

Una Chapman Cox Foundation Launches Cox Program ISH-DC Residential Scholarship for Pickering and Rangel Fellows

The Una Chapman Cox Foundation has partnered with the ISH-DC to provide up to 7 generous Cox Program residential scholarships to Pickering and Rangel Fellows so that they may reside at the ISH-DC for one academic year. Pickering and Rangel Fellows are graduate students currently pursuing Master's Degrees, who have been selected for the fellowship program because of their combination of outstanding academic merit and financial need. Their active participation in the Pickering and Rangel Fellows Program prepares them for a career in the US Foreign Service when they graduate. This program also helps attract members of minority groups that are historically underrepresented in the US Foreign Service.

Pickering and Rangel Fellows selected for the Cox Program residential scholarship will not only benefit from living together with fellow students and interns from dozens of countries around the world. Scholarship recipients will also collaborate with the Una Chapman Cox Foundation and the ISH-DC to create two public programs, one per semester, increasing awareness of and informing people about diplomacy and the US Foreign Service. These programs will be open to House residents and guests.

Pickering and Rangel Fellows will apply to the Cox Program through local university partners, which will provide the applications to the House. The Cox Foundation, the ISH-DC Scholarship Committee, and Patricia Scroggs, Director of the Pickering and Rangel Fellows Program, will meet to review Cox Program applications and make selections based on merit and financial need. Scholarship recipients will be chosen in May 2019.