Previous Huang Fellows

2014–2015

Chris Frederick '14 (Linguistics)

"I recently graduated from Stanford University with a B.A. in Linguistics. Since graduation, I've been studying Chinese on a Critical Language Scholarship in Hangzhou, China. This year I hope to grow into the role expected of me as a teacher, and strengthen my knowledge of Chinese language and culture."

2013–2014

Safiyyah Abdul-Khabir '13 (Earth Science)

"During the past year, I worked closely with VIA for their cultural exchange summer programs at Stanford. I knew that I wanted to continue the journey of building cross-cultural bridges so I applied to be a Huang Fellow in Hunan. I'm so excited for all the adventures that this year will hold!"

2011–2012

Kelsey Broderick '11

Hometown: Sacramento

Service interest: education, gender issues

Stanford experience: peer advisor for the Stanford Bing Overseas Studies China Program; research assistant in the Stanford Anthropology Department; peer counselor at the Stanford Bridge Counseling Center; member of the Leland Stanford Junior University Marching Band

Other service experience: Special Olympics Shanghai Intern

"I started learning Chinese in high school and ever since my first trip to China, I knew I wanted to keep pursuing my interest in Asia. At Stanford I took classes in Chinese culture, history, politics, and language. After graduation, I knew I wanted to return to China. My own education has shaped not only my interests but also my life. I am looking forward to this fellowship because I will get the opportunity
to inspire someone else through education and language. I hope that the students, teachers, and community can help me continue to learn about China and that in return I can help them in any way that I can.”

**Nnenna Ozobia ’00 (International Relations)**

Service interest: international affairs, focusing on grants management, policy research, and educational projects dedicated to addressing issues of socio-economic inequality

Stanford experience: resident assistant; participant in the Stanford in Puebla, Barrio Assistance and Alternative Spring Break programs

Other service experience: directing a Latin America policy program at a DC-based nonprofit and working at institutions such as the Inter-American Development Bank, the Institute of International Education, the Inter-American Foundation, and the Coro Foundation; mentor for the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program

“After gaining recent experience teaching and tutoring Spanish at the elementary and adult levels, I have been inspired to transition my career to the field of Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL). I have also long been interested in expanding my regional experience and become more culturally competent on Chinese culture and affairs in particular.”

**2010–2011**

**Ingrid Larson ’08 (Political Science)**

Fellowship placement: Ou Yang You Middle School in Xintang, Hunan Province, China

Fellowship mentor: Anjali Mutucumarana, Volunteers in Asia (VIA)

Hometown: Lexington, Massachusetts

Service interest: nonprofit management, community development, education, creative arts, gender

Stanford experience: member of Talisman A Cappella; house manager at Jerry dorm; research intern at The World Bank; member of Stanford Environmental Consulting; assistant editor for the Environmental Law Journal

Other service experience: Lorey I. Lokey intern at Environmental Defense; volunteer editor for Global Village Beijing; gospel director for Beijing college choir

Fellowship goals: to learn more about a rapidly evolving country through the eyes of its citizens; to make a meaningful impact in a local community through teaching and service projects; to expand upon academic knowledge and professional skills to become an insightful and effective leader within
a cross-cultural environment; to collaborate with and learn from VIA staff and volunteers, community leaders, and the students themselves

**Natalie Lynch '10 (International Relations)**

Fellowship placement: Ou Yang You Middle School in Xintang, Hunan Province, China

Fellowship mentor: Anjali Mutucumarana, Volunteers in Asia (VIA)

Hometown: Arlington, Virginia

Service interest: youth education, rural development, rural-urban equality

Stanford experience: East Palo Alto Tennis and Tutoring (EPATT) tutor, Stanford in Beijing migrant schoolteacher, HABLA tutor, ESL teaching aide, LSJUMB member

Other service experience: Learning Enterprises volunteer

Fellowship goals: to get students excited and passionate about learning, to foster cross-cultural exchange, to help in any way that I can

**2009–2010 Fellows**

Mark Harrold, '09 (International Relations)
Sarah Ikemoto, '09 (Anthropology)

**2008–2009 Fellows**

Yoko Kono, MA '08 (International Comparative Education)
Elizabeth Pratt, '08 (Human Biology)

**2007–2008 Fellows**

Lani Marsden, '07 (International Relations)
Nhu-Y Phan, '07 (English)