

## THE 2017 NEW GLOBAL AGENDA FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION

The 2017 New Global Agenda Fellowship provides opportunity to work directly with Global Momenta in the development, research, and preparation of *The 2017 New Global Agenda*. *The 2017 New Global Agenda* analyzes the priority challenges facing our world, and highlights key strategies to address them. The book presents an inclusive framework for the international community, emphasizing opportunities emerging from social innovation, digital technology, science, big data, and systems design, setting the work of the United Nations and intergovernmental agencies in the context of multi-sector perspectives and multi-stakeholder partnerships with the private sector and civil society.

*The 2017 New Global Agenda* will be edited by Diana Ayton-Shenker, author of *A Global Agenda: Current Issues Before the United Nations* (Rowman & Littlefield, 2001) and *A Global Agenda: Current Issues Before the United Nations* (Rowman & Littlefield, 2002). Contributing authors will include leading authorities and experts on issues including: sustainable development, human rights and international law, humanitarian assistance, security and peace, public health, climate change, energy and resource management, international finance, international governance and the forces of nationalization and globalization. Augmented by interactive, ongoing digital presence and content development, the book is envisioned as an annual publication to be developed by Global Momenta in partnership with academic, philanthropic and nonprofit organizations supporting the work & goals of the U.N. Publication release is scheduled for early September 2017 preceding the U.N. General Assembly and aligning with academic calendars.

**Fellowship responsibilities** entail book publication support, including research assistance, fact-checking, proofreading, author liaison, light editing. Fellowship begins January 20 and continues through June 2017. All fellows in good standing who complete work responsibilities will receive acknowledgment by name in the publication, and invitation to NYC book launch. **This is an unpaid fellowship**, to be carried out **remotely & flexibly**.

### Deadlines & Timeline:

- November 18, 2016: Early Application\* opens
- December 5, 2016: General Application announcement
- December 10, 2016: *Extended* Early Application\* deadline
- December 14, 2016: Early Application\* notification
- December 19, 2016: General Application deadline (open general)
- December 30, 2016: General Application notification
- January 6, 2017: Acceptance of Fellowship Commitment Due
- January 20, 2017: Fellowship Orientation, input on book design
- February – April 2017: Research assistance, author liaison, fact-checking
- May – June 2017: proofreading, light editing

\*exclusive for members of the Ivy Council, Ivy Leadership Summit and by invitation



Please submit to the following to [info@globalmomenta.com](mailto:info@globalmomenta.com) by **December 19, 2016**

### **Applicant Info:**

- Full Name, what you prefer to be called, preferred pronun(s)
- Contact info: email and cell phone #
- University affiliation, anticipated year of graduation, academic major or focus of study
- Relevant link(s) to indicate your background and profile, such as LinkedIn, an online Bio or resume, a blog or website, etc.
- 2 References: name, relationship to you, email and telephone

### **Questions (*short answers, please!*):**

1. What are the top three issue areas you'd like to see and work on in the New Global Agenda? Please select from the following or propose your own issue/theme: sustainable development, human rights and international law, humanitarian assistance, security and peace, public health, climate change, energy and resource management, international finance, international governance and the forces of nationalization and globalization.
2. What question(s) do you think *The 2017 New Global Agenda* should try to answer?
3. Consider the following quote from Mark Nepo who writes in his poem, "This Poem Should be a Circle": *I wish for you the courage to ask of everyone you meet, "what bridge are we?"* How might you approach The 2017 New Global Agenda Fellowship as a bridge? What bridge are we? (Please keep your answer short and sweet...absolutely no more than a page, longer than a haiku.)

OPTIONAL: something else you think is super important for you to convey as an applicant (but only if it really is. Really.).

NOTE: please do not send us your transcript, SAT or ACT scores, or a revised version of college application essays. We know you're smart and impressive! We just want a sense of how you might fit into this project. Thank you for your interest. Good Luck!