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**SAMUEL DUNDON JOINS MANSFIELD FOUNDATION TEAM  
SARA SEAVEY PROMOTED TO PROGRAM ASSOCIATE**

WASHINGTON, D.C. The Maureen and Mike Mansfield Foundation today announced that Samuel Dundon has joined the Foundation's Washington, D.C., office as a program assistant. Mr. Dundon is responsible for the overall operation of the Foundation's Washington, D.C., office as well as management of the Foundation's website. His other responsibilities include supporting the Foundation's Board of Directors and related programs, and assisting with the Foundation's internship program.

Prior to joining the Foundation, Mr. Dundon worked in the governmental affairs department of Aflac International's Tokyo office. He graduated from American University with a double BA in political science and international studies. While studying at American University, he served as an intern at the Mansfield Foundation, where he supported the planning and implementation of the Mike Mansfield Fellowship Program, the U.S.-Japan Financial and Economic Cooperation Exchange, and other programs. Mr. Dundon studied at Ritsumeikan University in Kyoto from 2006-2007. He speaks and reads Japanese.

Sara Seavey has been with the Foundation since 2007, when her primary responsibility was to assist with the day-to-day implementation of the Mansfield Fellowship Program and the recruitment and selection of new Mansfield Fellows. Her responsibilities have since expanded to include support for the development and implementation of the U.S.-Japan Network for the Future program, the U.S.-Japan Healthcare and Medical Device Exchange, Northeast Asia 2025, and other programs. Ms. Seavey holds a BA in international relations from Connecticut College.

The Maureen and Mike Mansfield Foundation is a 501(C)3 organization that advances Mike Mansfield's lifelong work to promote understanding and cooperation among the nations and peoples of Asia and the United States. The Foundation's exchanges, policy dialogues, research and education facilitate dialogue among Asians and Americans, explore the underlying issues that influence policies, create networks among Asian and American leaders, and increase public awareness about Asia. The Foundation has offices in Washington, D.C., Tokyo, Japan, and Missoula, Montana.

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