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Dear Colleague:

Accompanying this letter is a poster describing a fellowship opportunity for your students. The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans supports thirty individuals a year for up to two years of graduate study in any subject anywhere in the United States. Students already in graduate study are eligible, though not past their second year. The Fellowship provides \$20,000 maintenance and half tuition (up to a maximum of \$16,000 per annum) wherever the Fellow attends. Candidates must be either holders of Green Cards, naturalized citizens, or children of two naturalized citizen parents. The deadline is NOVEMBER 1, 2009 and the announcement of the recipients will be in March.

While we are open to supporting graduate education in any field anywhere in the United States, in the last few competitions we have been missing applicants in humanities, the fine and performing arts, engineering, and business. We encourage them to apply.

For the last competition, there were almost 750 applications. If you could put this poster in the hands of the appropriate person in your institution, I would be very grateful.

Sincerely yours,



Warren Ilchman

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