

## **Transatlantic Post-Doc Fellowship for International Relations and Security Call for Applications**

The Transatlantic Post-Doc Fellowship for International Relations and Security is open to candidates who have recently received their doctorate in social and political sciences or economics and whose research focuses on topics of international relations and security. Fellowships are granted for 24 months with a view to preparing Fellows for an international career in policy oriented research. Fellows have three eight-month stays at research institutions or think tanks participating in the program – at least one on the Eastern, and one on the Western side of the Atlantic.

Participating institutes include Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, Institut français des relations internationales (IFRI), European Union Institute for Security Studies (EUISS), RAND Corporation, Chatham House, SAIS Center for Transatlantic Relations, the Institute for Strategic and International Studies (IEEI), and the German Institute for International and Security Affairs/ Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik (SWP).

Fellows will have a supervising researcher at each host institute while being integrated into the relevant research units or projects.

The fellowship consists of a monthly stipend of €2,000 and a one-time travel allowance of €3,500 for travel to and from the host institutions.

### **How to apply**

To be eligible for the Transatlantic Post-Doc Fellowship, candidates must have successfully defended their PhD at the time of the start of the fellowship (1 October 2006). An exception can be made for candidates who can prove that their thesis has been accepted by the jury and requires no further work. Candidates must have strong interest in working in a policy-oriented international environment and must demonstrate their ability to do so by previous study abroad experience. Candidates should apply with:

- an outline of their proposed research project (approximately four pages in length), including information of how this relates to current research and the research programmes and units of the institutes in which candidates wish to spend their fellowship
- Curriculum Vitae including a list of publications and two references

Applications should be sent as pdf-files to [transatlanticfellowship@swp-berlin.org](mailto:transatlanticfellowship@swp-berlin.org) by June 15, 2006. Incomplete or late applications will not be considered. Successful candidates will be informed by mid-July.

### **Selection**

Fellows will be selected by a jury composed of members of the participating institutes. Selection criteria are the academic excellence of the candidate and the quality of the research proposal. The decision of the jury is final and no appeal is possible. All candidates are informed of the outcome of their applications by e-mail.

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