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Fellowships 1987/1988 in thé United States

1. At the Institute of International Studies, University of California, Berkeley

For the first time, the Community institutions have been invited to send a senior official as Fellow to the Institute of International Studies at the University of California, Berkeley, for the academic year 1987/88.

Profile and role of the Fellow

The Institute informed us that it envisages the visiting EC Fellow as a senior Commission figure who, in spending a year at DC Berkeley, could bring European (not strictly national) perspectives to teaching, research and discussion at Berkeley on a variety of issues in which Europe and the United States share interest. The Institute of International Studies concentrates, in general, on international economic and political issues, security issues and international relations. It is broad enough to accommodate international interests in a variety of fields such as law, energy and resources, development and so on. In the future, the Institute would like to have EC experts from a variety of these fields come to Berkeley to share perspective and to enrich thinking on both sides of the Atlantic.

The Institute assures that ample opportunity would exist for the EC Fellow to participate in lectures, discussions, teaching conferences and continuing research colloquia at the University. The Institute sponsors a wide range of special guest lectures, small group luncheons and dinners, conferences and colloquia in which the Fellow may be involved. Through excellent relations with local organizations such as the World Affairs Council of Northern California, he/she would also have opportunities to address general audiences and to participate in the international affairs community beyond the Berkeley campus, including Sacramento. It is assumed that the EC Fellow may also have his or her own research interests and Berkeley would provide the means for the individual to pursue such research on the campus. The Institute has its own publication programme which might accept policy papers or research monographs for publication, if an EC Fellow were to submit an acceptable manuscript.

One of the important roles the Institute envisages for the EC Fellow is to help define and encourage the Institute's strong interest in developing a West Coast locus of modern European studies at Berkeley. By the time the first EC Fellow arrives (1987-1988), the Institute expects to have such a locus of European studies well defined; a variety of activities under this heading are already well under way.

The Institute of International Studies has an established visiting scholars programme, attracting scholars from many countries each year. This programme is currently being expanded.

The semester runs from mid-August to December and the end of January to mid-May.

2. At the Center for International Affairs, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

For the eleventh consecutive year, the Community institutions will send a senior official to the Center for International Affairs at Harvard University, as a Fellow for the academic year September 1987 to June 1988; applications are invited from suitably qualifie

candidates at A3 Level or preferably higher.

Fellowship at the C.F.I.A.

The principal objectives of the Center for International Affairs are to encourage interdisciplinary research on major problems in the field of international affairs and to promote and pursue an interest in international affairs at Harvard University, largely through informal educational activities among faculty members, fellows, research associates, students and various other groups.

Each year the Center gathers a group of about twenty people involved in international affairs, mainly senior officials from various countries around the world, who spend a full academic year as fellows of the Center doing intensive study.

Each Fellow conducts research and writes a paper on a topic of his or her choice, of interest to the Center. Fellows also participate in seminars and attend and deliver lectures in their special fields. Among themselves, they hold weekly meetings to discuss issues of common concern. There are frequent encounters with distinguished visitors from public life and universities in the U.S.A. and abroad. In recent years, Fellows themselves have visited Europe, Canada, and Washington for consultations with government and European Community officials.

The Center takes broad interest in European Community policies. Areas of particular interest include the role of the European Community in the world (e.g. international relations of a strategic, political or commercial character), the evolution of Community institutions, as well as Community policies in the field of new technologies, for example.

Besides participating in seminars on a wide variety of topics in international affairs organised by the Center, the Commission Fellow would also be associated with the Center for European Studies, and would in this capacity be required to animate the continuing "Seminar on the European Community", and to share the Chairmanship of the Seminar with a senior member of the Faculty of C.F.I.A.

In addition, he/she might be asked by other departments of Harvard University to organise or help to organise courses, seminars or study groups on some aspects of the European Community. He/she could also be asked by the Commission's Washington Delegation to speak on other occasions.

BERKELEY/HARVARD FELLOWSHIPS

Selection criteria

So far as the EC institutions are concerned, the main selection criteria will be the overall calibre of the candidate, taking account of his/her intellectual vigour, analytical capacity, his/her degree of personal initiative, originality in writing and discussion and his/her general knowledge of European Community Policies; the subject of personal study, chosen amongst those which interest both the Commission and the IIS/CFIA will be subject to the approval of the Selection Committee.

Qualifications required

- Minimum of five years' experience as an official of one of the Community institutions;
- A3 level or higher (Harvard);
- Good command of the English language, both written and oral;
- High degree of personal initiative and organizational talent;
- Good knowledge of Community policies and US-EC relations in general as well as trade questions in particular;
- Ability to contribute to teaching, research and discussion on the European Community;
- Excellent knowledge of a particular policy of the European Community, which will be the subject of special study in the IIS/CFIA, to be defined in the application (please include a one-page description).

Conditions

The special terms will be extra-statutory and their duration will be strictly limited to the academic year at Berkeley as well as Harvard (9-10 months), plus a week beforehand for installation.

The candidates will be reimbursed the reasonable cost of suitable furnished accommodation, within the ceiling permitted for mission hotel expenses (currently 3.000,- BFR a day) and will be paid a daily allowance of 1.537,- BFR (A1-A3) or 1.200,- BFR (other grades), applying by analogy the reduction in respect of missions

of Long duration; no derogation from this reduction will be accorded.

Apart from the initial return flight, the unaccompanied Fellow will be reimbursed the cost of 2 return flights to Brussels (or Luxembourg) during the Fellowship. No such return flights will be accorded to candidates accompanied by their families.

All flights will be on the basis of the most economic rates available, and the weight of personal luggage and necessary documents will be limited to 250 kg on the initial journey and on return.

3. GUEST SCHOLARSHIP AT THE BROOKINGS INSTITUTION, WASHINGTON P.C.

The EC Institutions again plan to send a Guest Scholar to the Brookings Institution for a period which normally extends from January to the following June but which can be varied, since Brookings is not bound by the academic year (for example, the present Commission scholar chose September to February); applications are invited from qualified candidates, preferably at AS level or above, to replace the eighth Community Guest Scholar there.

The Brookings Institution has developed over fifty years as a centre for non-partisan research on issues of importance to U.S. society in general and to governmental policy-making in particular, and it enjoys outstanding prestige in U.S. policy-making circles. The guest scholarship may be seen as an opportunity to contribute to research and to the formulation of policies which could have a real impact on relations between the U.S. and the European Community.

Brookings offers three resources to the guest scholar:

- access to leading specialists in the particular field of research;
- easy access to government officials;
- good library services.

The guest scholar usually works in close contact with a Senior Fellow, who will also help to establish connections with suitable

people outside Brookings. The contribution of the guest scholar to the work of the Institution is expected in terms of discussion and communication of research results with Fellows in the same or related fields.

Research Topics

Candidates may suggest their own topics for research, which must be those likely to be in the forefront of public policy interest both in Europe and in the United States during the period of the scholarship. Contacts with the Brookings Institution suggest that such topics might include:

- Competitiveness - labour market + industrial policy taxation
- Social Policy - medical care costs
welfare/poverty
aging population
social security
- Macro Economics - eco-forecasting
inflation/deflation

International Economics

Conditions

The special terms will be extra-statutory, and their duration will be strictly limited to the length of the scholarship (6 months), plus a week beforehand for installation.

The candidate will be reimbursed the reasonable cost of suitable furnished accommodation, within the ceiling permitted for mission hotel expenses (currently 3.000,- BFR a day) and will be paid a daily allowance of 1.537,- BFR (A1-A3) or 1.200,- BFR (other grades), applying by analogy the reduction in respect of missions of long duration; no derogation from this reduction will be accorded.

Apart from the initial return flight, the unaccompanied Brookings Scholar will be reimbursed the cost of 1 return flight to Brussels (or Luxembourg) during the scholarship. No such return flight will be accorded to candidates accompanied by their family.

All flights will be on the basis of the most economic rates available and the weight of personal luggage and necessary documents will be limited to 250 kg on the initial journey and on return.

Applications

- Applications should be sent on the form below

Commission candidates:

- 1 copy to be sent direct to Mrs. U. Conrad, DG IX, LOI 57, 8-6

All candidates, including those from the Commission:

- 1 copy to be sent to the Director-General for Personnel and Administration via your superiors
- EACH SHOULD BE ACCOMPANIED BY A BRIEF CURRICULUM VITAE AND A ONE-PAGE DESCRIPTION OF THE SUBJECT OF SPECIAL STUDY
- Closing date: 10 working days after publication
- Interviews: 3 weeks after publication

APPLICATION FOR 1987/88

for the

- Fellowship at the Institute of International Studies, University of California, Berkeley*
- Fellowship at the Harvard University Centre for International Affairs*
- Guest Scholarship at the Brookings Institution*

Name Pers.No.

Forename Grade

Present Post

Office Address Tel.

Subject of Study

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