

APPLICATION FOR SUMMER FELLOWSHIP 2010

Note: All application materials must be received by April 16, 2010

SELECT SESSION (Check one):

Session 1 (June 13 – 25) Session 2 (July 11 – 23) Either

Name _____

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Current Address:

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Date of Birth _____ **Gender** _____ **Mobile Phone** _____

Country of Citizenship _____ **Alt. E-Mail** _____

College or University	Major(s) and Degree	Dates Enrolled or Expected	Date Received or Expected

The following items are needed to receive full consideration for a Summer Fellowship:

- 1. Completed application form** (*above*). After you submit your application form, make sure to keep us informed of any changes in your contact information.
- 2. Vita / Resume.** Include your education history. Detail any experience you have had in business, the armed forces, teaching, and research. List and describe any honors, awards, or financial assistance you received. List and describe any relevant leadership positions you have held.
- 3. Personal statement.** Explain what books (or articles) have influenced your thinking and why. (The books need not be about economics). Please do not exceed three double-spaced typewritten pages (approx. 1,100 words).

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4. **Writing sample.** Recent term paper or some other example of your best English composition. An economic topic is useful but not required. Applicants who have advanced degrees must send a copy of their thesis, which will be returned upon request.
5. **Outline of proposed course of study.** Include when and where you plan to attend graduate school and your preliminary field(s) of interest. If some details are not yet decided, so indicate. Indicate what you plan to do when your formal education is complete.
6. **Official transcripts.** Send official transcript(s) of all college work.
7. **Scholastic references.** Arrange to have two scholastic references mailed directly to the Director of the Summer Fellowship program by the referees. Letters of recommendation mailed by the applicants themselves will not be accepted. References should give the writer's opinion of your aptitude for learning and research, emotional and intellectual maturity, potential for communicating and disseminating economic knowledge and such other information as the writer is in a position to provide.

Electronic submission of items 1-5 can be sent to info@aier.org

Please send completed applications to:

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