

# FRANCIS J. PLYM

## TRAVELING FELLOWSHIP IN ARCHITECTURE



**By authority of the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois, the Plym Traveling Fellowship Committee announces the competition for the award of the Francis J. Plym Traveling Fellowship in Architecture. The competition is open to graduates of the School of Architecture of the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, who are citizens of the United States and of good moral character. Graduates of the School may apply as often as they wish, but prior recipients of the Francis J. Plym Traveling Fellowship in Architecture are ineligible. Preference will be given to applicants whose portfolios represent up to two decades of professional development since graduation.**





# Francis J. Plym Traveling Fellowship in Architecture

School of Architecture  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Announcement.** The Illinois School of Architecture announces the competition for the Francis J. Plym Traveling Fellowship in Architecture. The 2021-2022 Fellowship carries a stipend of \$30,000, to be put toward defraying the expenses of the recipient for a period of at least three months in Europe devoted to the study of architecture.

**Eligibility.** The competition is open to graduates of the Illinois School of Architecture who are citizens of the United States. Graduates holding one or more of the following Illinois degrees are eligible to apply: the Bachelor of Architecture degree, the Bachelor of Science in Architectural Studies degree, the Master of Science in Architectural Engineering degree, or the Master of Architecture. Graduates of the school may apply as often as they wish, but prior recipients of the Francis J. Plym Traveling Fellowship in Architecture are ineligible. Preference will be given to applicants whose portfolios represent up to two decades of professional development since graduation. An electronic portfolio must be submitted by only one individual. Joint submissions will not be accepted.

**Selection.** Selection will be based on evaluation of the scope and quality of professional development as presented in the portfolio, and on the proposed use of the fellowship funds, as expressed in the applicant's narrative statement.

The school will also select a first alternate, who, if the nominee is unable to accept the stipulated conditions at the proper time as set forth in the Agreement of Acceptance of Conditions Governing the Use of a Plym Fellowship, may be recommended for appointment. The school reserves the right to withhold all recommendations.

The selection committee will consist of the Director of the School of Architecture as Chair, and distinguished members of the architecture profession and/or faculty noted for their professional and scholarly excellence.

## Document Submission.

- A narrative statement not to exceed 750 words, proposing how the award would be used (purpose, budget, travel, documentation methods, sites examined).
  - An electronic portfolio that presents a detailed record of professional experience since graduation, specific work (buildings, designs, analyses, reports, drawings, photo-graphs, etc.) done on an architectural project or projects under the applicant's own responsibility or for an employer, and any other material or evidence which will indicate professional competence, progress, promise. Additional documentation (e.g., videos) not be considered in the selection process.
  - Written certification that all portions of the portfolio are the applicant's own personal accomplishments, or, if done for an employer, the applicant must submit the employer's statement in writing as to the exact relationship between the applicant and the work submitted.
  - A signed Agreement of Acceptance of the Conditions Governing the Use of a Plym Fellowship.
  - Electronic portfolios for consideration by the Committee must be received by the Illinois School of Architecture no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, January 21, 2022. No extension of time will be allowed.
- Inquiries and electronic portfolios should be sent to Spring Harrison (sharriso@illinois.edu.) Portfolios must be submitted in pdf format, file size limited to 20MB.

The University of Illinois is an equal opportunity employer and all qualified applicants will receive consideration for the fellowship without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, status as a protected veteran, or status as a qualified individual with a disability. Illinois welcomes individuals with diverse backgrounds, experiences, and ideas who embrace and value diversity and inclusivity. For more information see <http://www.inclusiveillinois.illinois.edu>

## Francis J. Plym Fellows in Architecture

---

1911-12	Donald Graham, '07	1939-40	Bernard Holmes Bradley, '38	1972-73	Edward G. Raap, '66
1912-13	Edward R. Ludwig, '11		Howard E. Phillips, '39	1973-74	William B. Bauhs, '65
1913-14	Max A. Montgomery, '12	1940-41	Alexander Kouzmanoff, '40	1974-75	Eugene H. Clements, '67
1914-15	Charles B. McGrew, '13		Kenneth W. Brooks, '40	1975-76	Douglas R. Okun, '69
1915-16	Alexander R. Brandner, '13	1941-42	Richard E. Driver, '40		Michael J. Plautz, '69
1916-17	Roger C. Kirchhoff, '13	1950-51	William C. Muchow, '47	1976-77	Leon Goldenberg, '71
1917-18	Henry Dubin, '15		Robert P. Link, '48	1977-78	John R. Smart, '69
1920-21	Ernest Pickering, '20	1951-52	Sheldon Leroy Hill, '51	1978-79	Louis Wasserman, '74
1921-22	Floyd William Ray, '21		David Keith Pyle, '50	1979-80	Ralph E. Johnson, '71
1922-23	Edward Lawrence Hubbell, '22	1952-53	James Arthur Scheeler, '51	1980-81	Gary W. Stluka, '73
1923-24	John Donald Tuttle, '23		John Edward Severns, '52	1981-82	Kevin T. Triplett, '74
	George C. Hewes, '23	1953-54	Richard Edward Nevara, '51	1982-83	Carol Ross Barney, '71
1924-25	Earl Victor Gauger, '23		Delbert Everett Allison, '50	1983-84	Randall S. Lindstrom, '77
	Reuben Pfeiffer, '24	1954-55	Jim Kazuo Maeda, '54	1984-85	Robert E. Fugman, '71
1925-26	Albert Reyner Eastman, '23		Donald Eliot Thompson, '53	1985-86	Randall G. Dixon, '76
	Keith G. Reeve, '25	1955-56	Harold Campbell Young, '54	1986-87	Thomas A. Kubala, '80
1926-27	Frederich Harold Naegele, '25	1956-57	Jack Mitchell Goldman, '51	1987-88	August F. Battaglia, '77
	Harley J. McKee, '26		Joseph Robert Deshayes, '50	1988-89	John F. Kelley, '83
1927-28	Granville Spear Keith, '27		George Wesley Reihmer, '50	1989-90	Walter E. Miller, '79
	Edwin A. Horner, '22	1957-58	Donald Emil Sporleder, '55	1990-91	Lucinda A. Schlaffer, '77
1928-29	William Piers Crane II, '28		William Paul Wenzler, '52	1991-92	David M. Chasco, '80
	Emory M. Searcy, '28	1958-59	James Lee Caron, '56	1992-93	Marshall D. Arne, '84
1929-30	Donald Port Ayres, '29	1959-60	Richard Elmer Carlson, '55	1993-94	Greg J. Klein, '81
	John D. Jarvis, '29		Herbert Schneider, '57	1994-95	Kevin C. Rotheroe, '87
1930-31	Francis Joseph Heusel, '30	1960-61	Thomas David Green, '59	1995-96	Mark Zinni, '80
	Harlow Panhorst, '30	1961-62	Leonard Algot Peterson, '59	1996-97	Anne T. Sullivan, '86
1931-32	Charles T. Masterson, '30	1962-63	Donald E. Evenson, '61	1998-99	Patrick Loughran '90
	James E. Branch, '29		William Peter Milbratz, '54	1999-00	Jeffery P. Koerber, '90
1932-33	Kenneth Nels Lind, '31	1963-64	Russell Victor Keune, '61	2000-01	David E. Eckmann '87
	E. Todd Wheeler, '29		Frederic Derr Moyer, '60	2001-02	Paul H. Groh '89
1933-34	Charles G. Rummel, '33	1964-65	Raymond Stanley Chocholek, '60	2003-04	Jeffery Poss '80
	Richard L. Troxell, '29		Ronald Kent Sawyer, '63		Sylvia Juzwa '99
1934-35	William Vernon Reed, '30	1965-66	William Arthur Doyle, '61	2004-05	Michael Eichhorn '93
1935-36	Eugene Ferdinand Stoyke, '35		Helmut Ajango, '58	2006-07	Don McKay '84
	Carl John Sterner, '31	1966-67	Donald Raymond Sunshine, '57	2007-08	Ellen Mills '90
1936-37	Harris A. Kemp, '34		Charles Clyde Lozar, '64	2008-09	Douglas Gilbert '94
	Rudard Artaban Jones, '36	1967-68	William F. Schacht, '62	2009-10	David R. Franklin, '96
1937-38	Jedd S. Reisner, '34		Robert T. Mooney, '62	2010-11	S. Daniel Seng, '94
	David B. Runnells, '38	1968-69	J. Stroud Watson, Jr., '65	2012-13	Parsa Khalili, '09
1938-39	Leonard Wayman, '35	1969-70	Calvin H. Peck, '67	2013-14	Mark Olthoff, '03
	Thomas J. Imbs, '37	1970-71	James P. Warfield, '65	2016-17	Benjamin Hartigan, '11
		1971-72	William J. Voelker III, '65	2017-18	Aeron Hodges, '10
			Richard T. Banks, '64	2017-18	John Paul Rysavy, '11
				2018-19	Thomas Allen, '07
				2019-20	Michal Ojrzanowski, '12

**AGREEMENT OF ACCEPTANCE OF  
CONDITIONS GOVERNING THE USE OF  
THE PLYM FELLOWSHIP**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, the undersigned, agree to abide by the following conditions in the event of being appointed as a FRANCIS J. PLYM FELLOW by the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois, and have not been a previous recipient of this Fellowship:

1. To submit for the consideration of the Plym Fellowship Committee a proposed plan of study and a detailed itinerary. These documents are in addition to the proposed plan of study required in the portfolio.
2. To spend a period of at least three months in Europe in the diligent study of architecture following the plan and itinerary as approved by the Committee. The three months may not split with another person(s).
3. To depart within six months time after the date of written notification of appointment or forfeit the Fellowship to the first alternate.
4. To decline any remunerative employment or other engagement during the term of the Fellowship.
5. To study by close observation and analysis, significant buildings, both of the past and present, their use, construction, composition, decoration, character, setting, and relationship to the civilization that erected them. Likewise, to strive to attain a true understanding and appreciation of other manifestations of past and present civilizations.
6. To record conscientiously my impressions and analyses, digitally graphically and in writing.
7. To submit at the end of each month, to the Chair, Plym Traveling Fellowship Committee, a detailed report describing the places visited, impressions received, and progress being made.
8. To submit within three months after return to this country a final report in duplicate, summarizing the work and results of the Fellowship study. This report is to be illustrated and attractively presented with a hard cover and book bound spine.
9. To make no alteration of these conditions except with the written permission of the Committee.
10. To resign from the Fellowship if for any reason I am unable, or foresee inability, to comply with any of these conditions.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_