# The Global Fellows Program

# Funding undergraduate students to create projects that change the way we see the world!

**In Year 1 Fellows complete an approved internship, service learning, or training**

**In Year 2 Fellows complete a project of their own design**

CSULB is a globally-engaged university that holds in its mission a vision of ‘changing lives by expanding educational opportunities, championing creativity, and preparing leaders for a changing world.’ This includes developing global perspectives by continuously broadening and deepening curricular and co-curricular activities.

With the help of the Haglund Global Endowment and the Winans-Shaddle Fund, the Global Studies Institute will offer up to three undergraduate Global Studies Fellowships.  In a change from previous years, Fellows will engage in a two-year program (2018-19, 2019-20) and must commit to both years. Global Studies Fellows will be global citizens dedicated to finding new and exciting ways to engage CSULB students in global learning activities on campus. Each Global Studies Fellow will imagine, create, an execute a project of her or his own design to pilot an innovative new way for meeting this part of the campus mission and vision.

Global Studies Fellows will each receive a $500 stipend for their efforts each semester for Spring 2019, Fall 2019, and Spring 2020 plus a $500 budget for piloting their individual projects. They will have the support of the Global Studies Institute, the guidance of the Institute’s director, and support from additional university leaders as determined, but the project will be his/her brainchild. Global Studies Fellows will be expected to attend two group planning meetings in the Fall and two in the Spring in addition to an honoring ceremony. There will be additional opportunities provided to the Global Studies Fellows for gaining new knowledge about international education and networking with leaders on and off campus. Applications for Global Studies Fellows will be accepted from all undergraduate students at CSULB. Students may be any academic level but must be full time and graduating no earlier than Spring 2020.

**Applications are due Friday, October 19, 2018**

[**http://www.cla.csulb.edu/centers/globalstudies/global-fellows-program/**](http://www.cla.csulb.edu/centers/globalstudies/global-fellows-program/)

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Eligible Students:

Scholarships are awarded without regard to race, ethnicity, age, gender, religion, sexual orientation or status. There are certain requirements for eligibility:

1. Undergraduate student in good standing at CSULB (any major, level) enrolled for the 2018-19 Academic Year.
2. Graduating no earlier than Spring 2020.
3. Demonstrate high moral character and good citizenship.
4. Grade point average of 3.0 or higher.
5. All internship, service learning, or training projects must be approved in advance and must be complete by the end of the 2018-19 Academic Year.
6. All projects must be developed during 2018-19 to be completed by the end of the 2019-20 Academic Year.
7. All Fellows must commit to a Friday morning meeting once per month during the Academic Year.

Personal Information:

Name: Major: SID:

Local Address:

Telephone:

E-Mail Address

Letter of Reference:

Candidates must request one (1) letter of reference addressing level of preparation for this activity and how this activity holds the potential to create connections between classroom education, skills development, and future career. The letter can be from a CSULB Faculty member or someone under whom the candidate will be completing the project. If the project requires specialized knowledge in the candidates field then the recommended should indicate if s/he is willing to serve as an additional faculty mentor on this project.

Unofficial Transcript:

Candidates must attach an unofficial transcript (which can be a printout from MyCSULB). Successful candidates consent to committee verification of the transcript by accessing student records.

Working Title of Project: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the following questions, responding in 150- 250 words per question:

1. What is your greatest “global” or “international” passion?
2. Where do you see yourself professionally five years from now?
3. Please describe your intended internship, service learning, or training in (if awarded Fellows will have access to internship advising and are required to have this approved in advance)
4. Please describe a potential project you would like to create and lead (if awarded the Fellowships you will have an opportunity to develop this; the assumption is that the internship, service learning, or training program will serve as a springboard for your project)

Application should be sent to Kellie Sala, Program Assistant, The Global Studies Institute:

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Questions about the fellowship should be addressed to Professor Richard R. Marcus, GSI Director: [Richard.Marcus@csulb.edu](mailto:Richard.Marcus@csulb.edu)