

A GRANT FROM THE HENRY LUCE FOUNDATION HAS MADE POSSIBLE

AN EXCHANGE PROGRAM FOR GRADUATE
STUDENTS STUDYING RELIGION
BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE
REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA

The program:

In 2009 *five* graduate students from the United States will be chosen to study at the *Indonesian Consortium for Religious Studies* (ICRS-Yogya) and the *Center for Religious and Cross-Cultural Studies* (CRCS) at Gadjah Mada University (UGM) in Yogyakarta, Indonesia. The language of instruction there is English. Students selected will be fully funded for all expenses.

Students may choose between:

1. A four-month Spring semester, January 19-May 16, 2009 or
2. A two month Summer session June 1-July 31, 2009.

ICRS-Yogya is a consortium of UGM, the State Islamic University Sunan Kalijaga and Duta Wacana Christian University who together offer a Ph.D. in inter-religious studies. CRCS is a Master's program in religious studies at UGM. They share the same space on the beautiful campus of the Graduate School of UGM. ICRS-Yogya and CRCS enjoy a distinguished, international and inter-religious faculty, and about 70 graduate students who are Muslim, Christian, Buddhist and Hindu.

The place:

Indonesia is the largest Muslim-majority nation in the world and enjoys a history of tolerance that embraces diversity. Yogyakarta is the educational and cultural "capital" of the country. Gadjah Mada University with its 56,000 students is the largest and oldest university in Indonesia and is one of the top universities in Southeast Asia. Students will be housed on or near campus in a city that is safe and welcoming to its large foreign student population.

Students will be fully funded for travel, tuition, per diem costs and health insurance. They will be expected to attend classes and/or pursue research projects relevant to the resources available at The Consortium. Those resources include: faculty from a variety of religious traditions and disciplines, an ethnically diverse student body

from all parts of Indonesia as well as other nations, a wide variety of Non-Governmental Organizations addressing issues of poverty, religious tolerance, gender justice and global peace. Gadjah Mada University, along with the State Islamic University Sunan Kalijaga and Duta Wacana Christian University offer excellent library collections and an abundant array of possible ethnographic projects (either individual or cooperative). For more detailed information go to: <http://www.ics.ugm.ac.id> and <http://www.crcs.ugm.ac.id>
Application forms for this program may be downloaded from either of these websites.

Application procedure:

1. Fill out an ICRS/CRCs Application Form for a Luce Grant to Yogyakarta.
The deadline for applications is **October 31, 2008**.
2. Request your university to send official transcripts of graduate work (Master's and/or Doctoral)
3. Request two confidential letters of recommendation from persons familiar with your academic performance and promise.

All materials must be sent by email directly to the email addresses listed below:

For more information, to request application forms, or to send application materials please contact the following by email:

Dr. John Raines	with CCs to:	bernfar@indosat.net.id
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Notification of decisions will be e-mailed after November 20, 2008.

APPLICATION FOR HENRY LUCE FOUNDATION GRANT
TO SPEND A SUMMER OR SEMESTER STUDYING RELIGION AT
CRCS and ICRRS-Yogya at GADJAH MADA UNIVERSITY
IN YOGYAKARTA, INDONESIA

This Program is open to Master's and Doctoral students in any discipline related to the study of religion and/or the study of Indonesia.

Name: _____

Birth Date: _____ Citizen Of _____ Sex male female

I am applying for:

- 1. The four-month Spring semester, January 19-May 16, 2009 or
- 2. The two month Summer session June 1-July 31, 2009.

I am currently enrolled in a :

- 1. Ph.D. or other Doctoral Program at: _____
- 2. M.A. or other Masters Program at: _____

Please indicate your primary academic discipline and area of specialization:

Permanent Mailing Address : _____
(where mail can always reach you)

Home Phone : _____ Cell Phone : _____

Office Phone : _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

Religious Background: _____

Ethnic Background (optional): _____

Academic Background:

University/Institution Attended after High School Years Attended Degree Obtained/Expected GPA
From To (Incl. Field of Study)

Special Awards or Honors Received

Year Awards/ Honors

Standardized Test Scores Please attach a photocopy of either your GRE (for native English speakers) or TOEFL (for non native-English speakers) test scores. Score Date taken

Graduate Record Exam (GRE) _____

TOEFL or equivalent (Non-native English speakers) _____

Professional History

List your most significant work and/or research experience since university graduation. Start with the most current.

Dates (To-From) Position Name of Institution/Company Responsibility

Most significant Articles/Books/Published Papers/Thesis/Dissertation

Title of publication Publisher, Journal, Magazine or book title Date

Language Proficiency (Rate yourself Excellent, Good, Fair, or Poor)

LANGUAGE	READING	WRITING	SPEAKING

