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CASBS Welcomes Increased Number of Fellows

In September, the Stanford-based Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (CASBS) welcomed a larger number of Fellows in its 54th class.

“We are very excited that this year we were able to increase the class size from thirty-six to forty-three Fellows, and that this year’s class includes seven Fellows from international institutions,” said deputy director Anne Petersen. “We are committed to expanding our funding sources, increasing the number of Fellows in each class—both US and international—and offering the opportunity of a CASBS Fellowship to many more scholars.”

The residential Fellowship program at CASBS provides the time for scholars to pursue their research while expanding their horizons by engaging with scholars from a wide range of disciplines and interdisciplinary areas in the social and behavioral sciences, and humanities.

"The year-long CASBS fellowship has proven to be a reliable producer of innovation—innovation of the sort that our Fellows tell us is much less likely to happen at their home universities," said CASBS director Claude M. Steele. "Our hope is that each Fellow leaves the Center far more appreciative of, and attuned to, interdisciplinary influences and committed to new lines of work and collaborations that reflect those influences."

The 2007-08 Fellows are:

Diana Archangeli, Linguistics, University of Arizona
Carlos Martin Benavides, Sociology, Group for Development Analysis (GRADE) (Peru)
Lawrence Bobo, Sociology, Stanford University
John Bound, Economics, University of Michigan
Donald L. Brenneis, Anthropology, UC Santa Cruz
Marlis Buchmann, Sociology, University of Zurich (Switzerland)
Carlos Costa-Ribeiro, Sociology, Instituto Universitário de Pesquisas (Brazil)
Robert L. Crosnoe, Sociology/Education, University of Texas
Michael Dietler, Anthropology/Classics, University of Chicago
Andrea diSessa, Education, UC Berkeley
Gil Eyal, Sociology, Columbia University
Paula Findlen, History, Stanford University
Henry Louis Gates, English & Comparative Literature, Harvard University
György Gergely, Psychology, Hungarian Academy of Science
Arline Geronimus, Sociology/Medicine, University of Michigan
Silvia Elena Giorguli-Saucedo, Sociology, El Colegio de Mexico (Mexico)
Timothy Guinnane, Economics/History, Yale University
Rogers P. Hall, Education, Vanderbilt University
James T. Hamilton, Economics/Communication, Duke University

Gail Hershatter, History, UC Santa Cruz
Patrick Heuveline, Sociology/Demography, University of Chicago
Julie Berger Hochstrasser, Art, University of Iowa
Miles Kahler, Political Science, UC San Diego
Eric Klinenberg, Sociology, New York University
Keith Lehrer, Philosophy, University of Arizona
Jonathan Levin, Economics, Stanford University
Anthony A. Long, Classics/Philosophy, UC Berkeley
Tanya Marie Luhrmann, Anthropology, University of Chicago
Sarah C. Maza, History, Northwestern University
Susan A. Murphy, Statistics, University of Michigan
Ruth Ottman, Medicine, Columbia University
Scott Page, Political Science, University of Michigan
Lisa Pearce, Sociology, University of North Carolina
Emmanuel Saez, Economics, UC Berkeley
Walter Scheidel, Classics/History, Stanford University
Vicki Schultz, Law, Yale University
Allan C. Stam, Political Science, Dartmouth College
P. Sterling Stuckey, History, UC Riverside
Petri H. Toiviainen, Music/Psychology, University of Jyväskylä, Finland
Katherine Trumpener, English & Comparative Literature, Yale University
Fred Turner, Communication, Stanford University
Suman Verma, Psychology, Government Home Science College, India
Amy Stuart Wells, Education, Columbia University

The Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences (CASBS) is located in Stanford, CA. Since 1954, CASBS has provided Fellowships to more than 3,000 distinguished scholars in the social and behavioral sciences. The Center also hosts four to six-week Summer Institutes, Special Projects, and Extended Seminars. For more information, please go to www.casbs.org.