

### It's Application Season

IGCC will give away almost half a million dollars to UC graduate students and faculty. Eligibility requirements and applications for the 2007–08 IGCC fellowships and grants are available by clicking the links below.

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### A Novel Means for Deterring Nuclear Terrorism

Using North Korea as a case study, IGCC's Public Policy and Nuclear Threats fellows tackle the thorny question of how to prevent the transfer of nuclear weapons or materials to non-state actors or hostile states. The PPNT winter seminar takes place in Washington, D.C., February 1–2.

[Click here for more information on the seminar.](#)

[Click here for more information on the IGCC Public Policy and Nuclear Threats IGERT program.](#)

### Summer Workshops on Security Threats

Applications are now being accepted for IGCC's fourth summer "boot camp" exploring the dangers of biological threats. The 2007 Public Policy and Biological Threats Program takes place July 22-August 4 at UC San Diego. The application deadline is March 15, 2007. [Click here for more information and the application form.](#)

IGCC is also accepting applications for the 2007 Public Policy and Nuclear Threats summer seminar. Three week and one week options are available. [Click here to download the brochure.](#) Email [igcc-recruiting@ucsd.edu](mailto:igcc-recruiting@ucsd.edu) for more information on either program.

### Spotlight on IGCC Research

***Atmospheric Brown Clouds Contribute to Slowing of India's Green Revolution:*** A newly released study by

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January 20-March 4, 2007  
La Jolla, California

PPNT Winter Seminar  
February 1-2, 2007  
Washington, D.C

IGCC Workshop on Ocean  
Water Quality  
March 27-29, 2007  
Penang, Malaysia

### DEADLINES

[IGCC Dissertation Fellowships](#)

Deadline: February 1, 2007

[IGCC Faculty Research Grant Competition](#)

Deadline: February 12, 2007

[Public Policy and Biological Threats](#)

Deadline: March 15, 2007

### MISSION

IGCC builds bridges between the theory and practice of international policy. We inject fresh ideas into the process by establishing the intellectual foundations for effective policymaking, and provide ways for UC faculty and students to interact with policymakers at home and abroad through our

UC researchers look at the complex interactions of two pollution-related sources of climate change: atmospheric brown clouds (ABCs), and greenhouse gases. Maximilian Auffhammer (UC Berkeley), V. "Ram" Ramanathan (SIO), and IGCC Research Director Jeffrey Vincent use historical data to pinpoint the negative and additive effect of these pollutants on India's rice harvests. The findings appear in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences (PNAS), December 26, 2006. [More.](#)

***China's Military and Technological Rise:*** The purpose of China's successful test of an anti-satellite missile earlier this month has not been made clear by Beijing. What is clear is that China's military technology is improving more rapidly than expected. IGCC Researcher Tai Ming Cheung discusses the implications in [the San Diego Union-Tribune](#).

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