

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International The New York State Organization Committee

## The World Fellowship Committee



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## About the NYSO World Fellowship Committee

Delta Kappa Gamma Society International established the World Fellowship Fund in 1946 as a project to aid women in war-torn countries and now provides opportunities for women from foreign countries to pursue graduate studies in the United States and Canada. To date more than 963 women from over 122 countries (DKG,2019) have received fellowships to enable them to pursue advanced study in the United States and Canada.

The International World Fellowship Committee grants World Fellowships in accordance with the *Constitution* and *International Standing Rules* when sufficient funds are available. They maintain contact with the World Fellowship recipients for the duration of their studies when possible. Currently there are 13 recipients with 11 more extended study grants. Our Committee, as in other states, has the added opportunity to encourage members to welcome and develop connections with recipients studying in New York State.

More information available from the International World Fellowship Committee may be found at <u>https://www.dkg.org/category/committees/world-fellowship</u>.

For further information on the NYSO World Fellowship Committee, please contact Chair Sue Genthner, <u>susangenthner@gmail.com</u>

## **Goals of the NYSO World Fellowship Committee**

- 1. Encourage NYSO Chapters to be advocates for World Fellowship and for the World Fellowship Fund.
- 2. Raise awareness of the contributions of the World Fellowship to the growth of key women educators.
- 3. Develop and extend communication with World Fellowship recipients to enhance mutual understanding.