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### **South Asia Institute Fellows Guide**

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## SAI Fellowships

The South Asia Institute at Harvard University offers three opportunities for scholars and practitioners to continue their research at Harvard University in Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Fellows are expected to reside in the Cambridge vicinity during the time of their award and to actively participate in the events and intellectual life of the Institute. Fellows are also expected to contribute to the greater Harvard community by teaching, mentoring, or advising students.

### **The South Asia Institute currently offers the following fellowships:**

- **Aman Fellowship**
- **Babar Ali Fellowship**
- **South Asian Studies Fellowship**

**Deadline for Academic Year 2015-2016 Fellowships: January 15, 2015**

**News about SAI's Fellows.**

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## Aman Fellowship

The Harvard South Asia Institute is pleased to offer the Aman Fellowship to support recent PhDs, those in the final stages of their PhDs, and advanced professional degree holders in areas related to Pakistan, particularly areas of science and development.

Priority will be given to candidates who demonstrate prior educational history that has taken place largely in Pakistan, and plan to return to Pakistan upon completion of the fellowship.

Fellows are expected to reside in the Cambridge vicinity during the time of their award and to actively participate in the events and intellectual life of the Institute. Fellows are expected to contribute to the greater Harvard community by teaching, mentoring, or advising students.

Total stipend for one term: **\$20,000**

Health insurance up to \$5,000 and round trip economy travel expenses to Boston will also be provided.

**Deadline: January 15, 2015 for Fall Term 2015**

### ONLINE APPLICATION FORM

Please use the online application form to submit your application to this fellowship. Your application must include: an updated curriculum vitae, a five-page double-spaced plan of research and writing for the fellowship appointment, and a writing sample.

Two letters of reference should be emailed or mailed directly to the South Asia Institute. Reference letters from dossier services are accepted.

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For questions regarding the program, please email program manager Nora Maginn (maginn@fas.harvard.edu) or phone: 617-496-2239.\

**Aman Fellow Muhammad Zahir shares research on protohistoric cemeteries in Pakistan**

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## South Asian Studies Fellowship

The Harvard South Asia Institute is pleased to offer the South Asian Studies Fellowship to support recent PhDs in the humanities and social sciences related to South Asia. Research topics can cover any period of South Asian history or contemporary South Asia.

Candidates must be able to provide evidence of successful completion of their PhD by June of the year of appointment and may not be more than five years beyond the receipt of PhD.

Fellows are expected to reside in the Cambridge vicinity during the time of their award and to actively participate in the events and intellectual life of the Institute. Fellows are expected to contribute to the greater Harvard community by teaching, mentoring, or advising students.

Total stipend for one year: **\$40,000**

*Health insurance up to \$5,000 per term and round trip economy travel expenses to Boston will also be provided.*

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**[Click here to read about the 2013-2014 fellow's experience as SAI's South Asian Studies Fellow](#)**

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