The Dr. D.C. Pavate Foundation in collaboration with Karnatak University, Dharwad and Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge offer three visiting fellowships annually for a period of four months to be held at the Centre of International Studies, Judge Business School and the Department of Applied Mathematics and Theoretical Physics/Department of Material Sciences and Metallurgy, University of Cambridge.

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(a) One fellowship at the Centre of International Studies, Cambridge, selected on all India basis: The fellowship will be effective from January 2010. Candidates with good academic record in the areas of History, Political Science, International Economics, International Law or Military Affairs will be considered.

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(c) One fellowship at the Department of Applied Mathematics and Theoretical Physics/Department of Material Sciences and Metallurgy, selected among Karnataka Candidates: This fellowship will be effective from September 2010. Candidates from Karnataka with good academic record in the area of applied mathematics and theoretical physics, Material Sciences and Metallurgy will be considered. The selection and award is subject to the Department identifying a host research group accepting the successful candidate.

**Karnataka Candidate:** (i) Educated for a minimum of 5 years continuously at an educational institution located in Karnataka, or (ii) employed in Karnataka for a minimum of 5 years continuously.

The fellowships will cover economy class return airfare, stipend of 3500 pounds sterling and 2700 pounds sterling academic charges.

Applications can be obtained from the office of the Coordinator, Dr. D.C. Pavate Foundation, University College of Law, College Road, Dharwad 580 001, Telefax: 0836-2446177, e-mail: coordinator_dcpavatefellowship@yahoo.co.in by sending a self addressed and duly stamped envelope of 25 x 10 cm size or downloaded from www.kud.ernet.in. Application forms should reach to the above address by 8 August 2009.

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**Important dates:**
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- Submission of full paper of accepted abstracts: 15 August 2009

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