

2009 Gordon Global Fellowship Application Form



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Please read the Gordon Global Fellowship guidelines before completing this form.

A. Personal information

Salutation _____ First name _____ Middle name(s) _____
Last name _____ Gender _____ Date of birth _____
City of birth _____ Country of birth _____ Canadian citizen or permanent resident? _____
Home province/territory _____ Your home province/territory may be the province/territory in which you have
resided for the longest period of time, the province/territory you grew up in, or the province/territory with which you identify most closely.
Preferred language of correspondence _____ Home tel. _____ Mobile tel. _____
Work tel. _____ Extension _____ Primary e-mail _____
Secondary e-mail _____
Have you applied for the Gordon Global Fellowship in a previous year? 2006 2007 2008

B. Employment & mailing addresses

Job Title _____ Department _____
Organization _____
Work Address _____
City _____ Province _____ Postal code _____ Country _____
Home Address _____
City _____ Province _____ Postal code _____ Country _____
Primary mailing address? Home Work

C. Languages

Describe your language skills according to the following scale: fluent, advanced, intermediate, basic or N/A.

1. English _____ 3. _____ 5. _____
2. French _____ 4. _____ 6. _____

D. Proposed topic and activities

Proposed project title _____
Policy topic(s) _____
Geographic area(s) of interest, if applicable _____
Project summary _____

Will your project require significant travel and/or field work (i.e. more than two weeks)? Yes No

E. Education

Are you currently enrolled in a full-time academic program? Yes No If yes, will your program be completed by the time the Fellowship begins (September 2009)? Yes No

Note that full-time students during the course of the fellowship (September 2009 to August 2010) will **not be eligible**.

Please list up to three degrees/diplomas, starting with the most recent.

1. Degree/diploma (e.g., B.A., MPA, MSc, PhD, etc.) _____
Specialization (e.g., Forced Migration Studies, Env. Management, etc.) _____
Research topic _____
Institution _____ Country _____ Date completed (MM/YYYY) _____
2. Degree/diploma _____ Specialization _____
Research topic _____
Institution _____ Country _____ Date completed (MM/YYYY) _____
3. Degree/diploma _____ Specialization _____
Research topic _____
Institution _____ Country _____ Date completed (MM/YYYY) _____

F. Referees

Please provide contact information for your two referees.

1. Salutation ____ First name _____ Last name _____
Title _____ Department _____
Organization _____
Address _____
City _____ Province _____ Postal code _____
Country _____ Tel _____ E-mail _____
2. Salutation ____ First name _____ Last name _____
Title _____ Department _____
Organization _____
Address _____
City _____ Province _____ Postal code _____
Country _____ Tel _____ E-mail _____

If your current employer is **not** one of the two referees listed above, please provide his or her coordinates below:

Salutation ____ First name _____ Last name _____
Title _____ Department _____
Organization _____
Address _____
City _____ Province _____ Postal code _____
Country _____ Tel _____ E-mail _____

G. International experience

Please list your participation in any international exchange programs sponsored by Canadian or provincial government agencies or departments, or through Canadian volunteer or intern-sending organizations (e.g., Youth International Internship Program, Canada World Youth, Youth Challenge International, CIDA internship, etc.)

1. Sponsoring Agency/Organization _____
 Your title/role _____
 City _____ Country _____
 Start date (MM/YYYY) _____ Completion date (MM/YYYY) _____
2. Sponsoring Agency/Organization _____
 Your title/role _____
 City _____ Country _____
 Start date (MM/YYYY) _____ Completion date (MM/YYYY) _____

Please list any other international volunteer/work experience not included above.

1. Sponsoring Agency/Organization _____
 Your title/role _____
 City _____ Country _____
 Start date (MM/YYYY) _____ Completion date (MM/YYYY) _____
2. Sponsoring Agency/Organization _____
 Your title/role _____
 City _____ Country _____
 Start date (MM/YYYY) _____ Completion date (MM/YYYY) _____

In addition to the above, have you ever lived outside of Canada? Yes No If yes, in which country(ies) and for how long?

Country _____	Start date (MM/YYYY) _____	End date (MM/YYYY) _____
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H. Waiver & consent

I certify that the information provided on this application form and in the accompanying documentation is true, accurate and complete. I authorize the provision of any information held or to be held by employers, referees, and others, relating to my application, to the Walter and Duncan Gordon Foundation ("WDGF"). I understand and accept that such information, as well as the personal information contained in this application, will only be used for the internal purposes of selection, analysis, evaluation and to facilitate ongoing administrative correspondence with applicants and improvements to the programme. I understand and accept that such information will not be shared by the Foundation for any other purpose without my consent. Finally, if I am selected for one of the fellowships, I authorize the publication of the results on the WDGF's publications, including its website.

Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____

I. Diversity

The Walter and Duncan Gordon Foundation is committed to ensuring that our outreach efforts and selection process are inclusive of Canada's cultural, socio-economic and geographic diversity. Please indicate whether you self-identify with any of the following (select as many as apply).

Please note that applications will be considered complete whether or not the applicant chooses to answer the following questions.

- Inuk, Métis, or member of one or more First Nations.** For the purposes of this question, Inuk, Métis or First Nations youth refers to applicants with Aboriginal heritage.
- First- or second-generation immigrant or refugee.** For the purposes of this question, first-generation immigrants and refugees are those who were born outside of Canada (excluding persons born outside Canada who are Canadian citizens by birth). Second-generation refers to those who were born in Canada but who have one or more parents who are first-generation immigrants or refugees.
- Racialized minority (visible minority).** For the purposes of this question, racialized minority (like visible minority) refers to "persons, other than aboriginal peoples, who are non-Caucasian in race or non-white in colour."
- LGBTI.** For the purposes of this question, LBGTI refers to applicants who self-identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, and/or intersexed.
- Northerner.** For the purposes of this question, Northerner refers to applicants raised in or having spent a number of years living in the Canadian North, defined as the Yukon, NWT, Nunavut, and the northern portions of the seven provinces from BC to Newfoundland and Labrador.
- Rural youth.** For the purposes of this question, rural youth are those raised outside of a "census agglomeration" (CA) or a "census metropolitan area" (CMA), namely those raised outside "one or more neighbouring municipalities situated around a major urban core with a population of at least 10,000."
- Physical and/or sensory disability.** For the purposes of this question, physical and/or sensory disability refers to applicants living with a long-term or recurring physical and/or sensory disability (e.g. mobility impairment, hearing loss, etc.).

Do you identify as part of a marginalized group that is not included in the above options? If so, please specify:

J. Application checklist

- 1. Application form (applicants should include a hard copy, including signed waiver on page 3)
- 2. Resume
- 3. Statement of intent
- 4. Two letters of recommendation

Submit Form Via E-mail

Completed applications, consisting of these documents, must be **received** (not postmarked) no later than **15 April 2009** at 5:00 p.m. EST at the postal address listed in the guidelines.

How did you find out
about the fellowship?

- E-mail call for applications
- Facebook page

- Previous applicant/recipient
- Other: _____

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