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ASCSA PROGRAM FOR STUDY IN GREECE

The American School of Classical Studies at Athens offers incomparable opportunities and programs for graduate students enrolled in U.S. and Canadian institutions to research, travel, and excavate in Greece. Facilities include three major libraries, a scientific laboratory, extensive archives, two excavation study centers at the Athenian Agora and Corinth, and a residence hall in central Athens providing room and board.

The ASCSA accepts and provides fellowships to two categories of students: Regular Members who participate in the full academic year program and Associate Members who pursue independent research.

REGULAR MEMBERS

Application Deadline: January 15, 2022

Eligibility: Regular Membership is open to citizens of the United States or Canada who are graduate students at a college or university in those countries, or to non-citizens enrolled in a graduate program at a [cooperating institution](#). The U.S. or Canadian citizen must be enrolled at a U.S. or Canadian institute at the time of application. Preferably applicants will have completed one or more years of graduate study before entering the School, but well qualified undergraduate seniors who shall hold a baccalaureate degree at the time of entry shall be considered for admission and for the fellowship competition. Applicants are expected to have reading knowledge of French and German. Reading ability in Ancient Greek, some familiarity with modern Greek, as well as other relevant foreign languages will be helpful. It is the policy of the School not to discriminate in awarding admission or fellowships for Regular Membership on the basis of age, sex, sexual orientation, race, color, religion, national or ethnic origin, or disability. For in-depth details on eligibility, see the School's [Regulations](#) (Section VI.1-3).

Program: The Regular Program runs from early September to late May. The program requires participation in the School's fall and winter trips, covering much of the Greek mainland and Crete. During the winter, visits to sites in Attica and Euboea, museum visits, and seminars in Athens are required, with some additional trips. In the spring, members may participate in the School's excavations at Corinth, pursue independent research, and/or participate in optional trips. Regular Members are expected to be in residence at the School throughout the academic year.

For more information link to: <https://www.ascsa.edu.gr/programs/regular-member-program>

Fellowships: Fellows receive a cash stipend of \$11,500, plus room and board at Loring Hall, and waiver of School fees. Room, board, and other expenses on field trips outside Athens are paid out of the stipend. Fellowships are awarded on the basis of application material, recommendations, and anonymous examinations.

Application: An online application and three letters of recommendation must be submitted. Applicants are required to submit scans of official academic transcripts as part of the online application. Applicants must also take the qualifying examination. Examinations are held on the first Saturday in February. Information about the application and exams is available at: <https://www.ascsa.edu.gr/apply/apply-for-regular-membership>

Applications and fellowship information are available online after September 1.

Web site: <https://www.ascsa.edu.gr/programs/regular-member-program>

Questions? Contact: application@ascsa.org

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Application Deadline: Various and Rolling

Eligibility: Advanced graduate students in classical and ancient Mediterranean studies, post-classical Greek studies, or related fields who have a specific project that requires extended residence in Greece. Candidates for Associate Membership should clearly state their specific reasons for seeking to work at the School.

Program: Generally, Student Associate Members pursue independent research although they may also participate in the activities of the Regular Program when space allows.

Fellowships: Information is available at:

<https://www.ascsa.edu.gr/fellowships-and-grants>. Review and follow the guidelines and deadlines for each specific fellowship application. Only returning or former ASCSA members are eligible for the Advanced Fellowships. Advanced Fellows are expected to share the results of their research in a formal public presentation at the School or elsewhere in Greece.

For first time applicants not applying for a fellowship: An application consists of an application form, letters of recommendation, and a detailed statement of the project to be pursued in Greece submitted online. Applicants are required to submit pdf scans of official academic transcripts as part of the online application. For more information about the application, visit the ASCSA web site at: <https://www.ascsa.edu.gr/apply/types-of-membership-1>.

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