Mark our Dates on your Calendar

Wed, Nov 5, 3:30 pm, Legare 322  NATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS INFORMATION SESSION
Fri, Nov 7, 3:30 pm, Legare 322  NATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS INFORMATION SESSION
Mon, Nov 10, 4 pm, Gressette Room, Harper College 3rd floor  ROTARY WORKSHOP

NATIONAL FELLOWSHIPS WITH UPCOMING DEADLINES

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION (NSF)  http://www.nsfgrfp.org/
NSF awards support study and research in the sciences or in engineering leading to master’s or doctoral degrees in the mathematical, physical, biological, engineering, behavioral and social sciences, as well as in the history and philosophy of sciences.  Transcripts due to OFSP at noon 10/30/08 for overnight mail for 10/31/08 receipt deadline.  Check website for various November 2008 deadlines.

CARNEGIE ENDOWMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL PEACE  http://www.carnegieendowment.org/about/index.cfm?fa=jrfellows
These awards for graduating seniors and individuals who have graduated during the past academic year enable Junior Fellows to work as research assistants to the Endowment’s senior associates. Students who have started graduate study are not eligible.  USC Nomination deadline Nov. 10, 2008.

CRITICAL LANGUAGE SCHOLARSHIP (CLS)  https://clscholarship.org/home.php

FORD PREDOCTORAL DIVERSITY FELLOWSHIP  http://www7.nationalacademies.org/FORDfellowships/fordpredoc.html
The fellowships support three years of graduate study leading to a researched-based Ph.D. or Sc.D. in specified fields. These awards seek to increase the diversity of the nation's college and university faculties, to maximize the educational benefits of diversity, and to increase the number of professors using diversity as a resource for enriching the education of all students.  Electronic application due 11/14/08; supplemental materials due to OFSP 1/15/09 for overnight mail for 1/16/09 receipt.

Glamour's Awards recognize leadership, involvement on campus and in the community, excellence in your field of study, and unique, inspiring goals. Each winner receives a $2,000 cash prize, a trip to New York, opportunities to meet with top professionals in a variety of fields, and national recognition in the magazine.  Applications due to OFSP at noon, Friday, 11/28/08, for overnight mail for Monday, 12/01/08 receipt.
THE CONGRESS-BUNDESTAG YOUTH EXCHANGE (CBYX)  
http://www.cdsintl.org/cbyx/
This scholarship is designed to give 75 young professionals an understanding of everyday life, education, and professional training in Germany. Although intended primarily for young adults in business, technical, vocational, and agricultural fields, applicants from all fields are encouraged to apply. Supplementary materials due to OFSP at noon, 11/24/08 for overnight mail to be received by 12/1/08 deadline.

NSEP (BOREN) SCHOLARSHIP  
http://www.borenawards.org/boren_scholarship
NSEP supports outstanding undergraduate and graduate students who demonstrate high levels of academic performance and strong motivation to internationalize their education by developing expertise in the languages, cultures, & world regions less commonly studied by Americans. US Undergraduate Deadline: Dec. 5, 2008; graduate deadline January 29, 2009.

RESEARCH INTERNSHIPS IN SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING (RISE)  
http://www.daad.de/RISE/en/1.html
These summer scholarships pair German PhD students with American students in the fields of biology, chemistry, physics, earth sciences (geology), and engineering. This mentoring partnership ensures immediate integration into hands on lab work and a built-in social network with an excellent opportunity to develop new technical skills. Applications accepted 12/8/08 – 1/31/09.

USA TODAY All-USA College Academic Team  
This program honors full-time undergraduate juniors or seniors who not only excel academically but extend their reach beyond the classroom to benefit society. Students must be nominated by USC and criteria include academic rigor, leadership, activities, and an essay describing the applicant’s most outstanding intellectual endeavor. Supporting materials due to OFSP at noon, 12/11/08 for overnight mail to be received by 12/12/08 deadline. Electronic deadline 12/12/08.

LINKS TO OTHER FALL COMPETITIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES

CHILD FAMILY HEALTH INTERNATIONAL  
http://www.cfhi.org/web/index.php/xcms/showpage/page/Scholarships
CFHI awards this scholarship to individuals committed to global health education in Bolivia, Ecuador, India, Mexico, and South Africa, focusing on the health topics relevant to each local healthcare system. Spring ’09 Application Due: November 15, 2008.

POSTERS ON THE HILL  
http://www.cur.org/postersession.html
The Council on Undergraduate Research invites students to submit an abstract of their research in the field of Arts and Humanities, Biology, Chemistry, Geosciences, Mathematics/Computer Science, Physics/Astronomy, Psychology, and Social Sciences. Each abstract should explain the work that was performed and discuss the importance of the work to science and society (i.e., what larger problem were you trying to solve or understand?). Electronic applications due Friday, November 14, 2008.

TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP PROGRAM IN FRANCE  
The French Ministry of Education and the Cultural Services at the French Embassy offer teaching assistant positions in French primary and secondary schools as well as in various French teaching colleges. Applications accepted 11/15/08 – 1/15/09.

JET PROGRAM  
http://www.us.emb-japan.go.jp/JETProgram/homepage.html
The JET Program seeks to enhance internationalization in Japan by offering opportunities to teach English, work in international activities or assist with sports training. Application due to OFSP November 24, 2008 for overnight mail to meet November 25, 2008, receipt deadline.

INVESTIGATE OTHER RESOURCES ON OUR WEBSITE

USC LINKS  
http://www.sc.edu/ofsp/usclinks.html