



## Trinity Fellows Program

# Student Information Sheet 2017-19

### Description

The Trinity Fellows Program of Marquette University was created in keeping with an ideal central to the university's mission - the promotion of justice and faith through service - to develop urban leaders with a commitment to social and economic justice.

Trinity Fellows participate in a 21-month study/work program while earning Master's degrees in one of the following fields:

Business Administration  
Civil & Environmental Engineering  
Communication  
Economics  
Educational Policy and Leadership

English  
History  
Human Resources  
Applied Philosophy  
Political Science

Pol Sci -International Affairs  
Public Service-Nonprofit  
Administration or  
Healthcare Administration  
Theology

Fellows are expected to complete their Master's program in two years, enrolling in approximately nine credits per semester. They are also required to take nine elective credits in the following urban issues courses:

- Social Entrepreneurship, Nonprofit Organizations
- The Nature of Cities, Urban Policy and Politics
- Social Justice, Social Activism

In addition to their full time studies, Fellows work in meaningful, substantive projects designed by selected nonprofit organizations in the Milwaukee area. Fellows work at their agency-based graduate assistantships 18 hours per week during the academic year, and 40 hours per week during the summer between academic years. Expectations for time at work site are dictated by the agency's calendar, not the University's calendar. Current agency partners are:

- Adult Learning Center
- ACTS Housing
- Alliance for Strong Families & Communities, Center for Engagement and Community Building
- After Breast Cancer Diagnosis (ABCD)
- Artists Working in Education
- City on a Hill
- City Year
- Community Development Alliance
- Cristo Rey Jesuit High School
- Dominican Center for Women
- Greater Milwaukee Committee
- Greater Milwaukee Foundation
- International Institute of WI
- Journey House
- Menomonee Valley Partners
- Milwaukee Center for Independence
- Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra
- St. Joan Antida High School
- WI Regional Training Partnership
- United Neighborhood Centers Of Milwaukee (UNCOM)
- Zilber Family Foundation

**Requirements:** Applicant must meet the admission requirements of the Marquette University graduate program of choice. Prior Peace Corps, Jesuit Volunteer Corps, AmeriCorps or other comparable post baccalaureate full-time volunteer service is also mandatory.

**Benefits:** Fellowships include a full tuition scholarship and a monthly stipend for books, health insurance, and other living expenses. Current stipend is \$1565 per month.

**Fees:** Each Fellow contributes a participation fee of \$1,250 per semester; the participation fee totals \$5000 for the 21-month, four-semester fellowship term. This contribution may come from an AmeriCorps education voucher, a portion of the Peace Corps readjustment allowance, or a similar grant.

**Expected fall enrollment:** 15 Fellows

**Fellowship term:** Our next fellowship term is from mid-August 2017 – May 31, 2019

**For more information:** Visit [www.marquette.edu/trinityfellows](http://www.marquette.edu/trinityfellows) or contact [carole.ferrara@marquette.edu](mailto:carole.ferrara@marquette.edu)

**Student Application Deadline  
JANUARY 15, 2017**