

> IIAS fellows

IIAS hosts several categories of post doctoral researchers (fellows) in Asia Studies. Sponsorship of these fellows contributes to the institute's aim of enhancing expertise and encouraging the exploration of underdeveloped fields of study. One of the main objectives of IIAS is to mediate in establishing contacts in the field of Asia Studies and to stimulate cooperation between national and international scholars and institutes. IIAS consequently offers universities and research institutes the opportunity to benefit from the knowledge of its resident fellows. In terms of their scholarly contribution to IIAS, fellows are invited to present lectures, participate in seminars, and cooperate in research programmes. IIAS fellows' applications can be submitted at any time (no application deadline). More information and IIAS fellowships application forms are available at: www.iias.nl/iias/fellowships For specific information, please contact: iiasfellowships@let.leidenuniv.nl

Fellowship categories:

1. Affiliated fellows
2. Research fellows
3. Senior fellows
4. IIAS Professors
5. Artists in Residence

IIAS fellows can choose to be based in Leiden or at the Branch Office Amsterdam. All fellows currently engaged at IIAS are listed below selected by region of specialty and in alphabetical order.

General

Katia Chirkova (Russia)

Programme coordinator, within the programme 'Trans-Himalayan database development: China and the Subcontinent', sponsored by CASS and KNAW
1 September 2005 – 1 September 2006

John Nguyet Erni (Hong Kong, China)

Stationed at the Amsterdam Branch Office
Affiliated fellow
Imagining 'Asia' in Global Human Rights
30 June – 19 July 2006

HU Hong-yan (China)

Affiliated fellow, within the programme 'Trans-Himalayan database development: China and the Subcontinent', sponsored by CASS and KNAW
15 May – 15 August 2006

Melody Lu (Taiwan)

Affiliated fellow
Intermediated cross-border marriages in East and Southeast Asia
1 February – 31 July 2006

Hisashi Owada (Japan)

Special Chair at the Faculty of Arts, Leiden University
IIAS Professor
Relations between Europe and Japan
1 April 2006 - 1 April 2009

Prasanna Kumar Patra (India)

Research fellow, within the ASSR/IIAS/NWO programme 'Socio-Genetic Marginalization in Asia' (SMAP)
Cross-cultural comparative study of genetic research in India and Japan
15 December 2005 – 15 November 2008

Sheldon Pollock (USA)

Senior fellow
Comparative intellectual histories of early modern Asia
20 May – 20 August 2006

Bert Remijsen (Belgium)

Affiliated fellow
Hybrid word prosodic systems
1 July 2002 – 31 July 2006

David N. Soo (UK)

Affiliated fellow
Globalisation: an investigation into the emerging Asian space industry. A new force in space?
4 October 2002 – 31 July 2006

Geshê Karma Tshering (Bhutan)

Affiliated Fellow, within the programme 'Languages and Genes of the Greater Himalayan Region', sponsored by ESF, RGoB and LUMC
12 June – 31 August 2006

YIN Wei-bin (China)

Affiliated fellow, within the programme 'Trans-Himalayan database development: China and the Subcontinent', sponsored by CASS and KNAW
15 May – 15 August 2006

ZHOU Mao-cao (China)

Affiliated fellow, within the programme 'Trans-Himalayan database development: China and the Subcontinent', sponsored by CASS and KNAW
15 May – 15 August 2006

Central Asia

Rieke Leenders (the Netherlands)

Stationed at the Branch Office Amsterdam
Interethnic Relations in Siberia
1 March 2005 – 1 August 2006

Liesbet Nyssen

Stationed at the Branch Office Amsterdam
Interethnic Relations in Siberia
1 March 2005 – 1 August 2006

South Asia

Irfan Ahmad (India)

Affiliated fellow
Contesting Islamism: Immanent critique of Jamaat e-Islami of India, from 1941 to the present
1 March – 1 September 2006

Bhaswati Bhattacharya (the Netherlands)

Affiliated fellow
The Armenian diaspora in India, 1500-1950
1 May 2005 – 31 December 2006

Maarten Bode (the Netherlands)

Stationed at the Branch Office Amsterdam
Affiliated fellow
The politics of value and the construction of cultural commodities: Marketing, buying and criticizing Indian indigenous medical products, 1980-2000
1 February – 31 July 2006

Manja Bomhoff (the Netherlands)

Affiliated fellow, within the IIAS initiative 'Elderly Care'
A cultural analysis of senior's social lives in urban Kerala, India
1 May – 31 August 2006

Silvia D'Intino (Italy)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by Gonda Foundation
The Skandavāmbhāṣya on Rgveda. A critical study
1 April - August 2006

Jyotsna Agnihotri Gupta (the Netherlands)

Research fellow, within the ASSR/IIAS/NWO programme 'Socio-Genetic Marginalization in Asia'
Reproductive genetics and counselling in India: Decision-making regarding genetic screening and prenatal diagnosis
1 September 2004 – 31 August 2007

HARIMOTO Kengo (Japan)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by Gonda Foundation
A critical edition of the first chapter of the Pātanjalayogaśāstravivaraṇa
1 November 2005 – 31 July 2006

Peter Khoroch (UK)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by Gonda Foundation
Hāla: Sattasāi; An annotated translation into English
15 August – 30 September 2006

Scott Kugle (USA)

Stationed at the Branch Office Amsterdam
Affiliated fellow
Pilgrimage to pluralism: Religious co-existence in Hyderabad and the Indian Ocean Region
1 August 2006 – 1 August 2007

Debendranath Mishra (India)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by Gonda Foundation
The Mādhava Cikitsā tradition in Orissa
20 July – 19 December 2006

Shoma Munshi (India)

Affiliated fellow & IIAS representative India
The new world of Indian satellite television: Transnational networks and society
1 November 2004 – 1 November 2006

Kim Plofker (USA)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by NWO
Mathematics in India, 500 BCE – 1800 CE, with special emphasis on its relationship with Islamic mathematics (750 – 1800 CE)
9 September 2004 – 9 September 2006

Om Prakash (India)

Senior fellow, sponsored by Van den Berch van Heemstede Foundation
The trading world of the Indian Ocean, 1500-1800
1 July – 30 August 2006

Karuna Sharma (India)

Affiliated fellow
From reverence to devaluation: Women and labour in Medieval India c. 1200- c. 1800
2 January 2006 – 2 January 2007

Suhnu Ram Sharma (India)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by Gonda Foundation
A grammar of Manchad language
1 April – 31 August 2007

Southeast Asia

Jet Bakels (the Netherlands)

Affiliated fellow
Researching tribal traditions in a changing society
1 March 2006 – 1 March 2007

Robert H. Barnes (USA)

Affiliated fellow
Documentation pertaining to the political history of Nusa Tenggara Timur in the Nationaal Archief and the KITLV
10 – 17 July 2006 and 15 March – 15 April 2007

Ruth Barnes (Germany)

Affiliated fellow
Early textile collections from Eastern Indonesia in the National Museum of Ethnology, Leiden and photographic collections from Eastern Indonesia in the KITLV
10 – 17 July 2006 and 15 March – 15 April 2007

David Bouchier (Australia)

Stationed at the Branch Office Amsterdam
Affiliated fellow
Dutch legal thought and the evolution of organicist political ideology in Indonesia
6 August – 6 November 2006

Joost Coté (Australia)

Affiliated fellow
Exploring colonial modernities: Semarang 1880-1920
1 – 30 September 2006

Deldre de la Cruz (Philippines)

Affiliated fellow
All His instruments: Miracles, Mary, and media in the Catholic Philippines
1 July – 31 August 2006

Dwi Noverini Djenar (Indonesia)

Affiliated fellow
Preposition in spoken and written Indonesian
1 September - 1 December 2006

Hans Hägerdal (Sweden)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by the Swedish Vetenskapsrådet
Early modern Timor; The meeting between indigenous groups and colonial interests
20 July 2005 – 20 July 2006

Mashudi bin Kader (Malaysia)

IIAS Professor, holder of the European Chair of Malay Studies
The morphology and the movements of constituents in the syntax of classical Malay
1 September 2006 – 1 September 2008

Webby Kalikiti (Zambia)

Stationed at the Branch Office Amsterdam
Affiliated fellow
Plantation labour: Rubber planters and the colonial state in French Indochina 1890-1939
17 May – 6 August 2006

Nico Kaptein (the Netherlands)

Senior fellow and project coordinator within the programme 'Islam in Indonesia'
Islam and state in the Netherlands East Indies: The life and work of Sayyid 'Uthmān (1822 – 1914)
1 May 2006 - 1 May 2009

Jeyamalar Kathirithamby-Wells (Malaysia)

Senior fellow
The impact of the sayyid of Hadhramaut on state and society in Southeast Asia
1 October – 30 November 2006

Thomas Lindblad (the Netherlands)

Project coordinator, within the programme 'Indonesianisasi and nationalism. The emancipation and reorientation of the economy and the world of industry and commerce', sponsored by NIOD
1 October 2002 – 1 October 2006

Mina Roces (Australia)

Affiliated fellow
Fashioning the Filipino: Dress and 'Illustrado' identity in nineteenth century Philippines
20 July – 19 August 2006

Hein Steinhauer (the Netherlands)

IIAS Professor
Special Chair 'Ethnolinguistics of East Indonesia' at the Radboud University Nijmegen
1 September 1998 - 1 September 2006

East Asia

KATO Masae (Japan)

Research fellow, within the ASSR/IIAS/NWO programme 'Socio-Genetic Marginalization in Asia'
A comparative study on socio-genetic marginalization: Japan in "Asia" in relation to the "West" as a reference group
1 April 2005 – 1 April 2008

LEE Mei-Mei-yen (China)

Affiliated fellow
Guqin music in Van Gulik's collection
1 August 2006 – 31 January 2007

Jan-Eerik Leppänen (Finland)

PhD student within the ASSR/IIAS/NWO programme 'Socio-Genetic Marginalization in Asia'
Socio-genetic marginalisation and vulnerable ethnic groups in Southwest China
1 February 2005 – 1 February 2009

PAIK Wook Inn (Korea)

Affiliated fellow, sponsored by KRF
Socio-cultural effects of digital media in Korea
25 January 2006 – 23 December 2006

TSAI Yen-zen (Taiwan)

IIAS Professor, holder of the European Chair in Chinese Studies
Chinese religion
1 September 2006 – 1 September 2007

WANG Hong-zen (Taiwan)

Affiliated fellow within the programme 'Foreign brides', sponsored by NSC
Materializing the assimilation of the 'other' - How does the Taiwanese state normalize Vietnamese wives
15 June – 13 September 2006

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