



Know a young scholar in Germany who would like to conduct research related to classical studies at your university? Need funding?

American Friends of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation announces the

William M. Calder III Fellowship

for young German scholars wishing to pursue research in or related to classical studies

Through its **Feodor Lynen Fellowship Program**, Germany's Alexander von Humboldt Foundation provides opportunities for highly qualified German scholars of all academic disciplines to conduct research abroad in cooperation with scholars who have previously received a grant from the Foundation. The program requires a financial contribution to the stipend from the host institution.

To offset this cost for a U.S. institution, the **William M. Calder III Fellowship** is awarded annually by American Friends of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation to an eligible Feodor Lynen Fellow who will be conducting research in the United States; scholars in classical studies are eligible as are Lynen fellows in other disciplines who have research projects that relate to the classics.

A generous gift from William M. Calder III, William Abbott Oldfather Professor of the Classics at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and a recipient of the Humboldt Research Award in 1997, allowed American Friends to create the Calder Fellowship. The Fellowship was awarded for the first time in July 2004 to Dr. Gyburg Radke, a Feodor Lynen Fellow from the University of Marburg conducting research at Harvard University's Department of Classics.

The Selection Committee meets in July and considers all scholars in the classics approved by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation for a Feodor Lynen Fellowship within the previous 12 months.

Applicants to the Feodor Lynen Program must hold a doctorate and have completed their Ph.D. in fewer than 12 years before the deadline for the Lynen application. Criteria for selection include: outstanding academic qualifications, the originality of the research proposal, scholarly publications, and references. For information and applications, visit <http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/programmes.html>. Preference is given to scholars planning to conduct research at **Columbia University, Harvard University, University of Chicago, University of Colorado at Boulder, and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign**—all institutions where Prof. William Calder has studied or taught.

For further information about American Friends of the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation and the Calder Fellowship, see **www.americanfriends-of-avh.org** or contact Dr. Cathleen S. Fisher, Executive Director, by email at cathleenfisher@americanfriends-of-avh.org or by telephone at 202-783-1907.