



PACIFIC FORUM FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Pacific Forum is accepting applications for resident and non-resident James A. Kelly Korean Studies Fellowship and WSD-Handa Fellowship. The non-resident Vasey Fellowship is also open for application. The deadline to apply is October 31.

Applications are currently open for:

- [Resident Kelly Fellowship](#)
- [Non-resident Kelly Fellowship](#)
- [Resident WSD-Handa Fellowship](#)
- [Non-resident WSD Handa Fellowship](#)
- [Non-resident Vasey Fellowship](#)

Since 2002, Pacific Forum has hosted over 100 resident fellows from 21 countries. Pacific Forum's fellowship programs offer promising scholars and young professionals the opportunity to serve as researchers with Pacific Forum and develop hands-on expertise on Indo-Pacific policy issues.

Resident fellows are based in Hawaii to conduct research under the mentorship of Pacific Forum staff and to help with ongoing projects and programs. Pacific Forum is closely monitoring the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak and following the latest guidance from the Office of the Mayor, City and County of Honolulu and the State of Hawaii emergency order currently in effect. Resident Fellows may be adjusted to be a hybrid program with a virtual start on Jan. 1, 2022, with the possibility of conversion to an in-person resident fellowship at Pacific Forum offices in Honolulu if and when conditions permit.

Non-resident fellows conduct research from their home country under the mentorship of Pacific Forum staff and affiliates. Learn more about the Pacific Forum's fellowships here: <https://pacforum.org/program/fellowships>.

The **James A. Kelly Korean Studies Fellowship** promotes academic study, research, and professional career paths focused on Korean Peninsula studies. It recognizes the exemplary efforts of [Jim Kelly](#) to improve US-ROK relations and encourage the DPRK to denuclearize and join the international community of nations. The overall objective of the fellowship is to promote stronger US-ROK, US-DPRK, and inter-Korean relations. To apply for the Kelly Fellowship, please **complete the [Resident](#) and/or [Non-resident](#) Kelly Fellowship online application form.**

The **WSD-Handa Fellowship** Program was established through the generosity of the Worldwide Support for Development and [Dr. Handa Haruhisha](#) to increase East Asian, US, and European participation in Pacific Forum programs. WSD-Handa Fellows should already have some knowledge of East Asian security and economic developments and should use this fellowship as an opportunity to take a more in-depth look into these issues and offer solutions for improvement. To apply for the WSD-Handa Fellowship, please **complete the [Resident](#) or [Non-resident](#) WSD-Handa Fellowship online application form.**

The **Lloyd and Lilian Vasey Fellowship** program is named after Pacific Forum founder, the late Lloyd R. "Joe" Vasey and his wife Lilian. The Vasey Fellowship affords promising scholars from outside the US the opportunity to serve as researchers at the Pacific Forum and to develop hands-on expertise on US-Asia policy issues and

gain an appreciation of Indo-Pacific economic and security affairs and policymaking challenges. To apply for the Vasey Fellowship, please complete the [Non-resident Vasey Fellowship online application form](#).

The deadline to apply is Oct. 31. For any questions or concerns about Pacific Forum fellowship programs, please contact programs@pacforum.org.