

ACE-NIKAIDO FELLOWSHIP

SAMPLE OF PREVIOUSLY AWARDED PROJECTS

- *Proposals for conference travel should be for presentations, not just attendance.*
- Conduct fieldwork in Japan to interview Japanese scholars and policymakers on how Japan's foreign policy on the import of hazardous material and export of waste management technology may provide a global solution to transnational hazardous waste management.
- Research trip to Fukushima to obtain documentary films on the 3.11 earthquake that are only available in the local community and interact with film and media communities in Japan for resources central to dissertation.
- Conduct research in the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) facility in College Park, Maryland, and at the Hill Library Archive of North Carolina State University in Raleigh to obtain necessary information on radiophoto operations in Japan and seek translation support of Japanese documents in order to complete dissertation on telecommunication networks.
- Intensive Japanese Language study at UCLA over the summer to gain access to primary sources for dissertation research on the U.S.-Asian interaction in Asian Pop Culture.
- Conduct research in Japan to produce annotated translations of sections Heian-period law codes and commentaries relevant to *ritsuryō* state noble-class genealogies.
- Research trip to Tokyo to study Japanese Prime Minister Shinzo Abe's foreign policy including interviews with business leaders, journalists, economists and university professors, and retired policy makers in the Liberal Democratic Party. **This led to a published article in [The Diplomat](#).*