

2nd ROUND OF ACADEMIC YEAR 2017-18 FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES (FLAS) FELLOWSHIPS FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

CLACS is accepting applications for a Graduate Academic Year 2017-18 FLAS for Graduate studies interested in studying Quechua (applications for Portuguese may be considered as well).

FLAS Fellowships support graduate and undergraduate study in modern foreign languages in combination with area studies, international studies, or international or area aspects of professional studies.

FLAS Fellowships are administered by the University of Illinois National Resource Centers and are awarded competitively through an annual competition. Students from all departments and professional schools are encouraged to apply. For more information, please see the FLAS website at: <http://www.flas.illinois.edu>

Graduate students receive full tuition, mandatory fees, and a stipend of \$15,000 during the academic year (9 months) For more information on Fellowships, please see the [Illinois FLAS Fellowship website](http://publish.illinois.edu/illinoisflas/aboutflas/) <http://publish.illinois.edu/illinoisflas/aboutflas/>

Eligibility:

- Student must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Current or former FLAS fellows may apply; priority is given to applicants for a first or second FLAS
- The FLAS award is generally for intermediate or advanced study of the language; however an exception might be made for the beginning level language if a graduate student has achieved advanced proficiency in another language of the world area of specialization (Latin America and the Caribbean)
- Currently must be enrolled as a graduate student OR must have been admitted to a graduate program
- Must be in good standing with the graduate college
- May carry no more than 25% time assistantship while holding a CLACS FLAS fellowship

FLAS Requirements:

- Each semester must be enrolled full-time (twelve credit hours)
- Each semester must be enrolled for graded credit in a formal language instruction course in the language of the award as well as in an area studies course

To be considered please send in ONE PDF to Alejandra Seufferheld (amsseu@illinois.edu)

- **Unofficial Transcripts from UIUC**
- **Statement of purpose of why you are interested in learning Quechua**
- **One letter of recommendation from your advisor (to be sent directly to Alejandra Seufferheld at amsseu@illinois.edu)**

DEADLINE: APRIL 28, 2017

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