



# Brandeis University

## The Heller School for Social Policy and Management

### GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN COEXISTENCE AND CONFLICT

#### **PRACTICUM / FIELD WORK – Costs/Funding/Sponsorship** **Summer and Fall (2)**

All students are responsible for funding their own research projects and sustaining themselves throughout the summer and the following fall. Students should plan not only for funds (i.e. housing, food, etc.) during their time in the field, but also for the fall semester. Regardless of where you are in the fall while writing your final paper (field, your home country, at Brandeis), you are considered a post-resident student and must pay fees of approximately \$1,400 to maintain student status.

Also note that if you are at Brandeis in the fall you will need to maintain your health insurance coverage (approximately \$1,800) per Massachusetts State Law.

While the COEX program does offer a minimal travel stipend (to be determined) to help you reach your destination, you need to plan ahead so that you have sufficient funds for other costs such as local travel, lodging, food and other personal needs. The travel stipend awarded must be for a round trip ticket. Those who are sponsored students are not eligible.

If you would like to seek alternate funding, please see the COEX web site (<http://heller.brandeis.edu/academic/coex/students/scholarships.html>) and also check Career Connect for further information.

In the past we have had students receive both the Boren Fellowship and the Program on Negotiation (PON) Summer Fellowship. Be sure to keep application dates in mind as they do come up quickly. Boren's date is in January and PON is in April. See Adam Motenko (Career Advisor) for questions and assistance in preparing applications.