

**The Society for the Psychological Study of Social Issues (SPSSI)  
Announces the 2009 Dalmás A. Taylor  
Memorial Summer Minority Policy Fellowship**

**Application deadline: April 1, 2009**

The purpose of this award is to honor the memory of Dalmás A. Taylor, who passed away during his term as President of SPSSI. Dr. Taylor had been involved for many years with SPSSI. In addition, he was instrumental in establishing the Minority Fellowship at the American Psychological Association and in increasing the APA's attention to inclusion of people of color. This fellowship is administered in conjunction with APA's Minority Fellowship Office, and provides an opportunity for a graduate student of color to work on public policy issues in Washington, DC.

**ELIGIBILITY**

Applicants must be a graduate student in good standing who is a member of an ethnic minority group (including, but not limited to, African American, Alaskan Native, American Indian, Asian American, Hispanic, and Pacific Islander) and/or has demonstrated a commitment to a career in psychology or a related field with a focus on ethnic minority issues.

**AWARDS AND CRITERIA**

The summer stipend will be \$3000 plus housing and travel funds. We will also assist the successful candidate in finding housing in Washington.

The application should include:

1. A cover page stating your name, institution, address, telephone number, fax number (if applicable), and email address.
2. A 3-page statement with detailed information that includes:
  - (a) reason for your interest in this fellowship
  - (b) your previous and current research experiences
  - (c) indication of your interest in ethnic minority psychological issues
  - (d) statement of how this fellowship would contribute to your career goals
3. Two letters of recommendation
4. Current curriculum vitae

## HOW TO APPLY

APPLY ONLINE NOW! Please visit [www.spssi.org/taylorfellowship](http://www.spssi.org/taylorfellowship) for details. Online submissions are the preferred method. Please limit the number and size of files uploaded when applying online. At the time you submit the application, please also send an email to Central Office at [awards@spssi.org](mailto:awards@spssi.org). As the subject of the email write "Taylor application." In the body of the email include the information from your cover page.

For hard copy submissions, please send five (5) copies of the application materials to: SPSSI, 208 I Street NE, Washington, DC 20002-4340.

## DEADLINE

Submission materials must be received by April 1st, 2009.

Announcements for this fellowship will be made by May 21st, 2009.