Partial List of Scholarships Available to Students Participating on the Bir Madhkur Project
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American Center of Oriental Research Fellowships

Deadline for all applications is February 1, 2012

Jennifer C. Groot Fellowship: Two or more awards of $1,800 each to support beginners in archaeological fieldwork who have been accepted as team members on archaeological projects with ASOR/CAP affiliation in Jordan. Open to undergraduate or graduate students of U.S. or Canadian citizenship.

Bert and Sally de Vries Fellowship: One award of $1,200 to support a student for participation on an archaeological project or research in Jordan. Senior project staff whose expenses are being borne largely by the project are ineligible. Open to enrolled undergraduate or graduate students of any nationality.

Harrell Family Fellowship: One award of $1,800 to support a graduate student for participation on an archaeological project or research in Jordan. Senior project staff whose expenses are being borne largely by the project are ineligible. Open to enrolled graduate students of any nationality except Jordanians.

Pierre and Patricia Bikai Fellowship: Two awards for one month each or one two-month award for residency at ACOR in Amman. It is open to enrolled graduate students of any nationality except Jordanian participating in an archaeological project or conducting archaeological work in Jordan. The fellowship includes room and board at ACOR and a monthly stipend of $600.

MacDonald/Sampson Fellowship: One award for either six weeks residency at ACOR for research in the fields of Ancient Near Eastern languages and history, archaeology, Bible studies, or comparative religion, or a travel grant to assist with participation in an archaeological field project in Jordan. The ACOR residency fellowship option includes room and board at ACOR and a stipend of $600 US. The travel grant option provides a single payment of $1,800 US to help with any project related expenses. Both options are open to enrolled undergraduate or graduate students of Canadian citizenship or landed immigrant status.

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ACOR P.O. Box 2470, Amman 11181, Jordan
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American Schools of Oriental Research in Canada

**Mary Louise Mussell Student Travel Fellowship**: The Mary Louise Mussell Student Travel Fellowship was established for students who wish to participate in archaeological field research in the Middle East. In 2009, an award in the amount of $500 will be given to a student with little or no prior field experience (no more than 1 previous field season). The Fellowship is designed to help defray the costs associated with participation in overseas archaeological projects. Senior staff whose expenses are being paid for by the project are ineligible. Eligibility is restricted to students with Canadian citizenship or those enrolled at a Canadian post-secondary institution. The archaeological project in which the student is participating must be an ASOR/CAP-affiliated project. The successful recipient of the fellowship is expected to submit a 500-700 word report upon completion of their field experience.

**Application Deadline**: March 14, 2012

**CONTACT INFORMATION**:  
http://www.asor.org/fellowships/casor/marylouise.html

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**ASOR Heritage Excavation Grants**: ASOR's Heritage Excavation Grant program is funded directly by contributions from our Heritage Members. These scholarships may be either designated by the donor for a specific excavation project or individual and are open to participants in any of ASOR's CAP affiliated projects (and to participants in other projects if specified by the donors). Grant support will normally be $1,000.

**ASOR Platt Excavation Fellowships**: Through a generous gift of the late Mrs. Katherine Barton Platt, fellowship funds have been designated to support the participation of ASOR members as volunteers or staff on excavation projects. During the summer of 2009, we anticipate awarding 7-9 fellowships of $1,000 each.

Applicants must be current members of ASOR or students enrolled at an Institutional Member of ASOR. We encourage but do not require Platt Fellows to participate on ASOR affiliated excavations. Preference normally will be given to individuals that have not received support through the Heritage Grant program or other funding sources. Additional preference normally will also be given to applicants who would not usually receive funding (for air fare, lodging or a stipend) from the excavation. Preference is also given to applicants who have not received ASOR funding for excavations in the past two years. Applications from individuals must include the contact information (preferably email) for the Director of the excavation project.

**Application Deadlines**: February 10, 2012

**CONTACT INFORMATION**:  
American Schools of Oriental Research  
Located at Boston University
Eta Sigma Phi H.R. Butts Summer Scholarship for Fieldwork in Classical Archaeology

**Eligibility:** Active membership in Eta Sigma Phi
Preference will be given to undergraduates who have had not yet had experience in archaeological fieldwork, but experienced fieldworkers and graduate students are also welcome to apply.

**Award:** $2000 to support fieldwork experience at an archaeological site in the Greco-Roman world.

**Application:**
[http://department.monm.edu/classics/esp/scholarships/fieldworkapplication.html](http://department.monm.edu/classics/esp/scholarships/fieldworkapplication.html)
Applicants will submit a transcript of all undergraduate work, two (2) letters of recommendation, and a statement not to exceed 500 words, stating briefly their background and preparation for the program to which they are applying, and how participation in this program fits their future plans. The Committee expects applicants to have contacted the director of their preferred field school(s).

**Deadline (receipt):** February 1st.

**For further information and questions, please contact the Committee Chair:**
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