POTENTIAL ALTERNATIVE SOURCES

Since SAIS Europe funds are limited, all candidates in need of financial assistance are encouraged to SEEK ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF ASSISTANCE. The following reference list should serve as an EXAMPLE of channels through which financial aid might be accessible.

CANDIDATES SHOULD approach these institutions directly for funding. This is not a comprehensive list. You are strongly encouraged to conduct your own research and we welcome your input.

MULTINATIONAL REFERENCES

- **Aga Khan Foundation**, Provides scholarships each year for postgraduate studies to outstanding students from select developing countries who have no other means of financing their studies. http://www.akdn.org/akf_scholarships.asp


- **Asia Foundation**, 465 California Street, 14th Floor, San Francisco CA-94104, Tel: (415) 9824640, fax: (415) 392-8863, email: sf.general@asiafoundation.org . http://asiafoundation.org/

- **Global Student Loan Corporation**, Empire State Building, 350 Fifth Avenue, Suite 2416, New York, NY 10118 Telephone: 212.736.9666; Fax: 212.736.6536 E-mail: info@globalslc.com Webpage: www.globalslc.com (Thanks to a collaborative agreement with Johns Hopkins University, they offer loans to international students (no US cosigner needed – check list of eligible countries in their webpage) for study in the USA and in Italy.)


- **Inter-American Development Bank**, Integration and Regional Programs Department, 1300 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20577. Tel: (202) 623-1000. Fax: (202) 623-3096 (www.iadb.org/). Awards fellowships to students from developing countries, who have had at least two years of work experience in public sector development-related activities.

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- **Inter-American Foundation Fellowship Programs**, 901 North Stuart Street, 10th Floor, Dept. 555, Arlington VA 22203 USA. Awards fellowships to Latin American citizens (except Cuba) pursuing a PhD. https://www.iaf.gov/our-work/fellowships.


- **Joint Japan/World Bank Graduate Scholarship Program (JJ/WBGSP)**, 1818 H Street, NW - MSN J2-204 Washington, DC 20433 USA (Tel.: +1 (202) 473-1000; Fax: +1 (202) 477-6391; Awards fellowships to students from developing countries.

- **Lambda Alpha International**, Contact: Terry Stevenson 710 East Ogden Avenue, Suite 600 Naperville, IL 60563-8614. Tel: 480.719.7407, fax: 602.532.7865. Website: https://www.lai.org/ Awards a grant up to $3000.

- **Mellon International Dissertation Research Fellowship**, Social Science Research Council. Offers support to graduate students of all nationalities in the humanities and humanistic social sciences who are enrolled in PhD programs in the United States and conducting dissertation research on non-US topics. https://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/view/idrf-fellowship/.


- **National Education Foundation**, Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc. 1734 New Hampshire Ave., NW Washington Dc 20009 USA. Tel: (202) 387-3103. Email: info@zetaphibetasororityhq.org. Award grants to graduate women of any nationality with unrestricted field of study. Web site: http://www.zpbnef1975.org/scholarships-and-descriptions/.

- **OFID - The OPEC Fund for International Development**, Parkring 8, A-1010 Vienna, Austria. Tel: +43-1-515 64-0. Fax: +43-1-513 92 38. Email: info@ofid.org. Awards fellowships to students from developing countries, who have obtained or are on the verge of completing their undergraduate degree. http://www.ofid.org/FOCUS-AREAS/Beyond-the-scope/ScholarshipAward.


- **Organization of American States – Academic Scholarships**, scholarships for citizens of OAS member states to pursue graduate or doctoral degrees, as well as graduate research. http://www.oas.org/en/scholarships/regular_program.asp.


• **Point Foundation Scholarship**, empowers promising LGBTQ graduate students to achieve their full academic and leadership potential – despite the obstacles often put before them – to make a significant impact on society. https://pointfoundation.org/point-apply/apply-now/.

• **The Rotary Foundation**, various scholarship and grant opportunities. See https://www.rotary.org/ and contact your local Rotary club.

• **UNESCO**, UNESCO has commissions in different countries. Please inquire at your local UNESCO office. www.unesco.org.

• **World Bank – The Margaret McNamara Memorial Fund**, Must be a woman from a developing country, committed to improving conditions for women in developing countries. http://www.mmeg.org/.


• **Zawadi Africa Education Fund**, Provides scholarships to academically gifted girls from disadvantaged backgrounds from Africa to pursue higher education in the US. Lenana Road, Kilimani, Cathy Flats, Suite No. 4, P.O. Box 59949-00200, Nairobi, Kenya. Tel: +254202305655. Email: info@zawadiafrica.org. Website: http://zawadiafrica.org/wp/

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