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LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES

SUMMER 2023 FLAS FELLOWSHIP  
LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION  
WAIVER FORM

Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Academic Year Fellowships for the training in Latin American Less Commonly Taught Languages (LCTL).

I. THIS SECTION TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT

Name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Prospective or current Stanford department: \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed language (and level) of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of recommender: \_\_\_\_\_

The family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and its amendments guarantee students access to educational records concerning them. Students are also permitted to waive their right of access to recommendations. Please indicate your wish and sign below:

\_\_\_\_\_ I waive my right to inspect this recommendation

\_\_\_\_\_ I do not waive my right to inspect this recommendation

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

II. THIS SECTION FOR RECOMMENDER

The student whose name appears above is applying for a Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship for Summer 2023. These fellowships provide tuition and stipend support to students undergoing advanced training in the study of Latin American Less Commonly Taught Languages (LCTL).

Please attach this form to your letter evaluating this applicant's strengths and weaknesses, taking into account his/her seriousness of purpose, potential for high academic achievement, as well as the significance of the language and Latin American area expertise to the applicant's academic training and career goals. If your contact with the applicant has involved use of the language given above, your comments as to the level of expertise achieved to date will be especially appreciated.

Submit online at <https://forms.gle/ddfBf5TEDMMJoMFw8> by February 15, 2023.

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