

# ANNOUNCEMENT

## CENTER FOR ARABIC STUDY ABROAD (CASA)



### *2005 Summer and 2005-2006 Full Year Programs*

The Center for Arabic Study Abroad (CASA) is pleased to announce that it will offer a number of fellowships for advanced Arabic language study at the American University in Cairo for the 2005-2006 academic year.

Two types of CASA fellowships are available:

- 1) **Summer-Only Fellowships:** (*June 7, 2005 – July 31, 2005*)  
These fellowships allow students to participate in an intensive seven-week summer language and culture program that includes 10 weekly hours of Egyptian Colloquial Arabic and 8 hours of Modern Standard Arabic plus a weekly tour in Arabic.
- 2) **Full-Year Fellowships:** (*June 7, 2005 – May 31, 2006*)  
These fellowships provide intensive language and culture training in both Egyptian Colloquial and Modern Standard Arabic (reading, listening and writing) for three semesters (summer, fall and spring) and allow students in the spring semester to take courses in Arabic in their respective areas of specialization.

In 2004-2005, CASA offered 6 Summer-Only Fellowships and 28 Full-Year fellowships and we expect to offer a similar number in 2005-2006.

Successful applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents; enrolled in a graduate or undergraduate program or in between their undergraduate and graduate study; committed to a career in Middle Eastern Studies; have had a minimum of two to three years of college-level Arabic language study, and pass the CASA Selection exam which will be administered to all applicants at a school in their locality on **Friday, February 4, 2005**. Please note that non-U.S. citizens are also welcome to apply to CASA, and if accepted, may participate on a **Pay-Your-Own-Way** basis.

Those interested in applying to CASA may also wish to apply for a Fulbright fellowship that would provide them with funding to participate in CASA. A Fulbright fellowship would enable the student to participate in CASA and provide a higher level of funding. Fulbright fellowships have October deadlines; thus students must submit their Fulbright fellowships well before they submit the CASA application.

The CASA fellowship award covers round-trip airfare, tuition and a maintenance allowance of 2,100 Egyptian pounds per month. A non-refundable program fee is required of each CASA fellow once an award has been accepted.

For detailed descriptions of the CASA programs, or to download application forms, please visit the CASA web site at: **[www.emory.edu/COLLEGE/CASA](http://www.emory.edu/COLLEGE/CASA)**

**\*Application deadline for 2005-2006 programs is January 7, 2005\***

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