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## Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowships

### For CU-Boulder and Metropolitan State University of Denver Undergraduate Students

**Summer 2025**

**Undergraduate Fellowship Application**

**Application Deadline: Thursday, February 15, 2025 at 11:59 p.m. MST**

1. Name (last, first):
2. Current University: [ ]  CU-Boulder [ ]  MSU Denver
3. CU – Boulder or MSU Denver student ID number:
4. Complete Mailing Address:
5. Daytime Telephone:       6. Email Address:

7. Check one: [ ]  U.S. Citizen [ ]  U.S. Permanent Resident [ ]  Other:

 (Only U.S. citizens, nationals & permanent residents are eligible)

8. Ethnicity: [ ]  White/Caucasian

 [ ]  African American/Black

 [ ]  American Indian/Alaska Native

[ ]  Asian/Pacific Islander

[ ]  Latine/Hispanic/Chicano/Mexican American

[ ]  Prefer not to answer

9. Official Residency Status: [ ]  Colorado Resident [ ]  Non-Resident

10. Major(s) and Minor(s) as of Spring 2025:

11. Expected Graduation Date:

12. Cumulative GPA:

13. What is the highest Asian language level you **will have completed** prior to the start of the FLAS fellowship term?

[ ]  1st Year/Beginner [ ]  2nd Year/Intermediate [ ]  3rd Year/Advanced [ ]  More than 3 Years

14. **Summer FLAS Program Details**

What language do you plan to study?       What level (2nd year through 5th year)?

(Note that beginning/1st year language study is **not allowable** for undergraduate FLAS fellowships.)

What language program do you plan to attend?

Where is it located?

Program Website:

Program Contact Hours:       Number of Weeks:

(Must be at least 140 hours at intermediate level or 120 hours at advanced level, and a minimum of 6 weeks in duration.)

Program Start Date:       End Date:

What is the estimated tuition or program fee?

 Is room and board included in the program fee? [ ]  Yes [ ]  No

(FLAS pays up to $5000 toward tuition for summer programs. Room and board will be deducted from stipend.)

If you wish to apply for possible reimbursement of travel expenses, what is the estimated cost of travel?

      (Awards up to $1000 or actual cost of travel; international travel requires pre-approval and compliance with Fly America Act.)

15. Financial Need:

 Have you submitted a FAFSA?

(All applicants must complete a FAFSA from the U.S. Department of Education.)

 Are there other financial circumstances or recent events that you would like the committee to consider?

16. Names of Recommenders:

(Note that both letters of recommendation should be from professors familiar with your academic ability and potential; include, when possible, a letter from a language professor/instructor.)

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 (academic) (language)

17. Check Career Goal(s):

[ ]  Pre-K-12 Education

[ ]  Government

[ ]  Higher Education

[ ]  Media

[ ]  Private Sector Not-for-Profit

[ ]  Private Sector

[ ]  U.S. Military

[ ]  Other (specify):

18. Applicant’s Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

(By signing, you certify that the information in this application is true and complete.)

**APPLICATION CHECKLIST:**

[ ]  FLAS application form (this form)

[ ]  Statement of purpose(2-3 pages double spaced)

Address your previous training in the language and area you are applying for, your proposed course of study during the award, and how Asian language and area study will facilitate your future career goals.

[ ]  Transcripts of all college-level work (can be unofficial copies)

[ ]  Two academic letters of recommendation

Include one letter from a language professor if possible. Provide a completed Recommendation Form to each recommender; letters and Recommendation Forms should be sent directly to the Center for Asian Studies by recommenders.

[ ]  [Financial Aid Release of Information (RELS) Form](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.msudenver.edu%2Ffinancial-aid%2Fforms%2F&data=05%7C02%7Csalaz%40colorado.edu%7Ca7446dc7f53b402786c608dc0e3202b6%7C3ded8b1b070d462982e4c0b019f46057%7C1%7C0%7C638400855172005269%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=0%2B3KXF5jLbR0ciwRdaVCqCGdogFbRayLamw%2F8nnClgM%3D&reserved=0) (MSU Denver students only; see instructions at <https://www.colorado.edu/cas/flas-information-msu-students>.

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Application materials should be submitted electronically

in one PDF document to the Center for Asian Studies

at FLAS@colorado.edu.

Contact CLAC Coordinator Lucy Lin (Lucy.Lin@colorado.edu) with questions.

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(Use a separate form for each recommender)

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Language and Level of Language You Plan to Study:

Name of Recommender:

Recommender’s Position/Title:

Check one:

[ ]  I waive my right to inspect this recommendation.

[ ]  I do not waive my right to inspect this recommendation.

Applicant’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

#### This Section for Recommender

The student whose name appears above is applying for a Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship (FLAS). These fellowships provide summer tuition and stipend support to students studying a modern Asian language.

Please attach this form to your letter evaluating this applicant’s strengths and weaknesses, taking into account his/her seriousness of purpose, potential for high academic achievement, and the significance of the language and area studies aspects of his/her training and career goals. If your contact with the applicant has involved the use of the language given above, your comments as to the level of expertise achieved to date will be appreciated.

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