

HART HOWERTON TRAVEL FELLOWSHIP FAQ'S

Q: I'm in a related field of study, such as interior design, real estate, or urban design. Am I eligible to apply?

A: Yes, students in a related field of study are eligible to apply.

Q: A portfolio is required, but my academic program (such as real estate) doesn't produce a traditional design portfolio. What should I do?

A: We understand that a traditional design portfolio isn't applicable to all programs. Our goal is to understand your skills, background and interests, so submit material that you feel represents you best.

Q: When I'm in the office, what projects will I be working on?

A: We are working on many exciting projects, and we make our best effort to align your interests with project work. The specific project assignments will be made when you arrive at the office.

Q: I'm graduating in two or more years. Can I apply?

A: Preference is given to students who will be entering their final year of study. However, we have awarded the Fellowship to students earlier in their education, and we may do so again. You may apply.

Q: I'm graduating this coming spring. Can I apply and do the Fellowship after I graduate?

A: No. Students now in their final year of study are not eligible.

Q: Do you have any preference for where I should propose to travel or what the topic should be?

A: No. We're interested in hearing what you, as the next generation of design thinking, find important. Your proposal should align with one of the Firm's two research initiatives. These are described in the application.

Q: How much detail should I provide about my proposed travel?

A: Preference is given to well-considered, realistic travel proposals. Information such as destination(s), travel dates, people to contact, and costs is helpful to us. Tentative information is fine. Final arrangements are not expected for the application.

Q: Who is the selection jury? Who makes the final decision?

A: The selection is made by a committee of principals and staff at Hart Howerton.

