

INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS & SUMMER PROGRAM

Want to make a difference in the world? Consider a career as a Foreign Service Officer (diplomat), representing the American people around the world. Howard University administers three unique fellowships that provide funding for graduate school, internships, mentorship, and professional development activities that lead to careers in the Foreign Service: the U.S. Department of State's Charles B. Rangel and Thomas R. Pickering Fellowship programs and USAID's Donald M. Payne Fellowship. The programs aim to enhance the excellence and diversity of the Foreign Service and encourage the application of members of minority groups historically underrepresented in the Foreign Service, women, and those with financial need. Those who become Foreign Service Officers through these programs will have a uniquely rewarding career advancing U.S. and global interests.

CHARLES B. RANGEL INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

The Charles B. Rangel Fellowship awards 30 fellowships of up to \$37,500 annually for two years for tuition, room, board, books, and mandatory fees for completion of two-year master's degree at U.S. institutions around the country. Fellows can pursue graduate degrees in areas of relevance to the Foreign Service, including public administration, public policy, business administration, economics, or international affairs. Fellows also receive funding for two summer internships, one on Capitol Hill in Washington and another abroad at an Embassy or Consulate. Throughout the program, fellows receive personalized mentoring and professional development opportunities. Upon successful completion of the program, fellows join the Foreign Service. Learn more about the program at www.rangelprogram.org.

THOMAS R. PICKERING FOREIGN AFFAIRS GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

The Thomas R. Pickering Fellowship awards 30 fellowships of up to \$37,500 annually for a two-year period for tuition, room, board, books, and mandatory fees for completion of two-year master's degree at U.S. institutions around the country. Fellows can pursue graduate degrees in areas of relevance to the Foreign Service, including public administration, public policy, business administration, economics, or international affairs. Fellows also receive funding to complete two internships, one domestic at the U.S. Department of State in Washington, DC and the other

abroad at an Embassy or Consulate. Throughout the program, fellows receive personalized mentoring and professional development opportunities. Upon successful completion of the program, fellows join the Foreign Service. Learn more about the program at www.pickeringprogram.org.

DONALD M. PAYNE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FELLOWSHIP

The Donald M. Payne Fellowship Program awards 10 fellowships of up to \$38,000 annually for a two-year period for tuition, room, board, books, and mandatory fees for completion of two-year master's degree at U.S. institutions around the country. Fellows can pursue graduate degrees in areas of relevance to international development or a related subject such as international relations, economics, public health, business administration, agriculture, environmental sciences, or urban planning. Upon graduation, fellows receive appointments as Foreign Service Officers with USAID. Learn more about the program at www.paynefellows.org.

FELLOWSHIP ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Candidates must be U.S. citizens.
- Candidates must have cumulative GPA of 3.2 or higher on 4.0 scale at the time of applying.
- Candidates must seek admission to a two-year, full-time, on-campus, master's degree program at a U.S.-based graduate institution in a field relevant to Foreign Service starting in fall of the year for which they are applying.

CHARLES B. RANGEL SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

The Charles B. Rangel International Affairs Summer Enrichment Program is a six-week summer program designed to provide undergraduate students with a deeper appreciation of current issues and trends in international affairs, greater understanding of career opportunities in international affairs, and the enhanced knowledge and skills to pursue such careers. The Program selects 15 participants each year from universities throughout the United States. Students live at Howard University, attend for-credit classes, visit and meet with a wide range of professionals working in international affairs, and participate in a variety of programs with foreign affairs professionals at Howard and at diverse locations around Washington, D.C. Selected candidates are covered for summer program tuition, travel, housing and two meals per day; plus \$3,200 stipend. **Eligibility requirements:** U.S. citizenship, full-time undergraduate student with at least sophomore status, and a minimum GPA of 3.2 on a 4.0 scale. Learn more at www.rangelprogram.org.

