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Graduation Year: _____
Major 1: _____
Major 2: _____
Major 3: _____
Minor(s): _____
Academic Advisor(s): _____

Student ID: _____

Hometown: _____
Concentration: _____
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Humanity In Action Fellowship

Award Details:

Emphasis:

Academic

Research

Language

Experiential

International

Brief Description:

The Humanity in Action Fellowship brings together international groups of Fellows to study minority rights and produce original research exploring how and why individuals and societies, past and present, have resisted intolerance and protected democratic values. Separate programs take place for five weeks every summer in Amsterdam, Atlanta, Berlin, Copenhagen, Sarajevo, and Warsaw.

The objective of the Humanity in Action Fellowship programs is to facilitate a collective exploration of the social and political roots of discrimination, as well as to provide a forum where potential solutions to some of today's most challenging issues can be considered and discussed. The programs are also intended to instill a responsibility among Humanity in Action Fellows to recognize and address the need to protect minorities and promote human rights—in their own communities and around the world.

Humanity in Action covers the costs of participation and accommodation during the fellowship programs. However, all Fellows will be responsible for financing the cost of round-trip airfare from the United States to their program city. Humanity in Action will cover this cost for Fellows with documented need. Although Humanity in Action provides a modest stipend for meals, Fellows should also plan to bring spending money of approximately \$750 for food and social activities during the fellowship program. For the John Lewis program, Fellows will be responsible for financing the cost of round-trip airfare to and from Atlanta.

Can The Award Be Deferred? No

Can The Award Be Renewed? No

Scholarship Conditions:

Applicants to the Humanity in Action Fellowship must be currently enrolled undergraduate students (sophomores, juniors and seniors) or recent graduates. For the 2018 Fellowship, we define recent graduates as individuals from the undergraduate classes of 2016 and 2017 at accredited, four-year undergraduate colleges or universities in the United States. Applicants for the Detroit Fellowship are eligible to apply if they have completed their undergraduate degrees as late as 2015. Applicants of minority backgrounds are strongly encouraged to apply.

If you are an American citizen studying at a foreign university, you are eligible to apply to the Humanity in Action Fellowship through the United States. If you are an American student studying at a university in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Denmark, France, Germany, the Netherlands or Poland, you may be eligible to apply through the Humanity in Action offices in those countries. Please contact those offices directly to confirm your eligibility.

If you are a non-US citizen studying at a university in the United States, you are eligible to apply to the Humanity in Action Fellowship through the US office.

Applicants may not apply to a program in a specific country and cannot choose their city of participation.

Eligibility:

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| Applicant Education Level: | Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors Undergraduate |
| Specified Majors: | None |
| Open to (Non-US) International Students: | Yes |
| Required to Demonstrate Financial Need: | No |

Candidate Profile: Key Characteristics Sought By Review Committee

Humanity in Action seeks candidates who are passionate about active and responsible citizenship, diversity, and human rights. Successful Humanity in Action candidates and Fellows possess the following characteristics:

- Intellectual Curiosity
 - Humanity in Action seeks candidates who are eager to discuss a range of historical and contemporary topics that drive, challenge, and impact diverse societies. This means that Fellows should be eager to stretch their understanding of these issues beyond their own national contexts and specific fields of study.
- Collaborative Spirit
 - Humanity in Action seeks candidates who thrive in collaborative settings and enjoy discussing challenging issues in culturally and internationally diverse groups. Humanity in Action's pedagogy is based upon collective and intellectually demanding discussion with speakers, peers, and host families. Fellows must possess the social maturity and skills to discuss sensitive topics.
- Open-Mindedness
 - Humanity in Action seeks candidates who are open to challenging their personal convictions. The Humanity in Action Fellowship is not a program that serves to confirm the assumptions of beliefs already held by its Fellows. Instead, the program intends to broaden and stretch the Fellows' understanding of complex human rights issues.
- Entrepreneurial Drive
 - Humanity in Action seeks candidates who are entrepreneurial and innovative in developing Action Projects and careers as active and responsible citizens.
- The average GPA of recipients is 3.5

Selection:

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| Number of Candidates Awarded Each Year: | 47 |
| Interview: | Phone Interview |
| Approximate Date Selected Candidates Are Notified: | Late March / Early April |

Contact Information:

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Information Sessions:

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| Webinars for Candidates: | No |
| Webinars for Advisors: | No |

Website:

Official Website: <https://www.humanityinaction.org/programs/14-humanity-in-action-fellowship>

Additional Information: <https://www.humanityinaction.org/pages/91-call-for-applications>

Application:

Date Application is Available: Late September

Application Due Date: January 8, 2018 at 11:59 PST

Application Must Be Submitted By: Candidate

Institutional Endorsement Required: No

Institutional Cover Letter Required: No

Online Application:

| <i>The online application includes the following sections</i> | Deadline | Date Completed |
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| Register and create online application account. | 1/8/2018 | _____ |