



Rotary Peace Fellowships

Definition Rotary Peace Fellowships are awarded to scholars to pursue a master's degree in international relations, sustainable development, peace studies, or a related field (15-24 months of study depending on the institution) and a three-month applied field experience. A second program offers a professional development certificate in peace and conflict resolution (Thailand only; 3 months).

Eligibility Candidates for the Peace Fellowships will have completed a bachelor's degree and 3-5 years of work or volunteer experience. They must demonstrate a deep, lasting commitment to peace. Rotary Peace Fellows become leaders promoting national and international cooperation, peace, and successful conflict resolution throughout their lives, in their careers, and through service. Family members of Rotarians are not eligible for Peace Fellowships.

Study Sites

Duke University, United States (not available to US citizens)
Tokyo International Christian University, Japan
University of Bradford, England
University of Queensland, Australia
Uppsala University, Sweden
Chulalongkorn University, Thailand (3-month certificate program only)

Funding The scholarships include transportation, room and board, tuition, fees, and a stipend.

Goals All of Rotary's scholarship programs – high school, college, graduate school, and certificate – are designed to promote global understanding and peace.

Timeline

Applications due to local Rotary Clubs: **April 10, 2016**
Club candidates' applications forwarded to District 5950: **May 1, 2016**
District in-person interviews of selected Club candidates: **early June, 2016**
Selected District candidates' applications forwarded to The Rotary Foundation: **July 1, 2016**
Recipients notified: **November 2016** for study in **2017-2018**

For more information and to apply, contact

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Visit <http://www.rotary.org/foundation/programs.html> (application at *Students and Youth*)