

## **ROTARY WORLD PEACE FELLOWSHIPS**

These scholarships/fellowships are designed to support individuals pursuing a 1-2 year master's degree program or a short-term certificate in international relations, sustainable development, peace studies, and conflict resolution.

The selected Peace Scholars/Fellows may study at one of six Rotary Centers for International Studies:

- . Duke University and The University of North Carolina (master's degree)
- . International Christian University, Tokyo, Japan (master's degree)
- . Universidad del Salvador, Buenos Aires, Argentina (master's degree)
- . University of Bradford, West Yorkshire, England (master's degree)
- . University of Queensland, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia (master's degree)
- . Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand (professional development certificate, with two sessions per year: Jan.-April and July-Sept.)

Master's degree scholarships provide funding for transportation, tuition, fees, room and board, and other limited expenses. Certificate scholarships provide for transportation, with other expenses covered by employers or the District.

Applicants must meet the following criteria to be eligible:

1. Hold a Bachelor's degree or equivalent with strong grades
2. Possess the training, academic background, and work experience in a relevant field required for a master's degree program
3. Have at least 3 years full-time work experience in a relevant field (5-10 years for the certificate program)
4. Be proficient in more than one language
5. Possess excellent leadership skills
6. Demonstrate a commitment to a career dedicated to peace and international understanding

Applications must be made through and endorsed by local Rotary clubs. Neither Rotarians nor their family members are eligible to apply.

Applications and additional information can be found at [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org).

### ***Timetable for 2011-2013 Fellowships***

January, 2010	Districts receive application materials and distribute them to local clubs
March, 2010	Completed applications due to local clubs
March 31, 2010	Interviews completed and selection made by local clubs
April 15, 2010	Endorsed applications due to District committee
May 31, 2010	Interview and selection process completed by District committee
July 1, 2010	Approved applications due to The Rotary Foundation (TRF)
July-October, 2010	TRF and Rotary Center partners screen and select fellowship finalists
November, 2010	Districts and candidates notified of selection

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