

**API Fellowships
2012 - 2013**

**Application Brochure and Form
*Maklumat dan Borang Permohonan***



**The Nippon Foundation Fellowships
for
Asian Public Intellectuals
(API Fellowships Program)**



What is the API Fellowships Program?

It is a fellowships program that provides a grant to successful applicants to carry out a project during the fellowship period of one month to one year in a country or countries participating in the API Fellowships Program (currently confined to Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand).

What are API Senior Fellowships and API Fellowships?

The fellowships are offered under two categories: API Senior Fellowships and API Fellowships.

The API Senior Fellowships are meant for those with an established track record as a public intellectual and who are at least 40 years of age, as of August 31, 2011. The fellowship period should be a minimum of one month to a maximum of twelve months in up to four of the countries participating in the API Fellowships Program (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines and Thailand).

The API Fellowships are for those under 40 years of age as of August 31, 2011. The fellowship period should be a minimum of four months to a maximum of twelve months in one or two of the countries participating in the API Fellowships Program (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines and Thailand).

For both categories, the fellowship period must be continuous and the minimum period of visit to a country where the proposed research project and/or professional activities are conducted is one month and cannot include the native country or country of residence.

What can I do as a project?

The project may take several forms: a research paper, a film, a series of journalistic articles, data gathering, building networks, a work of art, etc.; but it must fulfill the following three conditions:

- It must NOT be part of your regular employment output;
- It must contribute to the goals of the API Fellowships Program, and must fit in with the API themes (please refer to page 3);
- It must have a tangible output (a research paper, a film, a photo essay, etc.).

The project must be carried out in one or more of the API Participating Countries (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines and Thailand), but NOT in your native country or country of residence.

While Cambodia, Laos, and Vietnam have become members of the API Fellowships Program from 2010 and Fellowships have been awarded to applicants from these countries, these three countries are not as yet available as the country/ies to conduct projects.

You will need to identify one institution as the Host Institution in the country/ies where you propose to carry out your research project. The Host Institution will be your institution of affiliation for your fellowship period in the country.

The fellowship can start anytime on or after July 1, 2012 and ends on or by July 31, 2013. You must complete your project within this period.

Apakah itu Program API Fellowships?

Program ini memberikan dana kepada pemohon-pemohon yang berjaya untuk melakukan projek dalam tempoh fellowship yang merangkumi satu bulan sehingga satu tahun di sebuah atau lebih Negara-negara Peserta Program API Fellowships (yang sekarang hanya terbatas kepada Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai).

Apakah itu *API Senior Fellowships* dan *API Fellowships*?

Fellowships ini menawarkan dana kepada dua kategori iaitu: *API Senior Fellowships* dan *API Fellowships*.

API Senior Fellowships adalah untuk mereka yang telahpun mempunyai rekod yang baik sebagai cendekiawan awam dan berumur sekurang-kurangnya 40 tahun pada 31 Ogos 2011. Tempoh fellowship perlulah sekurang-kurangnya satu bulan dan maksimum dua belas bulan di salah satu sehingga keempat-empat buah negara yang menyertai program API Fellowships (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai).

API Fellowships adalah untuk mereka yang berumur di bawah 40 tahun pada 31 Ogos 2011. Tempoh fellowship perlulah sekurang-kurangnya 4 bulan dan maksimum 12 bulan di satu atau dua negara yang menyertai Program API Fellowships (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai).

Untuk kedua-dua kategori ini, tempoh fellowship mestilah dilakukan secara berterusan dengan tempoh minimum di setiap negara adalah selama satu bulan. Selain itu, tempoh fellowship juga mestilah tidak melibatkan negara asal atau negara di mana pemohon itu tinggal.

Apakah projek yang boleh dilakukan ?

Projek yang dilakukan boleh berbentuk kertas penyelidikan, sebuah filem, satu siri artikel jurnalistik, pengumpulan data, pembangunan rangkaian, hasil seni, dan lain-lain; namun mestilah mematuhi ketiga-tiga syarat di bawah:

- Projek mestilah BUKAN sebahagian daripada output pekerjaan tetap anda;
- Projek mestilah diusahakan untuk menyumbang kepada matlamat Program API Fellowships dan mestilah bersesuaian dengan tema-tema API (rujuk mukasurat 4);
- Projek dapat menghasilkan hasil yang boleh dilihat (kertas penyelidikan, filem, esei foto, dsb).

Projek tersebut mestilah dilakukan di dalam satu atau lebih Negara-negara Peserta API (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Filipina and Negara Thai), tetapi TIDAK di negara asal atau negara bermastautin.

Walaupun negara-negara seperti Kambodia, Laos, dan Vietnam telah menjadi peserta kepada Program API Fellowships sejak tahun 2010 dan dana Fellowships telah diberikan kepada pemohon-pemohon dari negara-negara tersebut, namun permohonan untuk menjalankan penyelidikan di negara-negara tersebut masih lagi belum dibuka.

Anda perlu mengenalpasti satu institusi, di setiap negara yang ingin dituju, sebagai Institusi Tempatan (*Host Institution*). Institusi Tempatan ini akan menjadi institusi afiliasi anda untuk sepanjang tempoh Fellowship anda di negara tersebut.

Fellowship boleh dimulakan pada bila-bila masa bermula atau pada 1 Julai 2012 dan berakhir sebelum atau pada 31 Julai 2013. Anda mestilah menyelesaikan projek anda di dalam tempoh yang diberikan.

Who can apply?

Anyone involved in the production and exchange of knowledge or ideas in line with the goals of the API Fellowships Program can apply. This includes academics, researchers, media professionals, artists, writers, NGO workers, social workers, public servants, and others who work for the betterment of society.

You will need sufficient knowledge of the English language to conduct your project and to share the results with the wider audience afterwards.

What are the goals of the API Fellowships Program?

The API Fellowships Program aims to:

- Create and nurture a community of public intellectuals in Asia,
- Promote mutual learning among Asian public intellectuals, and
- Contribute to the growth of public spaces in which effective responses to regional needs can be generated.

In selecting Fellows, the API Fellowships Program will favor those whose projects address critical issues in the region, use creative and multidisciplinary approaches, and have some element of advocacy.

What are the API themes for this year?

- Changing Identities and Their Social, Historical, and Cultural Contexts
- Reflections on the Human Condition and the Search for Social Justice
- Globalization: Structures, Processes, and Alternatives

What is the API Community?

The API Community consists of (1) all recipients of the API Senior Fellowships or the API Fellowships, who have finished their fellowship activities and participated in the API Regional Workshop, and (2) everyone involved in the API Fellowships Program as selection committee members, Program Directors, and Coordinators. This growing community now numbers more than 300 individuals of varied backgrounds, but with a shared commitment. Members meet in local and cross-country functions, as well as through informal networks and collaborative projects at the national and the regional levels.

What does the API Fellowships Program provide?

- A stipend and housing allowance during the fellowship period. The amount varies by country and the length of the fellowship.
- International transportation costs for one round trip.
- Domestic transportation allowance.
- Research allowance to cover computer costs, field expenses, books, translation fees, etc.
- Travel insurance during the fellowship period.

Siapa yang boleh memohon?

Sesiapa yang terlibat dalam penghasilan dan pertukaran pengetahuan atau idea yang selari dengan matlamat Program API Fellowships boleh memohon. Ini termasuklah ahli akademik, penyelidik, ahli media profesional, penggiat seni, penulis, sukarelawan NGO, penjawat awam dan sesiapa yang bekerja ke arah memperbaiki keadaan masyarakat.

Anda perlu mempunyai pengetahuan Bahasa Inggeris yang sepenuhnya untuk menjalankan projek dan berupaya membentangkan hasilnya kepada audien yang lebih luas selepas projek tersebut.

Apakah API Fellowships dan API Senior Fellowships?

Program API Fellowships bertujuan untuk:

- Mewujudkan dan memupuk satu komuniti cendekiawan umum Asia,
- Menggalakkan usaha saling mempelajari antara cendekiawan-cendekiawan Asia, dan
- Menyumbang kepada perkembangan ruang umum di mana tindakbalas yang efektif dapat dihasilkan dan disalurkan kepada keperluan serantau.

Dalam proses pemilihan Felo, Program ini akan memilih projek-projek yang memberi fokus kepada isu-isu kritikal rantau Asia dengan menggunakan pendekatan kreatif dan pelbagai disiplin, serta mempunyai unsur-unsur advokasi.

Apakah tema-tema API bagi tahun ini?

- Perubahan Identiti dalam Konteks Sosial, Sejarah, dan Budaya
- Refleksi kepada Keadaan Manusia dan Usaha Ke Arah Keadilan Sosial
- Globalisasi: Struktur, Proses dan Alternatif

Apakah itu Komuniti API?

Komuniti API terdiri daripada (1) penerima-penerima dana *API Fellowships* dan *API Senior Fellowships* yang telah selesai melakukan aktiviti Fellowshipnya serta telah menyertai Bengkel Serantau API (*API Regional Workshop*), dan (2) semua yang terlibat dengan Program ini, sama ada daripada ahli jawatankuasa pemilihan, Pengarah dan Penyelaras Program. Komuniti ini semakin berkembang dan sehingga kini melebihi 300 orang ahli yang terdiri daripada pelbagai latarbelakang namun mempunyai komitmen yang sama. Ahli-ahli akan berkumpul dan berjumpa dalam acara-acara di peringkat negara atau antara negara-negara, serta melalui jaringan rangkaian tidak formal dan projek-projek kolaborasi tempatan dan serantau.

Apakah yang diberikan oleh API Fellowships?

- Elaun harian dan perumahan, hanya untuk tempoh Fellowships sahaja. Jumlah peruntukan adalah berbeza bergantung kepada negara dan tempoh Fellowships.
- Kos pengangkutan antarabangsa untuk satu pusingan perjalanan pergi balik sahaja.
- Elaun pengangkutan domestik.
- Elaun penyelidikan untuk kos pembelian komputer dan buku-buku rujukan, perbelanjaan kerja-kerja lapangan, bayaran penterjemahan dan lain-lain.
- Insurans perjalan untuk sepanjang tempoh fellowship.

How are API Fellows chosen?

In each Participating Country (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines and Thailand), there is a selection committee comprised of established public intellectuals. This committee evaluates all the applications, invites a shortlist for interview, and sends its recommendations to an International Selection Committee which makes the final decision. The selection procedure is confidential.

What is the schedule for the selection process?

- The application period is from July 1, 2011 to August 31, 2011.
- Interviews will take place in September/October 2011*.
- The results will be announced in February 2012.

* There will be no make-up interview if the applicant is not able to attend the interview on the designated date. Therefore, those who cannot be present on the interview day will be automatically dropped from the selection process.

Selected Fellows will be required:

- To attend the Orientation and Country Workshop in February/March 2012.
- To carry out the project within the time frame of July 1, 2012 and July 31, 2013.
- To attend the annual API Regional Workshop to be held in November 2013.
- To present the results of the project through papers and other materials.
- To disseminate the results of the project to a wider audience, whenever possible.
- To submit a final Workshop Paper for publication after the API Regional Workshop.

By fulfilling all commitments above, you will become a member of the API Community. You will be expected to participate in the various activities of the Community, and you will have opportunities to apply for post-fellowship programs.

Where can I get more information?

Kindly visit the API website (www.api-fellowships.org). Contact the Partner Institution of your country directly should you have any questions.

Note: Please take careful note of the projects conducted by Fellows in previous years, which you can find from the API website (<http://www.api-fellowships.org/body/profile.php>). Try to avoid doing a project that is overly similar to any one of them.

Where do I apply?

Apply to the Partner Institution in your native country or country of residence. Refer to page 10 for further details on Partner Institutions.

Bagaimanakah Pemilihan Felo API?

Di setiap Negara Peserta (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai), terdapat satu jawatankuasa pemilihan yang dianggotai para cendekiawan awam tempatan. Jawatankuasa ini akan menilai semua permohonan, menemuduga calon yang tersenarai pendek, dan memberi cadangan kepada Jawatankuasa Pemilihan Antarabangsa (*International Selection Committee*) untuk keputusan akhir. Prosedur pemilihan adalah sulit dan tidak boleh didedahkan.

Apakah jadual proses pemilihan?

- Penerimaan permohonan adalah daripada 1 Julai sehingga 31 Ogos 2011.
- Temuduga akan diadakan di antara tempoh September/Oktober 2011*.
- Keputusan pemilihan akan diumumkan pada Februari 2012.

* Pemohon yang tidak dapat menghadiri temuduga pada tarikh yang ditetapkan tidak akan diberikan tarikh lain untuk ditemuduga. Seterusnya, permohonan tersebut juga akan digugurkan daripada proses pemilihan.

Felo yang Terpilih perlulah:

- Menghadiri Orientasi dan *Country Workshop* pada Februari atau Mac 2012.
- Menjalankan projek di dalam tempoh 1 Julai 2012 dan 31 Julai 2013.
- Menghadiri *API Regional Workshop* pada November 2013.
- Membentangkan hasil projek melalui kertas kerja atau material-material lain.
- Menyebarkan hasil projek kepada audien yang lebih luas, seboleh mungkin.
- Menghantar Kertas Bengkel (*Workshop Paper*) untuk diterbitkan selepas *API Regional Workshop*.

Dengan memenuhi komitmen-komitmen di atas, anda akan menjadi sebahagian daripada Komuniti API. Anda juga diperlukan untuk menyertai beberapa aktiviti Komuniti dan berpeluang untuk memohon sebarang program-program pasca-fellowships.

Bagaimanakah untuk mendapatkan maklumat lanjut?

Lawati laman web API (www.api-fellowships.org). Hubungi Institusi Peserta di negara anda sekiranya terdapat sebarang pertanyaan.

Perhatian: Mohon rujuk senarai projek-projek yang telah dilakukan oleh Felo-Felo API sebelum ini di (<http://www.api-fellowships.org/body/profile.php>). Semasa menulis cadangan, cuba elakkan daripada memberi cadangan yang menyerupai projek-projek tersebut.

Ke Mana saya perlu menghantar permohonan?

Permohonan boleh dihantar ke Institusi Peserta di negara asal atau negara tempat pemohon itu tinggal. Mohon rujuk muka surat 14 untuk maklumat lanjut tentang Institusi-Institusi Peserta.

Please note!

- You may NOT apply for an API Fellowship for a project in your native country and/or country of residence (if different from the native country). While Cambodia, Laos, and Vietnam have become members of API, these three countries are not yet available for the conduct of projects.
- You need to identify a Host Institution in the country/ies where you propose to carry out your research project.
- Your application must be typewritten. Handwritten applications will not be processed.
- The selection procedure is confidential.
- There will be no make-up interview if the applicant is not able to attend the interview on the designated date. Those who cannot be present on the interview day will be automatically dropped from the selection process.
- Any misrepresentations made willfully or otherwise, in the application or accompanying documents, may cause the revocation of a Fellowship grant at any time.
- It is mandatory to attend the Orientation and Country Workshop on the designated date once you are selected as API Fellow.
- Costs for the proper visas and/or research permits in the country/ies where the research project is to be carried out will have to be covered by the Fellow.

Perhatian!

- Anda TIDAK boleh memohon Fellowships API untuk menjalankan projek di negara sendiri atau negara bermastautin. Walaupun negara-negara seperti Kambodia, Laos, dan Vietnam telah menjadi peserta kepada Program API, namun permohonan untuk menjalankan penyelidikan di negara-negara tersebut masih belum lagi dibuka.
- Anda perlu mengenalpasti satu institusi sebagai Institusi Tempatan (*Host Institution*) di setiap negara yang ingin dituju.
- Permohonan anda perlulah ditaip. Kami tidak akan memproses permohonan yang bertulis tangan.
- Proses pemilihan Felo API adalah sulit dan tidak boleh didedahkan.
- Pemohon yang tidak dapat menghadiri temuduga pada tarikh yang ditetapkan tidak akan diberikan tarikh lain untuk ditemuduga. Permohonan tersebut juga akan digugurkan daripada proses pemilihan.
- Sebarang percanggahan maklumat yang disengajakan atau tidak, sama ada di dalam permohonan atau dokumen-dokumen lain yang dihantar, boleh menyebabkan geran Fellowships akan ditarik pada bila-bila masa sahaja.
- Pemohon-pemohon yang telah berjaya perlu menghadiri Orientasi pada tarikh yang telah ditetapkan.
- Kos-kos untuk mendapatkan visa dan permit penyelidikan di negara-negara yang ingin dilakukan projek penyelidikan adalah di bawah tanggungjawab felo tersebut sendiri.

Terms and Conditions

The API Fellowships Program offers two categories: API Senior Fellowships and API Fellowships. The categorization is based essentially on the age of the applicant.

General Eligibility for both the API Senior Fellowships and API Fellowships

- Applicants must hold a proper residence status of one of the five Participating Countries and reside in the country (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines and Thailand) at the time of the application;
- Applicants must attend the interview at the designated date and place;
- Applicants must propose research projects and/or professional activities which start after July 1, 2012 and should be completed on or by the end of July 2013;
- Applicants must have a basic knowledge of English. An ability to speak a language/s of the country/ies where the proposed research project and/or professional activities are conducted will be an asset; and
- Applicants must be based in the region/country and will continue to be so in the future.
- When selected, they must attend the Orientation and Country Workshop in February/March 2012. Absence from the Orientation may cause the cancellation of the fellowship grant.

API Senior Fellowships

In addition to the general eligibility above, the applicants for the API Senior Fellowships must:

- Be 40 years of age or more as of August 31, 2011 (exceptions may be made);
- Have the ability and experience to conduct research projects and/or professional activities in the Participating Countries (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand) other than his/her native country or country of residence;
- Undertake the proposed research projects and/or professional activities in up to four of the Participating Countries (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand), but in a country/ies other than in the applicant's native country or country of residence;
- Undertake the proposed research projects and/or professional activities for a continuous period of between one to 12 months; and
- Have the ability, influence, and means to disseminate the results of their research projects and/or professional activities.

API Fellowships

In addition to the general eligibility above, the applicants for the API Fellowships must:

- Be under the age of 40 as of August 31, 2011 (exceptions may be made);
- Have the ability and desire to engage in research projects and/or professional activities in the Participating Countries (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand) other than his/her native or country of residence;
- Have a strong potential to contribute to their field in the future;
- Undertake the proposed research projects and/or professional activities for a continuous period of between four to 12 months; and
- Undertake the proposed research projects and/or professional activities in up to two of the Participating Countries (Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, the Philippines, and Thailand), but in a country/ies other than the applicant's native country or country of residence.

Terma dan Syarat-syarat

Program API Fellowships menawarkan dana untuk dua kategori: *API Senior Fellowships* dan *API Fellowships*. Pengkategorian adalah berdasarkan kepada umur pemohon.

Kelayakan Umum untuk *API Senior Fellowships* dan *API Fellowships*

- Pemohon perlulah mempunyai kewarganegaraan atau bertaraf penduduk tetap di salah satu daripada lima Negara Peserta dan tinggal di negara tersebut (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai) semasa membuat permohonan;
- Pemohon perlu menghadiri temuduga pada masa dan tempat yang telah ditetapkan;
- Pemohon perlu mencadangkan projek penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional yang akan bermula pada 1 Julai 2012 dan perlu diselesaikan sebelum atau pada akhir Julai 2013;
- Pemohon perlulah mempunyai pengetahuan Bahasa Inggeris atau bahasa-bahasa yang digunakan di negara-negara yang akan dilawati semasa fellowship tersebut;
- Pemohon perlulah pemastautin di rantau/negara ini dan akan terus berada di sini pada masa hadapan;
- Setelah terpilih, pemohon perlulah menghadiri Orientasi dan *Country Workshop* pada Februari / Mac 2012. Ketidakhadiran boleh menyebabkan pemohon yang terpilih akan terbatal.

API Senior Fellowships

Di samping syarat kelayakan umum seperti di atas, pemohon *API Senior Fellowships* juga perlulah:

- Berumur 40 tahun dan ke atas pada 31 Ogos 2011 (pengecualian boleh dibuat);
- Mempunyai kebolehan dan pengalaman untuk melakukan penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional di Negara Peserta API (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai) selain negara asal/tetap pemohon;
- Melakukan penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional di salah satu atau sehingga empat Negara-Negara Peserta API (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai), tetapi selain negara asal/tetap pemohon;
- Melakukan penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional untuk tempoh di antara satu sehingga 12 bulan; dan
- Mempunyai keupayaan, pengaruh dan cara untuk menyebarkan hasil projek penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti penyelidikan.

API Fellowships

Di samping syarat kelayakan umum seperti di atas, pemohon *API Fellowships* perlulah:

- Berumur di bawah 40 tahun pada 31 Ogos 2011 (pengecualian boleh dibuat);
- Mempunyai kebolehan dan kesungguhan untuk melakukan projek penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional di Negara Peserta API (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai) selain negara asal/tetap pemohon;
- Mempunyai potensi yang tinggi dalam memberi sumbangan kepada bidang mereka di masa hadapan;
- Melakukan projek penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional untuk tempoh yang berterusan di antara empat hingga 12 bulan; dan
- Melakukan projek penyelidikan dan/atau aktiviti-aktiviti profesional di salah satu atau dua Negara-Negara Peserta API (Indonesia, Jepun, Malaysia, Filipina dan Negara Thai), selain negara asal/tetap pemohon.

Application materials must consist of the following:

1. **Application Form** and Datasheet (Please refer to pages 13 & 14. You may download it from the website and your information must be type-written.)
2. **A Cover Letter** with a brief introduction of yourself and details as to why you are applying for the API Fellowships Program.
3. **A full Curriculum Vitae** written in English. It should maximum of three pages in length and should contain details on your education, professional career, publications, and achievements.
4. **A Project Proposal** addressing the following questions (maximum of five pages in length):
 - (1) Why are you applying for the API Fellowships Program?
 - (2) Who are “public intellectuals” in your definition?
 - (3) What is your project? Please answer in detail.
 - (4) Why do you want to carry out this project?
 - (5) Why are you the right person to do this project? (*Mention relevant previous experience.*)
 - (6) How are you going to do it? (*Methodology*)
 - (7) What will the outputs of your project be (*Research paper, video, performance, etc.*) and how will you disseminate them?
 - (8) How will your project contribute to the goals of API?
 - (9) What are your past achievements and future plans as a public intellectual (*organization, advocacy, publications, etc.*)? How will this Fellowship help you?
5. **Two Reference Letters** with the original signatures of the referees. If these are not in English, you must provide an English translation. These letters should be addressed to the API Fellowships Program, and should have been written within three months before the deadline for submission.

Note:

- Project proposals written by persons other than the applicant himself/herself are not acceptable.
- Any form of plagiarism in the project proposal is also strictly prohibited.


Permohonan perlulah mengandungi bahan-bahan berikut:

6. **Borang Permohonan** (Rujuk muka surat 13 & 14. Borang boleh dimuat turun daripada laman web dan perlu ditaip).
7. **Surat Pengenalan Diri** yang ringkas dalam Bahasa Inggeris tentang diri anda dan mengapa anda memohon API Fellowships.
8. **Butir Peribadi yang lengkap** ditulis dalam Bahasa Inggeris. Tidak melebihi tiga muka surat dan mengandungi maklumat tentang pendidikan, pekerjaan profesional, penerbitan dan pencapaian.
9. **Cadangan Projek** ditulis dalam Bahasa Inggeris yang mengambilkira perkara-perkara di bawah ini (maksimum 5 muka surat sahaja):
 - (1) Mengapa anda memohon Program API Fellowships?
 - (2) Siapakah 'cendekiawan umum' mengikut definisi anda?
 - (3) Apakah projek anda? Jawab dengan terperinci.
 - (4) Mengapa anda mahu melakukan projek ini?
 - (5) Mengapa anda adalah individu yang layak untuk melakukan projek ini? (*Nyatakan pengalaman-pengalaman anda sebelum ini*)
 - (6) Bagaimana anda akan melakukannya? (*Metodologi*)
 - (7) Apakah output yang diinginkan daripada projek ini? (*Kertas penyelidikan, video, persembahan atau lain-lain*) dan bagaimana penyebaran hasil projek tersebut?
 - (8) Bagaimanakah projek ini dapat menyumbang kepada matlamat API?
 - (9) Apakah pencapaian anda sebelum ini dan perancangan masa depan anda sebagai seorang cendekiawan awam (*organisasi, advokasi, penerbitan dll.*)? Bagaimanakah fellowships ini boleh membantu anda mencapainya?
10. **Dua Surat Rujukan** dengan tandatangan asli daripada perujuk. Sekiranya bukan dalam bahasa Inggeris, mohon sediakan lampiran terjemahannya. Surat-surat tersebut perlu dialamatkan kepada Program API Fellowships dan bertarikh sekurang-kurangnya dalam tempoh tiga bulan sebelum tarikh tutup permohonan.

Nota:

- Cadangan projek perlulah ditulis oleh pemohon sendiri. Cadangan yang ditulis selain daripada pemohon akan ditolak.
- Sebarang bentuk plagiarisme di dalam Cadangan Projek adalah dilarang.

Datasheet for Applicants for Year 2012-2013

<p align="center">INSTRUCTIONS <i>Please answer each question clearly and completely. TYPE ONLY. Handwritten applications will not be accepted.</i></p>		 API Fellowships Program	
12. Your title (Dr., Prof., Ms., etc.)	13. Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy) / /	14. Sex Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/>	15. Age
16. Current position/profession/affiliation			
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