

# \$ 20,000

Mainly those studying in the Humanities and the Social sciences

## For Grad Students

**2019 The Ryoichi Sasakawa Young Leaders Fellowship Fund Program (the SYLFF)**

**\*It has been modified slightly from the conventional ones.**

### ★ Changes since previous years

- ✘ Until now we have limited funds to research activities. However, from this year, we expand its scope of use. It can also be used for tuition, living expenses etc.
- ✘ 20,000 US dollars per person, in principle (10,000 dollars in each of the first year and the second year. However, the decision to disburse for the second year will be judged after reviewing the interim report at the end of the first year).

### ■ Desired candidates

Those who are expected to be active in the future as leaders demonstrating initiative in society, and who have a high level of education, advanced expertise, human skills and a strong will to contribute to the world.

### ■ The applicant

- Must be enrolled in a master's, professional or doctoral program at Waseda University and be continuously enrolled at Waseda during the period of the Sylff program;
- Must have a personal goal of proactively dealing with various pressing issues in areas such as economic development, social system design, international relations, human rights, the environment, and cross-cultural understanding, and must have the qualifications to be such a leader in those fields in the future;

### ■ Period of grant June 2019 to March 2021

### ■ Amount of disbursement & Planned number of fellows

20,000 US dollars per person, in principle (10,000 dollars in each of the first year and the second year.) & One graduate student

### ■ Application documentation

Applicants must prepare the documents and submit them to their graduate school administrative office by post or in person.

[https://waseda-research-portal.jp/for\\_graduate\\_students/](https://waseda-research-portal.jp/for_graduate_students/)

### ■ Selection method Examination of documentation, followed by interview of those who passed the documentation examination (tentatively in June)

### ■ Submission deadline not later than 29<sup>th</sup> March , 2019 (strictly observed)

### ■ Result announcement June 2019 (planned)

### ■ Inquiries to GSPS/GSE administrative office (E-mail [gakuseki31@list.waseda.jp](mailto:gakuseki31@list.waseda.jp))

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