



NETHERLANDS INSTITUTE FOR  
ADVANCED STUDY IN THE  
HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences

The Netherlands Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities and Social Sciences (NIAS) at Wassenaar, invites Bulgarian, Czech, Estonian, Hungarian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Polish, Romanian and Slovak applicants for the

# MELLON FELLOWSHIP

One fellowship is tenable at the institute in each of the following five-month periods:

1 September 2008 - 31 January 2009, application deadline 1 May 2007

1 February 2009 - 30 June 2009, application deadline 1 May 2007

A Mellon Fellowship carries a stipend of € 2300 per month. This residential fellowship includes single accommodation in a studio apartment on the campus, a research grant of € 1020 (available on the basis of reimbursement), and a contribution to the costs of health care insurance. Round-trip travel costs will be reimbursed.

The application form can be downloaded from the 'Fellowship Programmes and Applications' pages on the NIAS website [www.nias.knaw.nl](http://www.nias.knaw.nl). Further information and instructions for sending in the application can also be found on these web pages.

*The programme of Mellon Fellowships has been established by The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation to enable Bulgarian, Czech, Estonian, Hungarian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Polish, Romanian and Slovak scholars in the humanities and social sciences to carry out research at institutes of advanced study in other European countries. NIAS, an institute of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences, is one of the fourteen participating institutes.*

The fellowships are intended to serve younger scholars who have already obtained a Ph.D. degree or have equivalent experience, and who wish to undertake a specific research project at NIAS. Successful applicants should have a specialisation which would make it profitable for them to work in an international setting and to be in daily contact with regular NIAS Fellows who carry out advanced research in the humanities and social sciences. Each year, NIAS invites around 45 carefully selected scholars, both from within and outside the Netherlands, to its centre in Wassenaar.