

DOLORES ZOHRAB LIEBMANN FUND – CONDITIONS FOR 2027-2028

AND CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

DEADLINE TO APPLY: DECEMBER 18, 2026

CANDIDATE QUALIFICATIONS

1. Fellowships are available to students who are currently enrolled in and pursuing a **graduate degree** at a **designated** institution of higher learning located in the United States of America. **Undergraduate students are no longer qualified candidates.**
2. The program of study being pursued by the candidate may include any recognized field of study in the humanities, social sciences, or natural sciences (including law, medicine, engineering, architecture or other formal professional training). **The selection committee has a strong preference for supporting scholarly endeavors.**
3. The candidate must have **received a baccalaureate degree** at the time of application and have an outstanding undergraduate record.
4. The candidate must demonstrate a **need** for financial assistance.
5. The candidate must be a **citizen of the United States of America**.
6. The candidate may be of **any national descent** or background.

FELLOWSHIP DETAILS

1. The amount of each Fellowship will cover actual **tuition cost only (no fees)** plus an \$18,000 annual **stipend** to be allocated towards room, board and ordinary living expenses, as well as any income taxes thereon.
2. The recipient of a Fellowship shall be known as a Dolores Zohrab Liebmann Fellow.
3. Fellowships are awarded **annually**. Each Fellow **MUST APPLY FOR A RENEWAL** of his or her fellowship by **March 31st** of the following year in accordance with the terms in effect at the time the fellowship is awarded. **(No reminder will be sent.)** Fellowships will be limited to a **maximum of three years**.
4. If a student needs to defer to study abroad an email must be sent to Elizabeth VanOort (elizabeth.vanoort@jpmorgan.com) notifying as such and can only be deferred once up to one academic year.
5. A Fellowship **may be canceled at any time** if a Fellow engages in misconduct affecting the Fund, breaches any of these rules or provides false information to the Fund either directly or indirectly.
6. A Fellow agrees to have their name published and identified as a Dolores Zohrab Liebmann Fellow.

APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Designated Institutions facilitate the application process for its students. Students must submit Applications and supporting documents through the school. Transcripts and recommendation letters should be sent to you to incorporate into your packet. **See below for complete documentation requirements.**
2. Students **SHOULD NOT** contact JPMorgan or members of the selection committee.



Please read the following carefully for detailed information about application materials and submission.

Incomplete or wrongly ordered applications will not be considered.

- Eligible Emory students must submit materials exactly in the order listed on the next page as **one PDF file**, by **December 18, 2026**. Make sure to name your file correctly: last name, first name – Emory University
- E.g., **Smith, John – Emory University.pdf**
- We will not contact a student for any missing materials: applications that are incomplete, missing files, or in the wrong order will not be considered for this cycle.

Submit in the exact order the files noted in the checklist on the next page as one PDF file to: LGS.profdev@emory.edu. Please include your full name and Emory Student ID# at the top of the checklist page.

- **Please ensure that each page of the Application has your name written at the top right and that you sign/date the Application on page 4.**

Applicant Name: _____
Submitting School: Emory University

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DOLORES ZOHRAB LIEBMANN FUND APPLICATION

Jebmann Fund was established by the Will of Dolores Zohrab Liebmann and is administered by JPMorgan, inn was the daughter of a prominent Armenian intellectual, writer and statesman and was married to one of essful American business. She supported students and educational and charitable organizations during her nn's primary concern, as expressed in her Will, was to attract and support students with outstanding character promise for achievement and distinction in their chosen fields of study. The trustees welcome applications from il origins who are United States citizens.

ie School Information

Yes ☐ No ☐

**** If any of the documents noted below are not applicable, please include a statement in its place in the application packet that explains why the item is not applicable.***

***** Please DO NOT email JPMorgan with any questions. Contact us and we may contact JPMorgan if needed.***

DOLORES ZOHRAB LIEBMANN FUND CHECKLIST PAGE

This page must be the **first page** of your file (do not include any of the pages above) with all boxes checked below to affirm that you have included all required items in the correct order:

- ☐ **EMORY STUDENT FULL NAME:** _____
- ☐ **EMORY STUDENT ID NUMBER:** _____
- ☐ **I AM A USA CITIZEN**
- ☐ A completed and signed Application (this is 5 pages)
- ☐ Personal vitae or resume
- ☐ Certified (=official) copy of each UNDERGRADUATE transcript(s)
- ☐ Certified (=official) copy of each GRADUATE transcript – to date
- ☐ Copy of Graduate Exam Test Scores
- ☐ Statement of Purpose (up to three pages, double spaced)
 - Must include a 10-15 line abstract at the top as part of the three pages
 - Abstract must explain, in LAYMAN'S terms, the essence of your proposed topic of study or dissertation, the methodology of its treatment and its anticipated impact on your field of study.
 - Statement must consider the relationship between graduate level study and intended personal and/or professional goals.
- ☐ Letter of recommendation from Department Chair (OPTIONAL)
 - Please note that the Dean will not provide a letter here so you must speak to your Department Chair if you wish to submit a letter for this section.
- ☐ Letters of recommendation from professors (at least TWO required)
- ☐ Copy of your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FASFA)
- ☐ Copy of your Financial Aid Summary from your school
 - It is the student's responsibility to contact relevant persons at the University to obtain this. We do not have access nor information about the office that handles Financial Aid.
- ☐ Copies of Federal Income Tax Returns only **for the prior two years; no schedules or attachments included** (including spouse, if applicable)