Institue of International Education (IIE) announces a competition of the Richard A. Horovitz Fund for Professional Development for the 2014-15 academic year.

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The Horovitz Fund is dedicated to African artists and scholars in the humanities and social sciences. Award winner(s) receive funds to defray educational costs for one academic year, renewable for a second year based on satisfactory academic performance and continued need.

The amount of the award ranges from \$10,000 to \$17,000 dispersed over two years; and funds may be used to cover thesis research, tuition, living costs, etc.

Application Criteria include:

- ? Be a citizen of a sub-Saharan African country
- ? Be a graduate student, researcher or artist in a program at an accredited U.S. university, cultural or artistic institution (on a F or J visa)
- ? Specialize in the humanities or social sciences
- ? Demonstrate academic achievement, by transcripts and letters of recommendation from faculty members
- ? Demonstrate financial need
- ? Not be currently funded by an established education grant program

Qualified candidates should contact <u>Horovitz@iie.org</u> to request an application. Completed applications should be submitted to IIE no later than May 15, 2014.

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