



CENTER FOR U.S.-MEXICAN STUDIES
UC San Diego School of Global Policy & Strategy

2018-19 Fellows

Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies Visiting Fellows Program 2020–2021 Call for Applications

UC San Diego's Center for U.S.-Mexican Studies (USMEX) at the School of Global Policy and Strategy (GPS) hosts the largest residential fellowship program in the U.S. for research on Mexico and U.S.-Mexico relations. Each year the program brings together top scholars from the social sciences, humanities and related fields to form a multi-disciplinary cohort of researchers.

APPLICATION OVERVIEW

Applications are accepted from Ph.D. candidates who are ABD and have completed a substantial portion of their dissertations and professors on sabbatical. You must be concurrently enrolled/employed at your home university to receive a fellowship stipend.

Residential periods must be between four and nine months in duration beginning in September 2020 or January 2021. Fellowships may not be over the summer months (July – August). Stipends average \$1,000/month for visiting professors and \$2,500/month for pre-doctoral students and are determined by University of California general policies and funding availability.

Priority will be given to proposals that are policy-relevant, show a feasible plan of action, and/or will contribute towards a better understanding of Mexico and/or U.S.-Mexico relations. Applications from Mexican scholars are particularly welcome.

For postdoctoral students who submit a letter of intent, we will select a small group to support in applying to UCMEXUS-CONACYT postdoctoral funding. If you are not eligible to apply to UCMEXUS-CONACYT, but are interested in applying to be a fellow, please contact **Greg Mallinger at gmallinger@ucsd.edu** to discuss. Please note that the center has very limited funding for postdoctoral students and a majority of their funding must come from external sources.

APPLICATION PROCESS

The center asks that applicants submit a one-page letter of intent describing the work you plan to complete while in residence. Letters are to be submitted to **usmex-applications@ucsd.edu**. The deadline for the letters is **Wednesday, Oct. 30, 2019**. Applicants will be notified by **Wednesday, Nov. 13, 2019** if they are invited to submit a full application for a fellowship during the 2020–2021 academic year.

For more information, visit **usmex.ucsd.edu** or contact **Greg Mallinger at gmallinger@ucsd.edu**.