

## STUDY ABROAD IN HONG KONG



The Fund for American Studies is pleased to announce the **Asia Institute for Political Economy**. Based in Hong Kong, the program is organized by The Fund for American Studies and The University of Hong Kong and academic credit is offered by George Mason University. The Institute provides young scholars from throughout Asia and the U.S. with a rich experience gained both by academic and cross-cultural exchange.

For three weeks during the summer, approximately 65 students from across Asia and the United States gather at The University of Hong Kong to explore fundamental issues related to political economy and government. The combination of educational, cultural, and social exchange will allow participants to explore challenging ideas, form life-long friendships, and will greatly benefit their educational and professional development.

Scholarships are available for qualified applicants. Those interested in scholarships are encouraged to apply early. The final deadline is **February 15**. For questions about the application process, contact the AIPE Coordinator, **Brenda Hafera** ([bhafera@tfas.org](mailto:bhafera@tfas.org)); program related questions should be sent to the AIPE Director, **Brigit Moore** ([bmoore@TFAS.org](mailto:bmoore@TFAS.org)).

### HOW TO APPLY

- Begin an online application: <http://bit.ly/TFASIntlApply>
- Upload the following items into the online application:
  - Statement of purpose
  - CV
  - Official transcript
  - Proof of English proficiency (TFAS uses the admissions interview to judge English proficiency. Supplemental proof of English proficiency can be submitted in the application)
- Enter the contact information for your recommender
- If your recommender plans to submit your recommendation letter by email, fax, or post, print the Recommendation Form from the Downloadable Forms section of the online application to give to your recommender
- Submit your application before **February 15**
- If selected, you will be contacted to set up an admissions interview within two or three weeks of completing your application
- After your admissions interview, a formal decision on your application will be made in two-three weeks
- For more information, visit: <http://bit.ly/HowtoApplyAIPE>

### IMPORTANT DATES

Early Admissions Deadline:  
December 1

Priority Admissions Deadline:  
January 15

Final Admissions Deadline:  
February 15

Program Dates:  
July 7-28, 2018

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