

TALL JALUL

Application Form

MADABA PLAINS PROJECT

Fill in the application forms completely and send them in by 9 March, 2009 with your deposit **(Security Form by 15 Feb)**. Do not overlook spaces or leave any blanks. It is important that we have all the information requested. TYPE or PRINT.

Name (last name first) _____

Passport # _____ Expiration Date _____

Place of Issue _____ Date of Issue _____

Present Address _____
_____ code _____

Telephone # Home: (____) ____-____ Work: (____) ____-____ Email _____

Above address effective through what date? _____

Address at end of school year _____
_____ code _____

Telephone # (____) ____-____ Email _____

Place of birth _____ Date of Birth _____

Country of Citizenship _____

Marital Status _____

Length of Stay: ___ Full Season ___ 1st Half Season ___ 2nd Half Season

Person to be notified in case of emergency while you are abroad:

Name _____

Address _____
Code _____

Telephone # (____) ____-____ Email _____

Occupation or field of study _____

I have some experience in the following:

- Cartography
- Drawing
- Photography
- Carpentry
- Computers
- Surveying
- First Aid
- Nursing
- Typing
- Editing
- Other(s) that might apply _____

Preferred area(s) of work:

From the list at right, list in order of preference your first three choices of work --

- 1. _____ Excavation
- 2. _____ Labs:
 - Ceramics
 - Objects
- 3. _____ Architect/Surveyor
- Photography
- Art Work
- Medical
- Babysitting

Language Skills:

_____ English _____ Arabic

Personal Statement: (For first-time applicants to this project)

Without duplicating material given above, state in a concise narrative fashion some things about yourself which might prove useful in our evaluation of your application. Include anything about your personal history, personality, future plans, and expectations for the summer that you consider appropriate. Why are you interested in archaeology? How will the project be strengthened by your participation? What will it miss without you?

Request for Academic Credit:

I am enrolling for academic credit at:

 Andrews University

I am registering for:

 6 semester credits (full season)

 3 semester credits (half season)

 undergraduate credits

 graduate credits

References:

Give the names and addresses of two people (preferably in academics) who support your application.

1. _____

_____ code

Phone: (____) ____ - ____

2. _____

_____ code

Phone: (____) ____ - ____

Deposit(s): (participants are responsible for penalties incurred by ticket cancellation)

Enclosed with this application is (are) the deposit(s) for the following:

 \$200 nonrefundable deposit for full season

 \$200 nonrefundable deposit for half season

 I will send the remainder of the dig cost by **6 APRIL**
at the very latest. Amount outstanding is \$_____.

All information on this and the attached application forms is correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signature _____ Date _____

Mail all application forms (Security, Application, Assumption of Risk, Code of Conduct and Medical) to:

Randall W. Younker
Director, Institute of Archaeology
Andrews University
Berrien Springs, MI 49104
Phone: (269) 471-3273
FAX: (269) 471-3619
Email: hornmuseum@andrews.edu

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| DEADLINES: | 15 FEBRUARY, 2009 | for Security Form (NO EXCEPTIONS) |
| | 9 MARCH, 2009 | for other application forms and deposit |
| | 6 APRIL, 2009 | for final payment of dig fees |

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Assumption of Risk Form

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Name of applicant _____

TYPE OF ACTIVITY: Archaeological excavation and related travel
DATES OF ACTIVITY: 21 May through 2 July, 2009
CONDUCTED BY: Madaba Plains Project

It is my desire to participate in the above identified activity. As and for consideration to participate in this activity, I hereby knowingly and intelligently assume all of the risks of harm and/or injury to my person or property that are associated with or arise out of this activity.

I expressly, knowingly and intelligently assume the following: all risks of travel, whether by car, bus, aircraft, boat or any other means; all risks of riot, civil disobedience, hijacking; all risks associated with the preparation and eating of food and water; all risks associated with medical care or treatment; all risks of loss or destruction of personal property; and/or any losses whether to person, property, or money caused in whole or in part by any travel agent, transportation carrier and/or owner or operator of any mode of transportation.

I expressly, knowingly and intelligently assume all risks of harm arising out of the following: my own conduct; the conduct of the person or entity and/or their agents conducting the activity, including but not limited to their ordinary negligence, their lack of supervision, their lack of notification, but excluding therefrom any recklessness or gross negligence; and any product and/or service defect.

I expressly, knowingly and intelligently release the person, entity and their agents of any and all liability arising out of passive negligence, respondent superior or agency.

I expressly, knowingly and intelligently hereby agree to hold harmless the Madaba Plains Project Consortium, all its members and their agents, employees and/or affiliates from any and all liability except recklessness and/or gross negligence arising out of this activity and agree to indemnify same for all actual legal costs and expenses and any and all legal or equitable claims, judgments, settlements and/or other losses.

I further agree that participation in this activity or any specific phase of the activity or use of any equipment will be at my own discretion and judgment, based on my own experience and competence.

I am a legal adult 18 years of age or older:

Signature _____ Date _____

I am the parent/guardian of the applicant who is ____ years of age and not an adult:

Signature _____ Date _____

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Name of applicant _____

Respecting the Beliefs and Values of Our Jordanian Hosts

One of the Madaba Plains Project's most valued assets in Jordan is the long-standing good relationship which it has enjoyed over the years with the staff and Crown Hotel where we stay while in the country. This hotel is located in Muqabulayn, a southern suburb of Jordan's capital city, Amman. Although the facility is a hotel, the majority of the area residents are Muslim.

This means, among other things, that they place a high value on the sanctity of the family, the purity of women, and avoidance of certain foods and beverages. These values are also shared by the largely Muslim population which lives around the hotel.

As leaders of the Madaba Plains Project, we seek to do our utmost to affirm and respect the values of our gracious hosts at the Crown Hotel and of the surrounding community. We therefore make every effort to conduct our own personal lives in ways that are harmonious with the sensibilities of these kind people. We also expect those who join our team as volunteers, students or staff to do likewise.

To this end, everyone who chooses to participate with MPP is expected to make an earnest effort—before coming to Jordan—to learn about Muslim beliefs as they relate to these matters (MPP will provide a couple articles on the subject with the first circular letter sent out). In addition, all newcomers to the project are expected to take part in a cultural orientation session which will be conducted during the first few days of the dig by the directors and other veteran staff. This session will inform of and explain behaviors (appropriate and otherwise) in the local cultural context.

Your signature below will be interpreted as evidence of your commitment to conduct yourself in a manner which avoids offending our local Jordanian hosts. This assumes your taking personal responsibility for learning about what are deemed to be offensive behaviors in the local context (particularly those having to do with drinking, inappropriate dress and inappropriate behavior across lines of gender).

Signature _____

Date _____

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Medical Form

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Medical History:

Year 2009

Purpose of Medical Form:

It protects you and MPP in that it alerts those persons who may not be medically fit for the strenuous work and difficult living conditions on the dig to reconsider their application. The form also helps our camp physician in case of problems during the project. Many people are not aware of how ailments, which are minor in an urban setting, may become significant problems in an isolated area under stressful conditions. Therefore, we ask you, *for your own protection*, as well as for our assessment, to be completely candid in filling out this form and not to leave out anything that may be pertinent, even if you think it may jeopardize your application.

Name (last name first) _____

Birth Date _____ Occupation _____

Name of medical/accident insurance plan _____

Type of coverage _____ Policy # _____

Address of company _____

| Have you had any of the following? | No | Yes | Give details as to date, severity, any current problems or treatment. |
|------------------------------------|----|-----|---|
| Frequent eye infections | | | |
| Glaucoma | | | |
| Persistent ear infections | | | |
| Loss of hearing | | | |
| Diabetes | | | |
| Typhoid Fever | | | |
| Tuberculosis | | | |
| Polio (with deformity) | | | |
| Pneumonia or Pleurisy | | | |
| Cancer or malignancy | | | |
| Asthma or wheezing | | | |
| Severe skin disease | | | |

| Have you had any of the following? | No | Yes Give details as to date, severity, any current problems or treatment. |
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| Goiter or thyroid disease | | |
| collapsed lung | | |
| Chronic cough | | |
| Shortness of breath (daily activities) | | |
| Palpitations of the heart or arrhythmias | | |
| Persistent heart murmur | | |
| Pressure around the heart | | |
| High blood pressure | | |
| Dysentery (bacterial, amoebic, parasitic) | | |
| Recurrent diarrhea or colitis | | |
| Yellow jaundice or Hepatitis | | |
| Stomach or duodenal ulcer | | |
| Gastritis or recurrent heartburn | | |
| Kidney or bladder infections | | |
| Varicose veins | | |
| kidney stones | | |
| Back injury or strain | | |
| Recurrent back pain | | |
| Painful joints (bursitis, arthritis) | | |
| Serious head injury | | |
| Hernia (rupture) | | |
| Fainting spells, dizziness, unconsciousness | | |
| Epilepsy, convulsive seizures | | |
| Migraine or other headaches, (except occasional tension headaches) | | |
| Nervous, emotional troubles | | |
| Amenia (low blood count) | | |

If you have consulted a Physician for any reason in the past 18 months (even for colds, flu, etc.), please give dates, reason and result.

If you have ever been hospitalized for a major-physical or mental illness, surgery or injury, please give year, reason and result.

Do you now or have you ever had any allergies or any allergic reactions to drugs, injections, or insect bites? Yes ____ No ____

Details: _____

Are you now taking (or have you taken within the last year) any medication or medical treatments, physiotherapy, etc.? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, for what?

Have you been in the past year or are you currently restricted by a physician in any physical activities?

Yes ____ No ____

Give details:

Have you been in recent contact with any serious infectious diseases (tuberculosis, hepatitis, etc.) i.e., family, immediate friends or co-workers? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, give details and dates:

Do you wear glasses? Yes ____ No ____ If so, will you need to wear them while you dig?

Yes ____ No ____

Do you wear contact lenses? Yes ____ No ____ If yes, will you wear glasses while excavating?

Yes ____ No ____

Are you color blind? Yes ____ No ____

Have you had a tetanus booster within the last three years? Yes ____ No ____

Date _____ **THIS IS A MUST !**

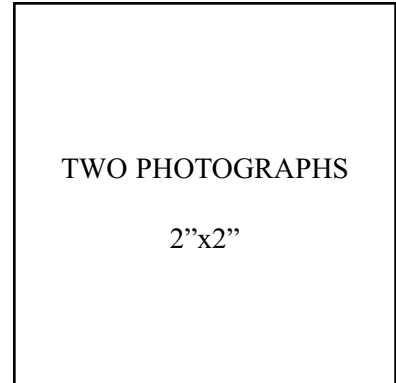
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Security Form

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ABSOLUTE DEADLINE — Even if your plans may change, mail this form by 15 February, 2009 (NO EXCEPTIONS!) to:

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Berrien Springs, MI 49104
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Tel: # () - Email

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT IN UPPER CASE LETTERS

Name in full First Middle Last

Mother's Maiden Name

Date/Place of Birth Day Month Year Place

Nationality at birth / at present /

Passport information Number Issue Date Issue Place/Country Expir.
(If passport is not yet issued, indicate.)

Occupation

Place/Date of entry into Jordan
(Estimate, if plans are not yet finalized.)

Address:Home Country

Jordan Crown Hotel, Muqabelayn, Amman, Jordan

Name of Institution Sponsoring the Project Andrew University

Archaeological site and purpose of work: Tall Jalul Excavation: ancient cultural site

Previous Archaeological Excavations in Jordan

Archaeological Excavations in other countries in the area