

Call for Applications
EALC Graduate Summer Fellowships, 2021
Deadline: March 29

Dear EALC Graduate Students,

The Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures is announcing a limited number of competitive EALC Graduate Summer Fellowships for Summer 2021. The typical amount of the award will be around \$2000 with possible adjustment based on available funding.

The purpose of the fellowship is to encourage you to:

- undertake research that will lead to publications, enhance the quality of your Ph.D dissertation or MA thesis, and advance your career development;

and/or

- take a summer course or participate a summer workshop that will help you develop language or other research skills needed for your Ph.D. dissertation or M.A. thesis project.

The proposals will be reviewed by the EALC Admission and Fellowships Committee. The evaluation will be based on the strength of your proposal, the recommendation letter, and previous academic records. Applicants for this EALC Graduate Summer Fellowship or recipients of any other fellowship/assistantship are NOT eligible to apply for the 2021 EALC Graduate Summer Assistantship.

The deadline of the submission is **March 29**. Please submit your application to Professor Shao Dan (danshao@illinois.edu) with the subject title "Application: EALC Graduate Summer Fellowship" and with the following documents:

- (1) Your research proposal that includes a project description/study plan and a research/study timetable (three-page limit, single space, Times New Roman/TNR 12-point font)
- (2) Your recent CV
- (3) Your advisor's recommendation letter (to be submitted directly to Professor Shao)
- (4) A one-page report of the outcome of 2020 EALC Graduate Research Fellowships if applicable

Award notifications will be sent out in mid-April.

All awardees are required to submit a one-page progress report (single space, TNR 12-point font or another font of similar size) by the end of Fall 2021.

SHAO Dan (DGS, Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures) & Misumi Sadler, Alexander Mayer, and Myoung-Sun Song (EALC Graduate Admissions and Fellowships Committee Members, Department of East Asian Languages and Cultures)