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APPLICATION DEADLINE

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25/26 Global Fellowship Scheme

ABOUT

The University of St Andrews Global Fellowship Scheme provides prestigious awards to enable talented scholars from around the globe to spend up to one month at St Andrews. Global Fellows will have the opportunity to visit in person and engage virtually with our scholarly community throughout the 2025/26 academic year. Global Fellows will be able to undertake a course of research and study, explore potential collaborations, enhance existing relationships, advance research work, and find the space to think in an inspirational environment.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants should be recognised as a significant scholar in their field or an emerging leader who has made a contribution to original research that extends the frontier of knowledge. Candidates must hold an established academic position, have completed a PhD degree, and be employed in a university or research institute based outside of the UK.

CONDITIONS

Global Fellows will be provided with a stipend during their visit, self-catered accommodation, return airfare, and airport transfers to and from St Andrews. Visits take place between 1 August 2025 and 31 July 2026.

Testimonials

The Global Fellowship experience gave me critical time to work with my research partner on an ongoing co-authored book project. The time to write with each other and to discuss our project with colleagues at the University was invaluable, and the peaceful, scenic setting of St Andrews was highly conducive to our collaborative work. Having time to research, write, and get to know the intellectual community in St Andrews was a privilege and a gift. It was an experience that I will carry with me for the rest of my career.



Dr Jasmine Nadua Trice, University of California, Los Angeles

The Global Fellowship at St Andrews was truly special. Throughout my delightful four-week stay in St Andrews, I had the privilege of immersing myself in the vibrant intellectual community of my host Department, the Department of Film Studies. I also had the opportunity to connect with colleagues from various disciplines such as History, Anthropology, Gender Studies, and Chinese Studies. The serene beauty of nature, as well as the intellectual community, truly fueled my creativity and scholarly pursuits.

Dr Jia Tan, The Chinese University of Hong Kong



The Global Fellowship offers an excellent opportunity to focus on your research in an exciting and supportive community. Among academic institutions worldwide, St Andrews is truly a special place. You can start your morning with a swim in the ocean, then work on your project until noon, attend an engaging seminar or talk in the afternoon, refresh your mind by walking on the beach, along the Fife Coastal Path, or by the Lade Braes river, then continue your research with new insights, and end your day at one of the great restaurants or pubs in town. The town, university, and all the libraries offer an excellent and balanced setting for maximally effective research leave.



Professor Olli-Pekka Vainio, University of Helsinki