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### AIBS Announces Call for Resident Fellow in Dhaka!!

AIBS invites applications for the position of AIBS Resident Fellow. This position will be for one year, with the possibility of 6-12 months' extension of appointment.

The AIBS Resident Fellow will participate in the substantive work of AIBS and receive professional mentoring from the AIBS and the Council of American Overseas Research Centers Executive Leadership. The aim of this program is to professionalize a scholar who works primarily on Bangladesh Studies by offering US non-profit experience as well as experience working with professionals (academic and governmental) in an international setting. The AIBS Resident Fellow program allows a recent PhD (or ABD) scholar to gain valuable, career-building experience in administration, management, and public service.

Administrative experience will include (but not be limited to) the following: managing the AIBS lecture series, creating outreach events with local institutions, assisting research fellows with academic affiliations, handling logistics for research fellows (including visa assistance), and managing conference and workshops. The Fellow will also have networking opportunities with incoming junior and senior AIBS Research Fellows as well as with other US academics who specialize in Bangladesh. Prior to relocation to Bangladesh, the AIBS Fellow will meet with the AIBS Executive Committee in Madison, Wisconsin, in conjunction with the Conference on South Asia (October 20-23, 2016).

#### *Applicants must:*

1. Hold US or Bangladesh citizenship or be a permanent resident of the US
2. Be either ABD or a recent PhD (last three years) scholar in the humanities or social sciences
3. Have experience living, working, or researching abroad, preferably in Bangladesh

To apply, please submit the following to Laura Hammond, US Director:  
[ljhammond@southasia.wisc.edu](mailto:ljhammond@southasia.wisc.edu)

- CV
- One page statement of how the AIBS Fellowship will further your career goals, to include:
  - Academic accomplishments and success
  - Past experience highlighting relevance to this position
  - Statement of commitment to the public/non-profit sector
- Two references (one from your advisor)
- Date you could relocate to Bangladesh (if applicable)

**Deadline to Apply:** October 15, 2016

**Approximate Start Date:** November 15, 2016

NOTE: Short-listed candidates must be available for an in-person or Skype interview between October 20-23, 2016.

Compensation will be commensurate with experience.