

Edward R. Murrow Press Fellowship

2012–2013

Launched in 1949 with support from the Carnegie Corporation, the Edward R. Murrow press fellowship seeks to promote the quality of responsible and discerning journalism that exemplified the work of Edward R. Murrow. In 1965, the program was renamed in his honor and is supported by the CBS Foundation and Ford Foundation. One resident fellowship is awarded each year to a distinguished foreign correspondent or editor. The program enables the fellow to engage in sustained analysis and writing and expand his or her intellectual and professional horizons.

THE PROGRAM

The Edward R. Murrow press fellow spends nine months at CFR's headquarters in New York. The program gives the fellow an opportunity to broaden his or her perspective of international affairs and to pursue proposed research using CFR resources, which include: participating in events sponsored by the CFR Meetings and Studies departments; speaking for and moderating study groups; and sharing expertise and advising on other CFR projects. The fellow will be part of the David Rockefeller Studies Program, CFR's think tank, alongside the program's full-time, adjunct, and visiting fellows, whose expertise extends across the broad range of significant foreign policy issues facing the United States and the international community.

ELIGIBILITY

An applicant must have distinguished credentials in the field of journalism and covered international news as a working journalist for print, broadcast, or online media widely available in the United States. Applicants are limited to those individuals who are authorized to work in the United States and who will continue to be authorized for the duration of the fellowship. CFR does not sponsor for visas.

APPLICATION

Applications are primarily by invitation on the recommendation of a CFR member, a former or current Murrow fellow, or the candidate's employer. Candidates may self nominate. The nomination letter should

provide a brief description of the candidate's background and state why the candidate is an appropriate prospect for the fellowship. Nominees who meet the criteria of the program will then be forwarded an application requesting: a statement of no more than 2,500 words summarizing and appraising his or her experience as a foreign correspondent; an overall plan for the fellowship year, including the applicant's proposed writing and how it relates to long-term career goals; at least one and no more than three written samples of work; and any additional information the candidate would like to bring to the selection committee's attention.

REVIEW & SELECTION SCHEDULE

- Deadline for Nominations: February 2012
- Applications Due: March 2012
- Selection Committee Meeting: April 2012
- Announcement of Fellow: May 2012

AWARD

The duration of the fellowship typically coincides with the CFR program year beginning in September and extending into May. The program awards a stipend of \$65,000 for nine months. The fellow is considered an independent contractor rather than an employee of CFR, and is not eligible for employment benefits including health insurance.

PREVIOUS EDWARD R. MURROW FELLOWS

Affiliations during Fellowship Year

Ned Parker,* former Baghdad Bureau Chief, *Los Angeles Times* (2011-2012)

Matthew Pottinger, former Reporter, *Wall Street Journal*

Kim Barker, former South Asia Bureau Chief, *Chicago Tribune*

Elizabeth Rubin, Contributing Writer, *New York Times Magazine*

Mohamad Bazzi, Middle East Bureau Chief, *Newsday*

Manjeet N. Kripalani, India Bureau Chief, *Business Week*

Jane Arraf, Senior Baghdad Correspondent, CNN

Mary Anne Weaver, *New Yorker*

Kathy Gannon, Pakistan & Afghanistan Bureau Chief, Associated Press

Celia Dugger, South Asia Co-Bureau Chief, *New York Times*

Calvin Sims, Tokyo Bureau Correspondent, *New York Times*

Jaime FlorCruz, China Bureau Chief, *Time*

Marcus Mabry, Africa Bureau Chief, *Newsweek*

Elizabeth Neuffer, European Bureau Chief, *Boston Globe*

Adam Schwarz, Hanoi Bureau Chief, *Far Eastern Economic Review*

Anne Garrels, Moscow Bureau Chief, National Public Radio

Ann Cooper, South Africa Correspondent, National Public Radio

Caryle M. Murphy, Middle East Correspondent, *Washington Post*

Rose Brady, Moscow Bureau Chief, *Business Week*

Marguerite Michaels, Africa Correspondent, *Time*

David J. Remnick, Moscow Correspondent, *Washington Post*

Daniel R. Southerland, Beijing Bureau Chief, *Washington Post*

Edward A. Gargan, Beijing Correspondent, *New York Times*

Loren Jenkins, Rome Correspondent, *Washington Post*

Clifford Krauss, Central American Correspondent, *Wall Street Journal*

Sandra Burton, Hong Kong Bureau Chief, *Time*

Dennis Mullin, Diplomatic Correspondent, *U.S. News & World Report*

William B. Blakemore, Rome Bureau Chief, ABC News

Christopher Dickey, Central American Bureau Chief, *Washington Post*

Elaine Sciolino, Rome Bureau Chief, *Newsweek*

Jonathan Kandell, Chief Correspondent, *International Herald Tribune*

Rudolph S. Rauch III, Deputy Chief of Correspondents, *Time*

Thomas Lippman, Cairo Correspondent, *Washington Post*

Mort Rosenblum, Bureau Chief for Argentina, Uruguay, Paraguay, Associated Press

James Goldsborough, European Correspondent, *International Herald Tribune*

Lewis M. Simons, Bureau Chief for Malaysia & Singapore, Associated Press

Bernard Kalb, Southeast Asia Correspondent, *New York Times*

David B. Richardson, Middle East Correspondent, *Time*

Alpheus W. Jessup, Tokyo Bureau Chief, *McGraw-Hill World News*.

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