ASCSA PROGRAM FOR STUDY IN GREECE
Application Deadline: January 15, 2018

The American School of Classical Studies at Athens offers incomparable opportunities and programs for graduate students enrolled in US and Canadian institutions to research, travel, and excavate in Greece. Facilities include two major libraries, a scientific laboratory, extensive archives, two excavation study centers at the Athenian Agora and Corinth, and a residence hall in central Athens providing room and board.

The ASCSA accepts and provides fellowships to two categories of students: Regular Members who participate in the full academic year program and Associate Members who pursue independent research. Please note that for the 2018-2019 academic year, the Blegen and Gennadius libraries may be closed for up to six months between January and June for reorganization; members of the School will continue to have access to other facilities of the School and other libraries in Athens.

REGULAR MEMBERS

Eligibility: Students preparing for an advanced degree in classical and ancient Mediterranean studies, post-classical Greek studies or a related field. Well-qualified students with a B.A. will be considered for admission and fellowships, although preference is given to those who have completed at least one year of graduate study.

Program: The Regular Program from early September to June 1. The program requires participation in the School’s fall trips, covering much of the Greek mainland. During the winter, topography sessions, museum visits, and seminars in Athens are required, with some additional trips. In the spring members normally participate in the School’s excavations at Corinth and have time for independent research and optional trips. Regular Members are expected to be in residence at the School throughout the academic year.


Fellowships: Fellows receive a cash stipend of $11,500 plus room, board and waiver of School fees. Up to 12 are available, awarded on the basis of transcripts, recommendations and examinations. Information is available at: http://www.ascsa.edu.gr/index.php/admission-membership/grants.

Application: Consists of an application form and three letters of recommendation submitted online. Applicants are required to submit legible pdf scans of academic transcripts as part of the online application. Please visit the ASCSA web site for more information about the application: http://www.ascsa.edu.gr/index.php/admission-membership/regular. Examinations in Greek language, history, literature, and archaeology (two of four are required) are held on the first Saturday in February. Application fee: $50.

Applications and fellowship information are available online after September 1.

Web site: www.ascsa.edu.gr or http://www.ascsa.edu.gr/index.php/programs/academic

E-mail: application@ascsa.org

Applicants will be notified by mid-March.
ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Eligibility: Advanced graduate students in classical and ancient Mediterranean studies, post-classical Greek studies, or related fields who have a specific project that requires extended residence in Greece. Candidates for Associate Membership should clearly state their specific reasons for seeking to work at the School.

Program: Generally Student Associate Members pursue independent research although they may also participate in the activities of the Regular Program when space allows.

Fellowships: Information is available at:
http://www.ascsa.edu.gr/index.php/admission-membership/grants/. Only returning ASCSA members are eligible for the seven Advanced Fellowships.

Application: Consists of an application form, letters of recommendation, and a detailed statement of the project to be pursued in Greece submitted online. Applicants are required to submit legible pdf scans of academic transcripts as part of the online application. For more information about the application, visit the ASCSA web site at:
http://www.ascsa.edu.gr/index.php/admission-membership/student-associate-membership/. Review and follow the guidelines of the specific program of the fellowship for deadline date and number of recommendations to submit.

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The ASCSA is open generally to qualified students and scholars at colleges or universities in the U.S. or Canada; restrictions may apply for specific programs and fellowships. The ASCSA does not discriminate on the basis of race, age, sex, sexual orientation, color, religion, ethnic origin, or disability when considering admission to any form of membership or application for employment.