the information on this application is complete and accurate.*

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_