Fellowships for Grad Students

Graduate Division

A. Central Recruitment Fellowships

B. Graduate Dean’s Advancement Fellowship

C. Central Continuing Fellowships

Due: January 26

Due: January 14

Due: April 1

Humanities and Fine Arts

Borchard Fellowship for Dissertation Research

Due: April 8

UC Graduate Fellows in the Humanities

Due: March 1

Visual, Performing and Media Arts Awards

Due: January 17

Graduate Collaborative Awards

Due: January 17

Pre-Doctoral Fellowships

Due: April 16

ACLS New Faculty Fellows Program

Due: October 7

Pac Rim Research Program

Due: January 6

Other Departments/Program Opportunities

McNair Scholars Program, Graduate Student Mentors

Due: March 4

Writing Program TAships

Due: January 6

Black Studies TAships

Due: February 4

Ongoing Travel Grants

Academic Senate Doctoral Student Travel Grants

First come-first served

Film and Media Studies $300/year

As needed
TO: Department Chairs, Fellowship Committee Chairs, Graduate Advisors, Graduate Program Assistants

FROM: Gale M. Morrison, Dean
Graduate Division

SUBJECT: GRADUATE RECRUITMENT FELLOWSHIP PROCEDURES -- 2010-2011

DATE: January 4, 2010

Attached find the procedures and deadlines for the centrally administered recruitment fellowships for new graduate students in 2010-2011. This program provides an important vehicle for awarding campuswide resources based on a comprehensive review of academic merit and potential and for attracting the best graduate students to our campus.

I highlight below some key points for the program and some important reminders that will facilitate the ease with which the full process is implemented.

- In order to continue to strengthen our ability to attract the most talented graduate student body, we will increase the stipend levels to $22,000 for a multi-year fellowship and $20,000 for a single-year fellowship.

- This year we will begin shifting the balance of multi-year/single-year awards to a greater number of multi-year awards, in order to provide students with increased predictability in terms of UCSB’s promise of support to them.

- You will see a reduction in the number of fellowship categories. For example, we have integrated the UC Santa Barbara Graduate Fellowship (academic preparation required as eligibility) competition into the larger merit/diversity competition in order to streamline the nomination process. The total combined number of multi-year awards will not be reduced and the nomination to award ratio will parallel the general merit competition. Please consider that successful participation in academic/research preparation programs is regarded as an excellent marker for future success in graduate school.

- Pay special attention to the number of nominations that your Department may submit (page 2). If you think that your department will not be able to cover the departmental commitment of TAships or GSRs, please reduce the number of nominations that you submit. Your historical award rate (the number of awards you have gotten in the past) will be a good guide for you, as these rates are fairly stable.

- Note that there is space on the nomination form for your program to provide an admissions/enrollment estimate. The campus, at all levels, is engaging in more aggressive attempts to plan and estimate enrollment. Graduate advisors were alerted to this request in early December. Thank-you, in advance, for your attention and cooperation on this matter.
• **Nominations are due** in Graduate Division on January 29. Given feedback from campus constituents, we will attempt to get award notifications out by February 26. A shortening of faculty review timelines will facilitate this change.

• Please be reminded of the April 15 deadline for acceptance of fellowships. This is an absolute deadline per agreement with the Council of Graduate Schools — see [http://www.cgsnet.org/portals/0/pdf/CGSResolutionMay2009.pdf](http://www.cgsnet.org/portals/0/pdf/CGSResolutionMay2009.pdf).

• As always, we encourage personal contact by the department with the fellowship recipient. It is often the personal element that tips the decision.

**Please read the attached Central Fellowship Procedures Guide carefully, and forward a copy to colleagues in your department.** Included is a detailed summary of each fellowship package, outlining the Graduate Division's and departments' funding responsibilities for each category of fellowships. If you have any questions regarding any aspect of nomination or selection procedures, please contact Jenny Bisheff (bisheff@graddiv.ucsb.edu) or Laura Cheung (lcheung@graddiv.ucsb.edu) in the Graduate Division.

**Also attached, find a list of Frequently Asked Questions.** We hope this will be of assistance to you this year as an additional source of information. We will post on GradNET a one-page summary chart of the central recruitment fellowships, for your convenience.

This is an exciting and busy time of the year as we invite graduate students who will enrich the classrooms and research groups on our campus. We look forward to continued and energized collaboration with you to pursue our common goals of excellence and diversity in our graduate programs.

**Attachments:** Central Fellowship Procedures Guide  
FAQ's about the Central Fellowship Competition

**cc:** Executive Vice Chancellor Gene Lucas  
Dean Jane Conoley  
Dean Larry Coldren  
Dean Steven Gaines  
Dean David Marshall  
Dean Melvin Oliver  
Dean Pierre Wiltzius
GENERAL NOMINATION AND SELECTION PROCESS

Nomination Deadline: Nominations for all centrally administered fellowships for new students are due in the Graduate Division no later than 4:00 p.m., Friday, January 29, 2010. However, submissions are requested by Tuesday, January 26, if at all possible so that nominees' files preparation and review process can be expedited.

FAFSA Reminder: Much of the funding for UCSB graduate awards comes from need-based money, so it is required that all domestic graduate students file the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). The deadline for submitting the FAFSA is March 2nd. Please notify all domestic graduate admits of this deadline. If your students fail to submit this form, your central fellowship allocation will be reduced. International students do not submit the FAFSA. Students may file the FAFSA electronically by accessing the website (www.fafsa.ed.gov) or secure a hardcopy application from their local financial aid office.

Recruitment Competitions: There will be two fellowship competitions:
(1) For general campus recruitment fellowships (Chancellor's, Regents Special, Dean's Fellowships).
(2) For the merit/diversity fellowships (Eugene Cota-Robles, Doctoral Scholars, Graduate Opportunity Fellowships).
Committees that are established under the auspices of Graduate Council and are composed of faculty members review departmental nominations for each competition. Each selection committee will determine which fellowship each awardee is to receive.
Number of Nominations: Each department may submit the following:

1. For the general campus recruitment competition the number of nominations allowed will depend on the Fall 2009 graduate student enrollment as follows:
   a) Departments with enrollment of fewer than 70 graduate students (all departments except those listed in b) and c) below) may nominate up to 3 candidates.
   b) Departments with enrollment between 70 and 100 graduate students may nominate up to 4 candidates:
      - Chemical Engineering
      - Counseling, Clinical, & School Psychology
      - Economics
      - English
      - Geography
      - Mechanical Engineering
      - Music
      - Religious Studies
      - Sociology
   c) Departments with enrollment of more than 100 graduate students may nominate up to 5 candidates:
      - Chemistry & Biochemistry
      - Computer Science
      - Education
      - Electrical & Computer Engineering
      - Environmental Science & Management
      - History
      - Materials
      - Physics

2. For the merit/diversity competition, all departments may nominate up to 2 candidates. Please nominate candidates for the competition(s) for which they are eligible. If you have an outstanding student who meets the criteria for both the general and the diversity competitions, you may nominate that student for both competitions.

Ranking of Candidates: At the request of the faculty selection committee, nominees for the general campus recruitment competition must be ranked by the nominating department. In making the awards, the fellowship committee considers the rankings provided by departments. Departments should clearly state why nominees are ranked in the order submitted, so that the fellowship committee will understand the rationale.

Candidates for the merit/diversity competition must not be ranked. The selection committee will make award selections according to the evident measures of merit and diversity across all nominees.

Materials Required for Nomination: For each competition, please provide:

1) Nomination form of your department’s nominees, including ranking of each nominee for the general campus recruitment competition (see page 10);
2) Nomination paragraph(s) for each nominee (on separate pages);
3) All materials necessary to process each nominee’s admission to your program:
   - Routing Sheet (completed, signed and dated)
   - A copy of the departmental admit letter (if applicable)
   - Copy of the Statement of Purpose with coversheet
   - One photocopy of each of three Letters of Recommendation (with completed coversheets which are required)
   - Official Transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended
   - GRE scores (should have been officially sent by ETS)
   - TOEFL scores (if applicable, should have been officially sent by ETS)

If you have any questions or concerns about what needs to be turned in to Graduate Admissions, please contact Sierra Gray at ext. 2278 or email sierra.gray@graddiv.ucsb.edu.
Attached is a nomination form. Graduate Division has also posted this guide and the nomination form on the Graduate Division intranet (https://gradnet.ucsb.edu).

Selection Notification: Awards will be announced to the departments no later than Friday, February 26, 2010. Once fellowship committees make their selections, Graduate Division staff will contact departments immediately and provide names of the fellows selected. Award letters to students will also be sent immediately. For the Chancellor’s and Doctoral Scholars fellows, departments may decide to add an additional appointment year. We ask that departments let us know about the additional year ASAP after awards are announced.

CENTRALLY ADMINISTERED RECRUITMENT FELLOWSHIPS

Non-discrimination Policy: Please note for selections at all levels (i.e., department and campus) The University of California, in accordance with applicable Federal and State law and university policy, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy*, disability, age, medical condition (cancer-related), ancestry, marital status, citizenship, sexual orientation, or status as a Vietnam-era veteran or special disabled veteran. The university also prohibits sexual harassment. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission, access, and treatment in university programs and activities.

*Pregnancy includes pregnancy, childbirth, and medical conditions related to pregnancy or childbirth.

Inquiries regarding the university’s student-related nondiscrimination policies may be directed to: Ricardo Alcaino, Director, Office of Equal Opportunity & Sexual Harassment/Title IX Compliance Telephone: (805) 893-4504 or 893-2701(main).

Requirements: All nominees must be admitted to Fall 2010. All award recipients must maintain continuous fulltime enrollment and remain in good academic standing for the duration of their award. Domestic nonresident students must establish California residency by the beginning of their second year.

Doctoral students are expected to advance to candidacy in accordance with Graduate Council rules and departmental expectations.

Award Schedule: In multiple year awards, should the department wish to deviate from the award schedule, a written request may be submitted; however, Graduate Division will not provide two consecutive years of fellowship stipend funding, except in the case of Eugene Cota-Robles Fellowships. Templates for all central recruitment fellowship award letters will be posted on GradNET (https://gradnet.ucsb.edu) for easy reference.

SUPPLEMENTATION

Supplementation of Central Fellowships: Departments are reminded that the Graduate Council has determined that the highest priority use of block grant funds is to recruit top quality domestic Doctoral students to UCSB. An effective use of block grant is the supplementation of the centrally administered fellowships (especially the one-year packages, Dean’s and Graduate Opportunity Fellowships). You may also wish to indicate teaching or research opportunities that will be made available to them. If your department is interested in supplementing awards, please refer to the online version of the Graduate Handbook for the policy governing multiple fellowship awards for a graduate student (http://www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/handbook/financialsupport.html#termsandconditions).
Departments may supplement stipend and appointment years with other fellowship sources; please see the Graduate Handbook for supplementation limits:
www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/handbook/financialsupport.html#supplementationchart

During both stipend and appointment years, students employed in GSFR eligible title codes must be entered into the GSFR system to receive payment of fees, insurance and tuition (if applicable). The salary fund source is responsible for paying these amounts in lieu of the fellowship.

**NSF and NDSEG Extension Fellowship:** Graduate Division provides an additional year of support to each newly recruited graduate student who enters with a 3-year National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship, or 3-year National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship. This additional year of support is offered to students in their 5th year of study, and provides a stipend of $22,000 plus payment of in-state fees and health insurance. In addition, if the student is appointed as a TA in the 4th year of graduate study, the Graduate Division will provide for the payment of the balance of their fees after fee remission. Any deviation from this 4th and 5th year funding arrangement must be approved in advance, by the Dean of the Graduate Division.

**External Fellowships:** To assist departments in attracting new graduate students with portable national fellowships, Graduate Division will work with departments to provide multi-year fellowships. Examples of these portable national fellowships are: Hertz Fellowships and National Physical Sciences Consortium Fellowships.

### Merit Fellowships

**Chancellor's Fellowship**

3 years Graduate Division support and 2 or 3 years Department support

**Eligibility:** Incoming international and domestic Doctoral and M.F.A. students.

**Criteria:** Nominees must be the top-ranked admitted students. In most cases they have GPAs of at least 3.6 for the junior and senior years, and excellent GRE test scores. However an exceptionally outstanding record in creative work, publication, or other measures of success also constitutes adequate criteria for nomination. Nominators should emphasize and justify the criteria which they believe to be most relevant to the decision.

**Support:** Three years: The Graduate Division provides a $22,000 stipend, payment of fees, and health insurance to all awardees, and tuition for nonresident and international students. Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments (i.e. TA and/or GSR with included benefits of appointment) up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year.

Two or Three: Departments provide 50% TA appointment or 49% GSR.

- **50% TA appointments** include health insurance and partial fees. The Graduate Division provides a fee fellowship to cover the balance of fees after fee remission. Departments are responsible for providing payment of nonresident tuition for international students (if needed).

- **49% GSR positions** include health insurance, fees and nonresident tuition for international students paid by the grant funding source.

For Art MFA awardees, Graduate Division will provide one stipend year with one departmental appointment year.

**Housing:** All awardees have the option of access to university housing for their first year.
Regents Fellowship

2 years Graduate Division support and 3 years Department support

Eligibility: Incoming international and domestic Doctoral and M.F.A. students.

Criteria: Nominees must be the most meritorious of admitted students and generally have GPAs of at least 3.6 for the junior and senior years, and excellent GRE test scores. However an exceptionally outstanding record in creative work, publication, or other measures of success also constitutes adequate criteria for nomination. Nominators should emphasize and justify the criteria which they believe to be most relevant to the decision.

Support: Two years: The Graduate Division provides a $22,000 stipend, payment of fees, and health insurance to all awardees, and tuition for nonresident and international students. Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments (i.e. TA and/or GSR with included benefits of appointment) up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year.

Three Years: Departments provide 50% TA appointment or 49% GSR.

- 50% TA appointments include health insurance and partial fees. The Graduate Division provides a fee fellowship to cover the balance of fees after fee remission. Departments are responsible for providing payment of nonresident tuition for international students (if needed).

- 49% GSR positions include health insurance, fees and nonresident tuition for international students paid by the grant funding source.

For Art MFA awardees, Graduate Division will provide one stipend year and one departmental appointment year.

Housing: All awardees have the option of access to university housing for their first year.

Dean's Fellowship

1 year Graduate Division support

Eligibility: Incoming domestic and international Doctoral students. Also eligible are Masters students in departments for which the Master’s degree is the terminal degree offered.

Criteria: GPAs of at least 3.6 for the junior and senior years, though departments may nominate students below this threshold when other indicators of academic success can be presented. Nominators should emphasize and justify the criteria which they believe to be most relevant to the decision.

Support: For this one-year award, the Graduate Division provides a stipend of $20,000, payment of fees and health insurance for all awardees. Departments may provide payment of nonresident tuition for nonresident and international students. Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments (i.e. TA and/or GSR with included benefits of appointment) up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year.

Housing: All awardees have the option of access to university housing for their first year.
All merit/diversity fellowships are first and foremost merit-based. Students who are first deemed to be academically meritorious are considered for awards based on merit, potential for success, experience of disadvantages, and contribution to diversity and equal opportunity in the academic community through their teaching, research or service. Nominees for merit/diversity fellowships should present evidence in their statement of purpose and personal statement of how they would qualify in at least one of the following ways:

- Low socioeconomic status (such as but not limited to low parental income while the student prepared for and attended college; parental occupation in non-professional area; the financial need to be employed while attending school; incurring large indebtedness from school loans; financial responsibility for immediate or extended family);

- Experience of a condition impeding advancement to graduate study (such as but not limited to the absence of a family member who had attended college; matriculation in a school or schools with poor financial or curricular support; having a physical or learning special need; the necessity to work long hours while attending school; language background at home other than English);

- Commitment to advancing economically or educationally disadvantaged segments of society (such as but not limited to academic research interests as they affect economically or educationally disadvantaged segments of society; expressed interest in the use of the doctoral degree toward advancing economically or educationally disadvantaged segments of society; prior experience working with or serving economically or educationally disadvantaged segments of society).

For example:

- For fellowships in the Humanities: Candidates whose research emphasizes issues such as diversity, multi-culturalism and communities underserved by traditional academic research. Research which considers issues such as race, ethnicity and/or gender as they relate to traditional academic fields is of particular interest. This includes research in such areas as community development, social justice, educational reform, economic development, public health and safety, and the dynamics of multi-cultural communities. Within these general parameters, research that invigorates traditional disciplines by challenging conventional paradigms or by using innovative methodologies such as interdisciplinary and comparative approaches is of special interest.

- For fellowships in Math, Engineering, Life Science and Physical Science: Candidates who have participated in teaching, mentoring or outreach programs that promote educational opportunities for underrepresented students in higher education. For example, individuals who have volunteered in K-12 outreach programs or have served as mentors or tutors in programs designed to increase gender and racial diversity in Math, Engineering and the Sciences are of special interest.

The above criteria apply to each of the following merit/diversity fellowships, along with any additional criteria specific to a fellowship award.

The University of California, in accordance with applicable Federal and State law and university policy, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy*, disability, age, medical condition (cancer-related), ancestry, marital status, citizenship, sexual orientation, or status as a Vietnam-era veteran or special disabled veteran. The university also prohibits sexual harassment. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission, access, and treatment in university programs and activities.

*Pregnancy includes pregnancy, childbirth, and medical conditions related to pregnancy or childbirth.
Eugene Cota-Robles Fellowship

2 years Graduate Division support and 3 years Department support

Eligibility: Incoming domestic Doctoral or M.F.A. students who indicate a desire and promise for an academic career, particularly within the University of California. Each recipient will be expected to work closely with a faculty sponsor whose role will be that of mentor. Nominees should make a contribution to the graduate population in the nominating department in at least one of the ways described above.

Criteria: Nominees are among the most meritorious domestic students, typically with GPAs of 3.6 or above in junior and senior years, though departments may nominate students below this threshold when other indicators of academic success can be presented. Nominators should emphasize and justify the criteria which they believe to be most relevant to the decision.

Support: Two Years: The Graduate Division provides a $22,000 stipend, payment of fees, and health insurance to all awardees, and tuition for nonresident students in year 1. Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments (i.e. TA and/or GSR with included benefits of appointment) up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year. Three Years: Departments provide 50% TA appointment or 49% GSR.

- **50% TA appointments** include health insurance and partial fees. The Graduate Division provides a fee fellowship to cover the balance of fees after fee remission. Departments are responsible for providing payment of nonresident tuition for international students (if needed).
- **49% GSR positions** include health insurance, fees and nonresident tuition for international students paid by the grant funding source.

For Art MFA awardees, Graduate Division will provide one stipend year with one departmental appointment year.

Housing: All awardees have the option of access to university housing for their first year.

Note: Awarding of the Eugene Cota-Robles Fellowship is conditional upon continued UCOP funding in 2010-11.
**Doctoral Scholars Fellowship**

2 years Graduate Division support and 2 or 3 years Department support

*Eligibility:* Incoming domestic Doctoral or M.F.A. students. Nominees should make a contribution to the graduate population in the nominating department in at least one of the ways described above.

*Criteria:* Nominees are among the most meritorious domestic students, with GPAs of 3.6 or above in junior and senior years, though departments may nominate students below this threshold when other indicators of academic success can be presented. Nominators should emphasize and justify the criteria which they believe to be most relevant to the decision.

*Support:* Two Years: The Graduate Division provides a $20,000 stipend, payment of fees, and health insurance to all awardees, and tuition for nonresident students, and the awardee’s College or School provides $2,000 toward the $22,000 stipend. *Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments (i.e. TA and/or GSR with included benefits of appointment) up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year.*

Two or Three: Departments provide 50% TA appointment or 49% GSR. Colleges/Schools supplement with $1,000 summer support for two of the three years of department support.

- **50% TA appointments** include health insurance and partial fees. The Graduate Division provides a fee fellowship to cover the balance of fees after fee remission. Departments are responsible for providing payment of nonresident tuition for international students (if needed).

- **49% GSR positions** include health insurance, fees and nonresident tuition for international students paid by the grant funding source.

For Art MFA awardees, Graduate Division will provide one stipend year with one departmental appointment year.

*Housing:* All awardees have the option of access to university housing for their first year.

**Graduate Opportunity Fellowship (GOF)**

1 year Graduate Division support combined with any departmental commitment of support

*Eligibility:* Incoming domestic Doctoral or M.F.A. students are eligible. Nominees should make a contribution to the graduate population in the nominating department in at least one of the ways described above.

*Criteria:* GPAs of at least 3.6 for the junior and senior years, though departments may nominate students below this threshold when other indicators of academic success can be presented. Nominators should emphasize and justify the criteria which they believe to be most relevant to the decision.

*Support:* For this one-year award, the Graduate Division provides a stipend of $20,000, payment of fees and health insurance for all awardees. Departments may provide payment of nonresident tuition for nonresident students. *Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments (i.e. TA and/or GSR with included benefits of appointment) up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year.*

*Housing:* All awardees have the option of access to university housing for their first year.
Nomination Packet Checklist

We will be using an online fellowship review process for the second year. We will scan the admissions packets for faculty review. In order to expedite this process, please do not make double-sided copies.

- **Nomination Form** (see next page).

**New: provide targeted admission numbers and estimated yield.**

**Admissions materials** (for all fellowship categories);
- Nomination paragraph (see below) - Please use a separate page for each nominee as they will be scanned with the student's admissions materials.
- Routing Sheet (completed, signed and dated)
- A copy of the departmental admit letter
- Copy of the Statement of Purpose with coversheet
- One photocopy of each of three Letters of Recommendation with completed coversheets
- Official Transcripts from all post-secondary institutions attended

*Note: GRE scores and TOEFL scores (if applicable) should have been officially sent by ETS.

**Eligibility**

- Ensure that your nomination includes only information related to merit and merit/diversity criteria.
- Please refer to Merit/Diversity criteria on page 6 of the recruitment fellowship procedures memo.

  - **IMPORTANT:** According to University policy, we cannot discriminate (or make admission/funding decisions) on the basis of population categories (race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy, disability, age, medical condition (cancer-related), ancestry, marital status, citizenship, sexual orientation, or status as a Vietnam-era veteran or special disabled veteran). Therefore, you must not make direct reference to membership in those categories in your nomination memo. You will notice that it is appropriate to talk about how the student's experiences or interests make a contribution to the graduate population on this campus. It helps to think about describing their interests and ability to contribute rather than to their membership in a particular group.
2010-11 Recruitment Fellowship Competition Nominations

Please see the Central Recruitment Fellowship Memo and Procedures Guide for instructions and guidelines for nominating students. All materials must be received in the Graduate Division by Friday, January 29th, 2010 by 4PM.

Submitted by:  
Department:  
Contact:  
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### Merit

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Departments are allowed to nominate up to 3 candidates

*The following may nominate up to 4:

**The following may nominate up to 5:

### Merit/Diversity (do not rank)

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### Admissions and Yield Rates

**Target Admissions for Fall 2010**

*How many students will you admit for Fall 2010?*

**Anticipated Yield for Fall 2010**

*This number = #admitted students X anticipated yield rate. Graduate advisors were provided with historic yield rates for your department at the Fall Graduate Advisors meeting.*
(1) **When is the nomination deadline?**
   Friday, 29 January 2010, at 4:00 p.m.

(2) **When and how will fellowship awards be announced?**
   E-mail notification will be sent to the department chair, graduate advisor and graduate program assistant no later than Friday, 26 February 2010.

(3) **How many nominations may our department submit?**
   - In the Merit competition, the number of nominees is based on Fall 2009 enrollment, see page 2 of the procedures memo to see the number of allowable nominations for your department.
   - In the Merit/Diversity competition, all departments may submit two nominations.

(4) **May we nominate the same admit in more than one competition? For example, may we nominate the same admit in both the Merit and the Merit/Diversity competition?**
   Yes, however a nomination packet for each competition is to be submitted.

(5) **Do we submit a nomination for each fellowship?**
   No. You submit nominations for each of the two competitions. The faculty review committees will award the specific fellowships in each competition.

(6) **If a current UCSB Masters student is petitioning into a Ph.D. program, is he/she eligible for nomination?**
   No. The central fellowships are for recruitment purposes. 
   (A student entering your Ph.D. program under these circumstances would be eligible for department block grant funds in the first year, and could be nominated in the continuing student competition in subsequent years, assuming eligibility criteria are met.)

(7) **What is the deadline for acceptance of the fellowship?**
   Fellowship offers must be accepted by Thursday, 15 April 2010. 

(8) **May the fellowship acceptance form be faxed to the Graduate Division?**
   Yes. The acceptance form may be faxed to us at 805.893.8259, provided:
   (1) we receive the fax no later than 15 April 2010; **AND**
   (2) the acceptance form with the recipient’s original signature is mailed to us.
(9) If our top-ranked nominee receives a central fellowship, but declines the UCSB award, can we make the award to another top-ranked admit?

No. In an effort to recruit the top prospects, we make our fellowship offers as early as possible and with the expectation that a certain percentage of these offers will not be accepted.

(10) After accepting the fellowship and submitting the SIR (Statement of Intent to Register) and the SLR (Statement of Legal Residence) what are the requirements of a fellowship recipient?

All fellowship recipients are required to:

- Maintain continuous fulltime enrollment and remain in good academic standing for the duration of the award.
- Domestic nonresident students must establish California residency by the beginning of their second year.
- In stipend years, hold UCSB appointments not greater than an average of 35% during the academic year.
- Doctoral students are expected to advance to candidacy in accordance with Graduate Council rules and departmental expectations.

*Have more questions?*

*Please see the 2010-11 Central Recruitment Fellowship Procedures Guide and Graduate Recruitment Fellowship Procedures – 2010-2011 Memo for complete details.*

*You may also e-mail financial@graddiv.ucsb.edu with specific questions.*
TO: Department Chair

Graduate Advisor

Graduate Program Assistant

FROM: Gale Morrison, Graduate Dean

RE: Graduate Dean's Advancement Fellowship

Please see attached memo regarding a new funding opportunity for graduate students.
GUIDELINES & INFORMATION:
The Graduate Dean's Advancement Fellowship is for doctoral students in the Division of Humanities and Fine Arts, Division of Social Sciences, and Gevirtz Graduate School of Education who are making timely progress towards degree completion. The fellowship is intended to free students from the responsibilities of holding a non-academic or student academic appointment, thus giving them the opportunity to concentrate on their research and/or writing of the dissertation. The fellowship is not intended to be a replacement for Research Assistantships that facilitate dissertation research. Preference will be given to students who have not had significant Graduate Student Research support.

Fellowships are to be awarded for Spring or Summer 2011. Departments should indicate for which term the student chooses to receive the fellowship.

ELIGIBILITY:
Students must be advanced to doctoral candidacy prior to Winter quarter 2011 and enrolled as full-time graduate students at UCSB (students may be on an approved leave of absence Winter quarter, 2011). The deadline to complete all requirements for advancement to candidacy is December 29, 2010. Graduate Division must receive the $90.00 advancement to candidacy fee and the necessary doctoral forms by January 3, 2011.

Students must (1) be within the departmental normative in effect when they entered the program, (2) have advanced to doctoral candidacy within four years of admission to graduate studies, which was the time-to-degree standard in effect for graduate students entering before Fall 2010, and be satisfactorily meeting the standards of scholarship established by Academic Senate Regulations and/or Graduate Council.

Doctoral students classified as P3 (2A) are not eligible to receive central fellowship funds. P3 is defined as having been registered for 9 quarters passed advancement to doctoral candidacy. For example: if Spring quarter 2011 is the student's tenth registered quarter since advancement, the student will not be eligible for this fellowship.
TERMS OF AWARD:
The fellowship includes a $6,000 stipend, plus payment of fees and Graduate Student Health Insurance for one quarter. Payment of the nonresident tuition is not included. Because the Graduate Dean's Advancement Fellowship is intended to free the student from academic or non-academic employment obligations, students receiving this award are not allowed to have student employment during the quarter in which they receive the Graduate Dean's Advancement Fellowship.

NOMINATIONS:
Eligible departments may nominate three candidates (please submit the nominations in rank order). In order to maximize the effectiveness of our limited central funds, awarding preference will be given to those students who have not received significant central fellowship support (i.e. multi-year recruitment fellowship).

Questions concerning the nomination or selection process should be directed to Laura Cheung (laura.cheung@graddiv.ucsb.edu) or Jenny Bisheff (bisheff@graddiv.ucsb.edu) in the Graduate Division.

DEADLINE:
Nominations for the Graduate Dean’s Advancement Fellowship are due in the Graduate Division by Friday, January 14, 2011 at 4:00 p.m. However, submissions are requested as soon as possible so that nominee’s files preparation and review process can be expedited. Awards will be announced in February 2011.
Investigator Name ___________________________ Perm _________
Phone ___________________________ E-mail ___________________________
Department ___________________________
Date Advanced to Doctoral Candidacy ___________________________
Expected Date of Completion ___________________________

Please evaluate the academic qualifications of the applicant. Please type. You may submit a separate letter or use this form.

APPLICANT: (qualifications, academic record and promise)

TIMELINESS: (At what stage is the student in his/her doctoral study? Is this the appropriate time in the student’s career to apply for a research and/or dissertation preparation and writing fellowship?)

Recommender’s Name (please print) ___________________________
Recommender’s Signature ___________________________ Date _________
Title ___________________________
Please see the Graduate Dean's Advancement Fellowship Memo for instructions and guidelines for nominating students.

All materials must be received in the Graduate Division by Friday, January 14th, 2011 by 4PM.

Submitted by: __________________________________________

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It is required that domestic applicants, U.S. citizens and permanent residents submit the FAFSA (Free Application For Federal Student Aid—www.fafsa.ed.gov) and have need analysis information in place at the Financial Aid Office prior to submitting this application. As a public institution a large share of our fellowship funds are provided through financial aid monies and each fellowship recipient is required to file the form. (A summer award involves one of two possible academic year’s funding, therefore two FAFSA year responses are required.)

Decisions are made without regard to specific group membership. The University of California, in accordance with applicable Federal and State law and university policy, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy*, disability, age, medical condition (cancer-related), ancestry, marital status, citizenship, sexual orientation, or status as a Vietnam-era veteran or special disabled veteran.
From: Grad Deans <graddeans@graddiv.ucsb.edu>
To: "Parks, Lisa" <parks@filmandmedia.ucsb.edu>, jwalker@filmandmedia.ucsb.edu, "Miners, Melany" <miners@filmandmedia.ucsb.edu>
Subject: 2011-12 Central Continuing Student Fellowship Competition FLMST
Date-Sent: Monday, February 07, 2011 6:55 PM -0800

To: Department Chair
   Graduate Advisor
   Graduate Program Assistant

Please find the 2011-12 Central Continuing Student Fellowship Memo and Procedures Handbook for your department in the attached PDF memos.

You may need Adobe Acrobat or Reader to open the file. Please visit http://www.adobe.com/reader to download the free Reader.

Thank you.

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Graduate Division Deans
graddeans@graddiv.ucsb.edu
Tel: (805) 893-2013
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2011-12 Continuing Student Fellowship Procedures Guide

Enclosed you will find the descriptions of the continuing fellowship competitions. Support for our continuing students is critical to their ability to stay continuously enrolled and engaged in our academic programs. We encourage you to read through this document carefully and communicate information to your faculty and students so that maximum use may be made of these fellowship opportunities. Many departments have endowments designated for graduate student support. Please insure that your department is maximizing the effectiveness of these endowments.

For all continuing fellowships, the Graduate Division encourages nominations of individuals who meet the eligibility criteria and represent cultural, linguistic, geographic, and socio-economic backgrounds not adequately represented in the graduate student population.

Nomination Procedures:
Please only nominate students for fellowships in which they are eligible. For each fellowship category, please provide:

- A list of the nominees on the nomination forms (editable PDF available on GradNET).
- For Continuing Support: A student CV and a nomination memo including pertinent information such as publications, presentations at scholarly meetings, artistic performances in public forum, and other accomplishments that apply to each student. As requested by the faculty review committees, the nomination template must be used for your nomination.
- For Continuing Research Support, Research Grants and Dissertation Fellowships: a completed application and materials (available on GradNET for department distribution). Applications completed by the student, must be submitted with the nomination form by the department.

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Eligibility for all fellowship nominations:

- All award recipients must maintain continuous full-time enrollment at UCSB, and remain in good academic standing (cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better, and fewer than 12 units of incomplete or no grade) for the duration of their award.

- Consistent with our policy on fee fellowship and block grant funds, P3 (or Doctoral 2A) class level students are not eligible for nomination for a continuing student fellowship. (A student enrolled for more than 9 quarters since advancement to doctoral candidacy is P3 class level.)
  
  Note: Please consult your Graduate Program Assistant who has access to this information on GradNET.

- Students who are currently receiving support from a multi-year fellowship package are not eligible to be nominated (e.g., students in a departmental employment year).

Please Note: Advancement to candidacy is a requirement for many nominations/applications. The Spring 2011 deadline to advance is March 24th. That is, the $90 advancement fee must be paid and completed advancement paperwork must be received by the Graduate Division by this date.

U.S. citizens and permanent residents are eligible for non-resident tuition fellowships only for their first three quarters at UCSB. During their first year students should establish residency. For detailed information, please consult the Office of the Registrar's Establishing California Residency for Fee Purposes.

I. By Department Nomination

A. Continuing Support

- GPA - Nominees should have GPAs of 3.6 or above

- Degree Milestones and Normative Time -
  
  o Students entering in Fall of 2010 are held to the new time-to-degree standards for advancement.
  
  o Students who entered before Fall of 2010 are held to the university time-to-degree standards (advancement at 4 years; completion at 7) and departmental normative time standards (for completion) that were in place at the time of their entrance to the university.
  
  o Please note that if a student was slightly delayed in their 4-years advancement, but has now advanced and the department can provide a cogent rational for their nomination, their nomination will be considered by review committees. However, a student who is beyond time-to-degree or normative time standards will not be considered.
  
  o We are committed to directing our limited central fellowship funds to support those students who are making timely progress to degree. Departments should consider that in order for a student to be competitive for these very limited resources, their general progress and achievements should be excellent.

- Registration - Students must be registered or on an approved Leave of Absence for Spring 2011.

- Appointments - Departments may supplement with any combination of appointments up to an average of 35% time over the course of the academic year. (In these cases, Graduate Student Fee Remission will pay fees/GSHIP from the salary account. Graduate Division will pay the balance of fees if needed.)

- Awards - Students may receive the Dean's Fellowship and/or the Graduate Opportunity Fellowship no more than twice (includes recruitment and continuing).
1. **Dean’s Fellowship**
   a. **Eligibility:** Open to domestic and international doctoral or M.F.A. students. (Also eligible are Masters students in departments for which the Master’s degree is the terminal degree offered.)
   b. **Support:** For this 1-year award, the Graduate Division provides a stipend of $18,000, plus payment of in-state fees and health insurance for all awardees. Nonresident tuition is not included in the award package. However, departments may provide payment of nonresident tuition for international students.
   c. **Nomination Form:** https://gradnet.ucsb.edu/files/forms/fellowships/Nomination-Form/2011-12/ContNominationForm_DF.pdf

2. **Graduate Opportunity Fellowship**
   a. **Eligibility:**
      i. Open to domestic doctoral or M.F.A. students. (Also eligible are Masters students in departments for which the Master’s degree is the terminal degree offered.)
      ii. Nominees should make a contribution to the graduate population in the nominating department. Please see the nomination form for details.
   b. **Support:** For this 1-year award, the Graduate Division provides a stipend of $18,000, plus payment of in-state fees and health insurance for all awardees.
   c. **Nomination Form:** https://gradnet.ucsb.edu/files/forms/fellowships/Nomination-Form/2011-12/ContNominationForm_GOF.pdf

### B. CONTINUING RESEARCH SUPPORT

- **Advancement** - Open to domestic doctoral students who have advanced by Spring 2011.
- **Registration** - Students must be registered or on an approved Leave of Absence for Spring 2011.
- **Awards** - Students may receive each of the fellowships no more than twice.

1. **Graduate Humanities Research Assistant Program**
   a. **Eligibility:** Students from the humanities or fine arts, or who are conducting research of a humanistic nature.
   b. **Support:** Graduate Student Researcher (GSR) appointment with a salary of approximately $18,000 plus the payment of in-state fees and health insurance.
   c. **Nomination Form:** https://gradnet.ucsb.edu/files/forms/fellowships/Nomination-Form/2011-12/ContNominationForms_HumRA.pdf

2. **Graduate Research Mentorship Program (GRMP)**
   a. **Support:** Payment of an $18,000 stipend for the academic year plus payment of in-state fees and health insurance.
   b. **Nomination Form:** https://gradnet.ucsb.edu/files/forms/fellowships/Nomination-Form/2011-12/ContNominationForms_GRMP.pdf
C. RESEARCH GRANTS
   ▪ Advancement - Open to domestic and international doctoral students who have advanced by Spring 2011.
   ▪ Registration - Students must be registered in Spring 2011.
   ▪ Awards - Students may not receive either of the fellowships more than once.

1. Humanities and Social Sciences Research Grant Program
   a. Support: Maximum award is $2,000.

2. Science & Engineering Research Grant Program
   a. Support: Maximum award is $2,000.

D. DISSERTATION FELLOWSHIPS
   ▪ Advancement - Students must be advanced to candidacy by Spring 2011.
   ▪ Registration - Students must be registered or on an approved Leave of Absence for Spring 2011.
   ▪ Employment - Campus employment is not permitted while receiving a dissertation fellowship.
   ▪ Completion - These fellowships are intended for doctoral students from all academic disciplines who are in the final stages of completing their dissertation.
   ▪ Awards - Dissertation awardees will not be eligible for further Graduate Division fellowships.

1. Graduate Division Dissertation Fellowship
   a. Eligibility: 
      i. Open to domestic and international doctoral students.
      ii. Financial need is a critical component. This fellowship is intended to free the student from non-academic or TA employment, but NOT RA-ship, enabling full attention to dissertation writing.
   b. Support: Payment of in-state fees and health insurance plus $6,000 stipend for one quarter. Nonresident tuition will not be provided. Applicants shall determine which quarter within the 2011-12 academic year they wish to receive the Dissertation Fellowship.

2. The President's Dissertation Year Fellowship
   a. Eligibility: 
      i. Open to domestic doctoral students.
      ii. Nominees should make a contribution to the graduate population in the nominating department. Please see the application form for details.
   b. Support: The fellowship provides an academic year stipend of $18,000, in-state fees, health insurance, and $500 for research expenses in the student's final year of study.
II. BY STUDENT APPLICATION

A. ADDITIONAL SOURCES OF FUNDING

I would like to remind you of additional sources of funding: The Graduate Division administers the fellowships and grants briefly listed below through application by graduate students. Please encourage your students to visit our website at www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/pubs/financial. The site includes a full description of the eligibility, criteria, level of support, and an application form for each award. The announcement of awards will occur by the end of June 2011.

1. Broida-Hirschfelder Fellowship
   a. Eligibility:
      i. For graduate students in science and engineering departments. See application for full list of eligible departments.
      ii. Domestic and international doctoral students may apply; preference will be given to students who have advanced to candidacy.
      iii. Recipients must be registered or on approved Leave of Absence in Spring 2011 and registered Fall 2011.
   b. Support: $8,000 stipend

2. Olivia Long Converse Graduate Fellowship
   a. Eligibility:
      i. For graduate students doing research in one or more of the following areas with a strong preference for research in Mexico: systemic, floristic, vegetational, ecological and phytogeographic botany studies. Some applications will be considered for research in botany in other areas.
      ii. Domestic and international doctoral students may apply.
      iii. The Olivia Long Converse Graduate Fellowship may be received more than once.
      iv. Students must show financial need
   b. Support: Maximum of $6,000 for one quarter or maximum of $18,000 for one academic year. Predoctoral and dissertation fellowships will be granted for field-oriented studies.

3. Brython Davis Graduate Fellowship
   a. Eligibility:
      i. One of the applicant’s parents must be or have been a regular member of the U.S. Navy or Marine Corps.
      ii. Domestic and international doctoral students may apply.
      iii. Continuing UCSB graduate students who are registered or on approved Leave of Absence in Spring 2011.
   b. Support: $6,000 stipend and in-state fees and health insurance for one quarter. Nonresident tuition is not provided. Awards may be made for one quarter or one academic year and may be received more than once. Applicants shall determine which quarter within the 2011-12 academic year they wish to receive the Davis Fellowship.
4. UCSB Affiliates Graduate Dissertation Fellowships  
   a. **Eligibility:**  
      i. Doctoral graduate students who are advanced to candidacy and in the final stages of the degree.  
      ii. Domestic and international students may apply.  
      iii. Recipients must be registered or on approved Leave of Absence in Spring 2011 and registered Fall 2011.  
   b. **Support:** This group, with matching support from Graduate Division, will award fellowships of $3,000 each  
   c. **Application:** http://www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/pubs/financial/pdf/affiliates1112.pdf

5. James D. Kline Fund for International Studies  
   a. **Eligibility:**  
      i. For UC graduate students to further their interest in or commitment to programs of study that promote international understanding and world peace.  
      ii. Domestic and international graduate students may apply.  
      iii. The award recipient must be registered in Spring 2011.  
   b. **Support:** This award will be for approximately $500 to $3,000. If a Kline awardee is a UCSB graduate student, Graduate Division will also provide a one-to-one match to the Kline award.  
   c. **Application:** http://www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/pubs/financial/pdf/Kline1112.pdf

Thank you for your participation in this important process!

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**Please note for selections at all levels (i.e., department and campus):**

The University of California, in accordance with applicable Federal and State law and university policy, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy*, disability, age, medical condition (cancer-related), ancestry, marital status, citizenship, sexual orientation, or status as a Vietnam-era veteran or special disabled veteran. The university also prohibits sexual harassment. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission, access, and treatment in university programs and activities.

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Inquiries regarding the university's student-related nondiscrimination policies may be directed to:  
Ricardo Alcaino, Director, Equal Opportunity, Office of APEO, Tel: (805) 893-4504.

*Pregnancy includes pregnancy, childbirth, and medical conditions related to pregnancy or childbirth.
## 2011-12 Continuing Student Fellowship Summary

All materials are due in the Graduate Division by Monday, March 21, 2011.

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1. Nomination forms and applications are available on GradNET.
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| 1. Broida-Hirschfelder Fellowship | $8,000          | Fall 11           |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |
| 2. Olivia Long Converse Graduate Fellowship | $18,000        | 1 Year            |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |
| 3. Brython Davis Graduate Fellowship | $18,000 max    | 1 Year            |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |
| 4. UCSB Affiliates Graduate Dissertation Fellowship | $6,000         | 1 Qtr             |      |      |     |                |              |         |           |            |           |
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| 2. Olivia Long Converse Graduate Fellowship | $18,000        | 1 Year            |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |
| 3. Brython Davis Graduate Fellowship | $18,000 max    | 1 Year            |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |
| 4. UCSB Affiliates Graduate Dissertation Fellowship | $6,000         | 1 Qtr             |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |
| 5. UCSB Affiliates Graduate Dissertation Fellowship | $3,000         | Fall 11           |      |      |     |                |              |         |           | Avg 35%    |           |

Full eligibility requirements are in the application and available on the Graduate Division Website:

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January 2011
Central fellowships for continuing graduate students will be administered in the same manner as last year. The key points are:

(1) For 2011-12 full-year fellowship stipend levels are increased to $18,000; quarterly fellowship stipends are $6,000.

(2) Attached is the procedures guide for central fellowships both by department nomination and by student application.

(3) Departments can find the nomination materials on GradNET.

(4) Your department process will be easier if you use the eligibility information for your department's students, which is readily available on GradNET. By doing this you can reduce the number of students for consideration.

(5) Graduate Division will host a workshop for Graduate Program Assistants to provide guidance and answer questions. Details about the workshop will follow.

(6) Students can find the application materials on the Graduate Division website, http://www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/pubs/#fn.

(7) All nomination and application materials due in the Graduate Division by Friday, 1 April 2011, 4:00 pm.

(8) Graduate Division will send an announcement email to all registered students informing students of the upcoming competition. In order to provide a fuller picture of the funding options available, this email will also include valuable resources for extramural funding opportunities. Departments will receive a copy of this email to students.

By Department Nomination Fellowships:
Fellowship descriptions, eligibility criteria, and nomination material requirements can be found in the Continuing Student Fellowship Procedures Guide. Nomination forms, memos and applications are posted on GradNET.
Your department may nominate the following number of candidates for the fellowships listed below (as determined by a review of the number of students in each department who meet the eligibility criteria):

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In order to maximize the effectiveness of our limited central funds, awarding preference will be given to those students who have not received significant central fellowship support. For example, if a student who received a recruitment Regents Special Fellowship is nominated for a dissertation fellowship, awarding preference would be given to a student who had not received such central fellowship support.

Following the review process by faculty member committees, the announcement of these awards will occur in May 2011.

BY STUDENT APPLICATION FELLOWSHIPS:
Eligible students may apply directly for the following fellowships: Broida-Hirschfelder, Olivia Long Converse, Brython Davis, UCSB Affiliates and Kline. Applications are posted on our website, http://www.graddiv.ucsb.edu/pubs/#fn. Announcement of awards will be made in June 2011.

Please read the attached Central Fellowship Procedures Guide carefully, and forward a copy to colleagues in your department. The Guide includes a detailed description of each fellowship package. If you have any questions, please contact Jenny Bisheff (bisheff@graddiv.ucsb.edu) or Laura Cheung (lcheung@graddiv.ucsb.edu) in the Graduate Division.

Attachment: 2011-12 Continuing Student Nomination Procedures

cc: Divisional Deans
CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

The Albert and Elaine Borchard Foundation
European Studies Fellowship for Dissertation Research
2011-2012

In its third year, this fellowship generously funded by the Albert and Elaine Borchard Foundation supports innovative scholarship in both traditional humanistic disciplines and in the field of European Studies by supporting advanced graduate students whose dissertation projects require research and study in Europe, and by facilitating international exchanges with European institutions of higher learning.

Eligibility: Applicants, who must be enrolled in a doctoral program in the Division of Humanities and Fine Arts, must have completed all doctoral coursework and have P1 or P2 doctoral status. Funds are available for research or study in Europe related to a dissertation project focused on a topic related to the cultures, languages, or history of Europe.

Supported activities: The fellowship will support travel to conduct research, work in libraries, archives, and museums, or to study with European scholars. The activities must be undertaken between July 1, 2011 and July 1, 2012.

Application Procedures: Applicants must provide the following materials in electronic form to kcoonen@LTSC.ucsb.edu, except where noted:

- Application cover sheet (submitted by the department in hard copy);
- Curriculum vitae;
- 1-page proposal stating the plan of research or study supported by this fellowship;
- 1-page description of the dissertation project;
- Unofficial UCSB transcript, available from the department Graduate Program Assistant;
- A modest and reasonable budget (maximum of $5000), with a clear justification of the amount requested, sufficient detail to indicate how amounts were calculated, and explanation of any unusual expenses. Funds are not available for equipment or attendance at conferences. Please indicate any other sources of support.

Reporting requirements: Recipients of this fellowship are required to submit a brief report on the results of the fellowship. This may be submitted upon return from travel, but no later than July 1, 2012.

Deadline for applications: Friday, April 8, 2011

Notification of awards: First week of May, 2011

Submit application materials electronically to: kcoonen@LTSC.ucsb.edu. Applicants will receive a receipt of application notification by email shortly thereafter. The Division of Humanities and Fine Arts is located in the College of Letters and Science, 2217 Cheadle Hall. The applications cover sheet may be faxed to 805-893-2441 and is available online at http://www.hfa.ucsb.edu/academics_gradsupp.html.

For more information please contact Ms. Kim Coonen, Executive Assistant to the Dean, Division of Humanities and Fine Arts, via email at kcoonen@LTSC.ucsb.edu or by phone 805-893-2586.

Over the years the Division of Humanities & Fine Arts has administered graduate support awards in several categories, including the Graduate Recruitment Awards, the Pre-ABD Graduate Student Research Grants, the Albert and Elaine Borchard Foundation Fellowships in Western European Studies, the Dean’s Prize Teaching Fellowship, and awards through the Consortium for Literature, Theory, & Culture, and the Interdisciplinary Humanities Center Pre-doctoral Fellowship Enhancement.

Please visit the Interdisciplinary Humanities Center; the Walter Capps Center for the Study of Ethics, Judaism, and Public Life; and the Consortium for Literature, Theory, & Culture for additional graduate study funding opportunities within the Division.

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The Interdisciplinary Humanities Center, on behalf of the Division of Humanities and Fine Arts and the Graduate Division, is now accepting applications for the UC Graduate Fellows in the Humanities program, now in its second year. Part of the system-wide University of California Humanities Network, this program is designed to support advanced doctoral students in the final stages of completing their dissertations, and to encourage the collaboration, interdisciplinary dialogue, and innovation that are fundamental to research in the humanities in the University of California. Along with Faculty Research Fellows, Graduate Fellows will be members of the UC Society of Fellows in the Humanities, sponsored by the UC Humanities Network.

During the fellowship year, UC Graduate Fellows in the Humanities will be affiliated with the Interdisciplinary Humanities Center, or, if appropriate, with a campus-based center, multi-campus research group or collaborative research project. Through the IHC or another center, the fellows will be expected to give a public presentation during their fellowship year. Fellows will be invited to participate in an annual meeting of UC Faculty Research Fellows and UC Graduate Fellows, and to submit a brief essay reporting on the fellowship year for inclusion in an e-publication disseminated by the UC Humanities Research Institute.

Support: A $22,000 stipend, payment of in-state fees and health insurance for the 2011-12 academic year, and up to $3,000 in research funds.

Eligibility: Nominees must be enrolled in a doctoral program in the Division of Humanities and Fine Arts and be completing a doctoral dissertation. They must have advanced to candidacy, must maintain P2 graduate status during the 2011-12 academic year, and be in good academic standing. This fellowship may not be combined with another UCSB fellowship stipend or a teaching appointment.

Nominations: Departments may nominate up to two candidates. Nominations should include: a letter of nomination and recommendation from the dissertation chair; a description of the dissertation project; a progress report and timetable for completion of the dissertation during the fellowship year; and CV. The description of the dissertation project should contextualize the dissertation within the broader field or fields in which it is based, explain its intended contribution and, where appropriate, indicate potential connections with a center or research group (maximum length of the project description: 8 doublespaced pages).

Deadline for nominations: Tuesday, March 1, 5:00 p.m.

Notification of Awards: Friday, March 18.

The nominating department should assemble all application materials for submission. Please contact IHC Associate Director Emily Zinn with any questions: ezinn@ihc.ucsb.edu or 893-3137.
2011-12 UC Graduate Fellows in the Humanities application data sheet

Application materials:

- This form
- Letter of nomination and recommendation from dissertation chair
- Description of the dissertation project
- Progress report and timetable for completion
- Curriculum Vitae

All materials should be submitted electronically to the IHC: ucsbihc@gmail.com.

Materials are due Tuesday, March 1, 5:00 p.m.

* Required

Name of nominee: *

Department: *

Dissertation Title: *

Affiliated center or research group: *
(if none established, list IHC)

Dissertation Committee Chair: *

Dissertation Committee Members: *

Date of advancement to candidacy: *

Date prospectus approved: *

Expected degree completion date: *

Submit
Funding Opportunities

Release Time Awards
FACULTY
Awards will be given to ladder rank faculty to release them from teaching one quarter to concentrate on research projects. Recipients must be in residence during the fellowship term; while the award releases the recipient from teaching responsibilities, it does not exempt him or her from service and advising responsibilities. Award recipients will be designated IHC Fellows and are required to deliver a public lecture or hold a seminar on a topic related to their research during their tenure as fellows. The award does not provide for release from summer teaching, nor does it provide a salary supplement. It will be calculated as a replacement cost of up to $5,000 for one course, and awarded funds must be expended within twelve months of the announcement of the award. Faculty may receive this award once every five years, and must not teach during the award quarter. (more...)

Collaborative Research Grants
FACULTY
Awards will be made to support collaborative projects. Eligible projects include conferences at UCSB or in the Santa Barbara area; collaborative research or instructional projects by faculty in one or more departments/programs; and initiatives to bring visiting scholars and arts practitioners to campus for collaborative research or teaching (where appropriate such scholars may be appointed Visiting Fellows of the IHC). Award amounts up to $3000. (more...)

Visual, Performing, and Media Arts Awards
FACULTY & GRADUATE STUDENT
(For projects taking place in the next academic year)
The Interdisciplinary Humanities Center offers annual awards (up to $1500) to support innovative creative projects in the visual, performing and media arts that engage with issues of interdisciplinary concern. The competition is open to faculty and graduate students. Both individual and collaborative projects are eligible. (more...)

Graduate Collaborative Awards
GRADUATE STUDENT
(For projects taking place in the next academic year)
The Interdisciplinary Humanities Center offers annual collaborative project awards (up to $1500) to encourage graduate student collaboration beyond the confines and conventions of particular departments and disciplines within the Arts & Humanities, and between the Arts & Humanities, Social Sciences, and Sciences. Groups of graduate students from at least two departments and academic programs are eligible to apply. A faculty advisor is recommended but not required. Eligible projects include conferences, symposia, exhibitions, and performances. Projects that experiment with a combination of dissemination formats are encouraged. Besides making a significant contribution to current scholarship and research practices, proposed projects should seek to (more...)

FUNDING DEADLINES
If the deadline falls on a weekend or holiday, applications are due the first business day following the deadline
January 17
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UC Graduate Fellows in the Humanities program
GRADUATE STUDENT
Winter term deadline to be announced. To review last year’s call for proposals, visit: http://www.ihc.ucsb.edu/ucgradfellows/

AWARDS WITH APRIL 16 DEADLINE

Pre-doctoral Fellowships
GRADUATE STUDENT
The Interdisciplinary Humanities Center offers pre-doctoral fellowships to support doctoral candidates and advanced MFA students whose research facilitates dialogue across the traditional disciplinary boundaries within the arts and humanities, and/or between the arts & humanities, sciences, and social sciences. (more...)

Release Time Awards
FACULTY
Awards will be given to ladder rank faculty to release them from teaching one quarter to concentrate on research projects. Recipients must be in residence during the fellowship term; while the award releases the recipient from teaching responsibilities, it does not exempt him or her from service and advising responsibilities. Award recipients will be designated IHC Fellows and are required to deliver a public lecture or hold a seminar on a topic related to their research during their tenure as fellows. The award does not provide for release from summer teaching, nor does it provide a salary supplement. It will be calculated as a replacement cost of up to $5,000 for one course, and awarded funds must be expended within twelve months of the announcement of the award. Faculty may receive this award once every five years, and must not teach during the award quarter. (more...)

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AWARDS WITH MAY 15 DEADLINE

Research Fellowships
RECENT PHDS
The IHC Research Fellowships (formerly known as Senior Fellowships) are open to all recent UCSB Ph.D.s in the humanities and humanistic social sciences. The IHC Research Fellows will be affiliated with the IHC and will have opportunities to participate in the Center's classes, activities and research groups. All IHC Research Fellows will be asked to present their work at the IHC. The fellowship also provides UCSB library privileges, eligibility for campus parking, and an email account. The IHC Research Fellowship does not include a stipend; however, it does not make one ineligible for campus RAships or lectureships. (more...)

Research Focus Groups
ADDITIONAL FUNDING
The Interdisciplinary Humanities Center supports on an annual basis Research Focus Groups that aim to bring together faculty and graduate students with shared research interests from different fields and departments or programs in order to foster the development of interdisciplinary research agendas. Convened by individuals from at least two departments or programs, these groups meet regularly (at least three times a quarter) during the academic year to present work in
progress, read and discuss texts and current scholarship, and plan and implement common research projects. Successful RFGs have resulted in new faculty research agendas, new departmental programs, edited volumes, new journals, and new Multi-Campus Research Units. (more...)
The Interdisciplinary Humanities Center offers pre-doctoral fellowships to support doctoral candidates and advanced MFA students whose research facilitates dialogue across the traditional disciplinary boundaries within the arts and humanities, and/or between the arts & humanities, sciences, and social sciences. Besides making a significant contribution to current scholarship and research practices, proposed projects should seek to:

- frame their questions, methods and modes of inquiry with reference to two or more established disciplines/fields of study, and/or
- foster the development of new objects and areas of study, and new ways of producing, presenting, and disseminating knowledge

Type of support
Five fellowships will be awarded in each round of competition. Each fellowship carries a stipend of $4,500, with payment of basic resident fees for one quarter of the academic year. Fellowship recipients are not allowed to hold other campus fellowships or employment during the tenure of their fellowship quarter. Awards may not be deferred beyond the specified period of possible tenure.

Pre-doctoral Fellows Workshop
Award recipients are expected to enroll and participate in an IHC Pre-doctoral Fellows Workshop during the three academic quarters following their acceptance of the fellowship. Pre-doctoral Fellows are required to make a presentation based on a topic related to their research and to serve once as primary discussant. The Workshop meets approximately twice a quarter.

Application Restrictions
Applicants must have either registered student status or approved research leave of absence (if appropriate), both at the time of application and for the duration of the fellowship. Doctoral students must have advanced to PhD candidacy by the application deadline.

A complete application should include:

- a cover sheet (download form)
- a project description (double-spaced, 5 pages maximum) and a bibliography (1-2 pages)
- a brief curriculum vitae (no longer than 2 pages)

A letter of support from the applicant's dissertation director or faculty graduate advisor should also be sent directly to the IHC no later than the application due date.

Project Description Guidelines
The project description should:

- state the objectives, ideas, and methodology of the project. Your description should be directed toward nonspecialists.
- discuss the project's significance and originality with reference to current scholarship and/or arts practice
- specify the interdisciplinary scope of the project
- include a timetable and work plan, indicating the status of the project and outlining project activities in the proposed award period
- define the project's target audience(s) and the form(s) in which the research will eventually be disseminated (e.g. book, article, art exhibit, performance etc)

Deadline: April 16

Nine double-sided copies of your application must be received at the IHC (HSSB 6046) no later than 5:00pm on the deadline date. If the deadline falls on a weekend or holiday, applications are due the first business day following the deadline.

For further information, contact Emily Zinn: ezinn@ihc.ucsb.edu or 893-3137.

To view a list of pre-doctoral fellows, click here
Program Description:

- Approximately 40 New Faculty Fellows.
- Award of $50,000 stipend plus $5,000 research/travel allowance annually, health insurance, and $1,500 one-time moving allowance.
- Two-year appointments for teaching and research beginning fall 2012.
- Teaching load of three semester-length courses per year with the majority in the undergraduate curriculum.
- ACLS will facilitate a clearinghouse for appointments for fellows at participating universities.
- New Faculty Fellows will be affiliated with a department or program and receive professional mentoring.

Applications:

- Candidates must be nominated by one of the participating universities and fulfill the following eligibility criteria:
  - PhD in a humanities discipline or humanistic social science, which includes history, anthropology, and such areas as political theory, historical sociology, and economic history.
  - PhD awarded between January 2010 and December 2011. Candidates must have PhD in hand by December 31, 2011.
  - PhDs who have already secured tenure-track positions are not eligible.
  - Candidates must be willing to relocate to take up offered positions.
  - ACLS does not accept applications from candidates whose work is primarily creative (e.g. music composition or performance).
  - There is no citizenship requirement.
  - Previously unsuccessful applicants may be nominated again if they still fulfill the eligibility requirements.
- Deadline for nominations submitted to ACLS: October 7, 2011.
- Nominees will receive an email from ACLS with a link to the online application by October 14. Applications consist of: completed application form; cover letter; curriculum vitae; writing sample; and references.
- Deadline for applications submitted online: October 27, 2011.

Appointments:

- Application dossiers of the fellows will be made available to participating universities in a web-based clearinghouse at the end of January 2012.
- Participating universities can extend offers to one or more of the fellows. Universities cannot extend offers to their own PhDs.
- Fellows are free to choose among the position(s) offered to them. Fellows must accept a bona fide offer that complies with the terms of the program or will forfeit the award.
- The award cannot be deferred, combined with any other fellowship, or taken up at the fellow’s home institution.
- Receiving institutions will share 1/3 of the costs of the appointment and provide health insurance for the fellow.
  - Costs for the first year amount to $18,833 (1/3 of $50,000 in stipend, $5,000 in research/travel allowance, and $1,500 moving allowance). For the second year, 1/3 of $55,000 amounts to $18,333.
- ACLS will record the terms of agreement for an appointment and remit funds directly to the institution hosting the fellow.
- Fellows who are not offered an appointment will receive a one-year stipend of $35,000.

More information is available at www.acls.org/programs/newfaculty

The program is supported by The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation.
Dear colleagues,

Please read below. We have the opportunity to nominate recent PhD's for the ACLS New Faculty Fellows Program but deadline is September 30. Can we discuss on email who we might consider nominating? Regina? Hye Jean? Jeff Scheible? Please let me know your thought asap.

Thanks,
Cristina

---------- Forwarded Message ----------
Date: Tuesday, September 20, 2011 5:14 PM -0700
From: Kim Coonen <kconen@ltsc.ucsb.edu>
To: Kim Coonen <kconen@ltsc.ucsb.edu>
Subject: ACLS New Faculty Fellows Program 2011

Please forward to the faculty and staff graduate advisors in your departments.

September 20, 2011

To: Select Humanities and Fine Arts and Social Sciences Chairs, Graduate Directors, and Graduate Advisors

From: David Marshall, Dean of Humanities and Fine Arts and Executive Dean Melvin Oliver, Dean of Social Sciences

Re: ACLS New Faculty Fellows Program 2011

The American Council of Learned Societies has just announced the renewal of the New Faculty Fellows Program that it began last year, funded by the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. This is a special program available to the 59 U.S. members of the Association of American Universities. The New Faculty Fellows Program will allow 40 recent PhDs in the humanities to take up two-year positions at distinguished research universities and liberal arts colleges across the United States where their particular research and teaching expertise will augment departmental curricular offerings. The New Faculty Fellows program will provide $50,000 plus $5,000 research/travel allowance annually, health insurance, and a $1,500 one-time moving allowance. ACLS designed this program to address the serious employment crisis faced by many of today’s new PhDs while also providing valuable teaching to institutions that may not be able to hire assistant professors at this time. The program is similar to the Faculty Fellows program that used to be available to UC campuses.

UC Santa Barbara has been invited to nominate up to 15 recent PhDs to compete for these awards. Candidates will need to have received their PhD in the humanities or in the humanistic social sciences (which includes anthropology and such areas as political theory, historical sociology, and economic history) between January 2010 and December 2011. ACLS will select 40 fellows, and participating universities will have the opportunity to extend offers to one or more of the selected fellows (excluding their own PhDs).

Universities are required to participate in the costs, so final decisions about extending offers to any of the 40 fellows will factor in programmatic and teaching needs and budget, as well as potential research connections. ACLS acts as a clearinghouse for the selected fellows. More details about the final selection process will be announced later.

Our challenge—and opportunity—now is to nominate up to 15 candidates to compete for the fellowship. ACLS has given us a very short timeline. The
campus was just notified of this opportunity and we are required to submit
the names of the nominees to ACLS by October 7th, 2011. Following the
procedures established by ACLS, we will appoint a committee of three
faculty members to review the potential nominees.

We ask each eligible department to submit to us by Friday, September 30th
nominations of appropriate candidates who will have received the PhD
between January 2010 and December 2011.

Please send electronically to Kim Coonen (kcoonen@ltsc.ucsb.edu) a list of
all nominations and the following materials for each departmental nominee:

Name and email
Date (or expected date) of Award of PhD
Dissertation title, advisor, and committee
Dissertation Abstract (one page)
Two-page CV
Statement of research plans or project during fellowship period
Statement about teaching experience and areas of teaching competence
3 letters of recommendation

Please note:

* Because of the time pressure, we are not requiring departments to rank
candidates. We would ask, however, that departments nominate candidates
only if they are confident that they would be compelling and competitive in
a national pool of new PhDs from AAU institutions.

* Because of the time pressure, candidates may submit to our internal
selection committee an already-prepared dossier of letters of
recommendation or copies of recent letters of recommendation. ACLS will
request materials directly from nominees and letter-writers can update
their recommendations at that time.

* Do not nominate candidates if you are not confident that they will
receive their doctorate by the December deadline.

* Since some advanced graduate students and some faculty mentors may be out
of town, you may need to make a special effort to identify and to contact
some of the likely candidates. Aside from wanting to provide an opportunity
for our best students, we want to be sure to submit a competitive slate of
candidates since our nominations will be reviewed by faculty from AAU
institutions across the country.

Our campus has been very successful in this program. Four of our graduates
have received fellowships and we have recruited four fellows to UCSB.

Appended here is the official description of the fellowship provided by the
ACLS. Thank you.

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Cristina Venegas

The 2012-13 Pac Rim Research Program Call for Proposals has been announced. The campus deadline is January 6th. More information can be found here: http://pacerim.ucsb.edu/

Please join us for an informational presentation about the program by Sabine Fruhstuck, Chair of the Pac Rim Program Executive Committee.

Monday, October 24
2-4 pm
6056 HSSB

Feel free to contact me with any questions about the program or review process.

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I. INTRODUCTION

The University of California (UC) Pacific Rim Research Program (PRRP) supports collaborative research by UC faculty, graduate students, and their colleagues at other institutions. Inaugurated in 1986 as part of a University-wide Pacific Rim initiative, it was renewed in 2009 as a Multicampus Research Project/Initiative (MRPI). More than 700 projects have been funded since the inception of the Pacific Rim Research Program. More than 500 University of California faculty, 200 graduate students, and well over 350 scholars from institutions on both sides of the Pacific and in both northern and southern hemispheres have worked under PRRP auspices.

Funded by the Office of the President and administered at UC Santa Cruz, the PRRP is governed by an Executive Committee of faculty representatives from all UC campuses. The 2012-2013 competition will offer grants totaling approximately $450,000.

II. SCOPE

The Pacific Rim Research Program promotes the study of the Pacific Rim as a distinctive region. For the purposes of this Program, the term "Pacific Rim" encompasses all areas and nations that border the Pacific Ocean, including Southeast Asia and East Asia, Australia/New Zealand, the Pacific islands, and Pacific Latin America. The states and nations bordering the Pacific Ocean are densely linked by patterns of historical contact, geology, trade, investment, international agreements and conflicts, migration, environmental and disease vectors, and the incessant flow of ideas and cultural practices.

The Program places priority on research that is new, specific to the region, and collaborative -- reaching across national boundaries and bridging academic disciplines. Proposals may come from any discipline in the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, public health, or some combination thereof. Research may focus on humans in relationship to the built or natural environment, transcultural and historical constructions of the human, human-nonhuman interactions, cultural geography, transnational migrations, economic expansion, regional agricultural development, environmental health and human disease, or other themes. Proposals should address questions that contribute to an understanding of the Pacific Rim region as a whole.

III. CRITERIA FOR AWARDS

Proposals will be evaluated for scholarly merit, originality, purpose, relationship to existing research, theoretical framework, methodology, qualifications and role of each investigator and collaborator, adequacy of available resources, justification for the budget, anticipated scholarly products, tentative schedule, and
plan for dissemination of the research results.

In addition to these features, successful proposals ordinarily include the following:

- Investigation across national, cultural, linguistic, and/or regional boundaries;
- Focus on interactions, flows, or major issues affecting the Pacific Rim region;
- For faculty proposals, collaboration of scholars in different countries and where appropriate, different disciplines. For graduate students, international collaboration will often be in the form of institutional affiliation abroad or faculty sponsorship in the host country.

Multi-disciplinary, multi-regional research is encouraged. Studies of single countries may be funded if the proposal articulates broader regional significance. "Collaboration" is broadly defined and need not be required in all aspects of the research. Collaborative projects should be aimed at facilitating, whenever possible, long-term ties between the UC, institutions, and individuals throughout the Pacific Rim. Projects should enable researchers who have not previously approached Pacific Rim subjects to interact with colleagues who are experts on regional issues.

Studies of flora, fauna, diseases, minerals, and other natural phenomena that occur in the Pacific Rim will be considered only if they significantly enhance understanding of the Pacific Rim and its peoples. Such proposals will receive more favorable consideration if they address cultural, social, or policy issues.

Prospective applicants are encouraged to discuss their proposals with campus research office staff or faculty representatives on the University-wide Executive Committee to evaluate appropriateness to the Program. The Pacific Rim Research Program does not normally support proposals focused solely on Mexico and the United States. Investigators on such proposals are encouraged to explore funding opportunities offered by the UC MEXUS program.

While every effort is made to ensure that a range of disciplines, areas, and campuses are represented on the final awards list, the final criterion for an award is the excellence of the proposal.

IV. AWARD CATEGORIES

UC faculty and staff who are eligible to be Principal Investigators on their campus may seek Faculty Initiative Grants and Faculty Research/Planning Grants.

Graduate students may apply for Advanced Graduate Research Fellowships.
All successful applicants must maintain eligibility during the life of the grant. Grants are not transferable to non-UC institutions. Each applicant may submit no more than one proposal per annual competition cycle.

A. FACULTY INITIATIVE GRANTS

This is a focused grant up to $50,000, which may be expended over a multi-year period.

For the 2012-13 grant competition, the PRRP invites Faculty Initiative Grant applications on the topic "Responses to Crisis in the Pacific Rim." The historical formation of the Pacific Rim region, and its rapid economic growth and dramatic rise over the past century, have not been peaceful. Political, social, and economic crises have occurred with some regularity in the region. More battle-related deaths have occurred in East Asia than in any other region since World War II. An arc of territory from southern Mexico through Bolivia has rarely known social stability in the past thirty years. Throughout the region, inter-state tensions are exacerbated by domestic social divisions and formidable social, health, and environmental problems. Today, the region is facing a new challenge in the global financial crisis emanating, ironically, from the developed core of the world financial system in the U.S.

The Initiative Grants will fund research that explores the impact of crisis on the Pacific region, historically and in the contemporary moment. Proposals may address the social, economic, and political roots of past or present crises, their cultural ramifications, and their multiple effects. Crisis, which can have a long historical dimension, may take the form of a catalytic event that sets in motion or accelerates a sequence of political and economic events. Crisis causes a sudden change in external conditions that requires individuals, businesses and governments to quickly change behaviors and strategies. Social crisis may cause a breakdown of the controls that limit movement of population, regulate public health, and protect the environment and economy. States may intensify their technologies of control in order to clean up after a crisis, or avert the perceived danger of a crisis. Crisis may give rise to new cultural practices and modes of expression in literature, the arts, religion, and popular politics.

All Initiative Grant proposals must involve collaboration of scholars from more than one Pacific Rim nation or territory, and may include support of graduate students. Interdisciplinary collaborations and multi-campus participation will enhance the prospects for funding. Each Initiative Grant proposal should include concrete plans for dissemination of research results and a discussion of prospects for future extramural funding. The Initiative Grant program will award up to 5 grants for 2012-2013.
B. FACULTY RESEARCH/PLANNING GRANTS

This is a continuation of a very successful PRRP program, enabling the completion of focused, high-quality research efforts. Research Grants fund collaborative projects of varying sizes, up to a maximum of $25,000. Projects must involve collaborative research, or research planning and pilot research, with colleagues in at least one Pacific Rim nation or territory, and may include support of graduate students. Awards are ordinarily granted for one year. Proposals for projects that are part of larger research programs funded by external sources should specify the programmatic and funding relationship between the proposed research and the project(s) already funded. The Research/Planning Grant program will award 4-6 grants for 2012-2013.

C. ADVANCED GRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

Advanced Graduate Research Fellowships support graduate students—the next generation of scholars—for a year of dissertation research or its equivalent.

Students may apply for a maximum of $20,000 in funding for a year of research, with budget justification. Budget requests for less than a year of funding should be adjusted proportionally. Graduate students whose research is part of a larger group project should clearly identify their individual roles in the project. In some cases it may be more appropriate to apply under a faculty grant, which can support graduate students. The Advanced Graduate Research Fellowships program will award 10 or more grants for 2012-2013.

V. RESEARCH SCHEDULE

Grants are awarded on a fiscal-year basis (July 1 - June 30). Grant recipients should consult with Program staff regarding specific scheduling questions.

VI. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION AND REVIEW PROCEDURES

The Pacific Rim Research Program has a two-tier review process. In the first stage, a campus committee reviews proposals, offers suggestions, and selects up to eight proposals to forward to the PRRP. In the second stage, at least three members of the system-wide PRRP Executive Committee reviews, ranks, and comments on each proposal. Final awards are decided at an annual meeting of the Executive Committee.
A. CAMPUS REVIEW

Proposals must be submitted by e-mail to the respective campus Liaison Officer for review and preliminary selection by the campus review committee. Campuses set their own deadlines and guidelines for submission of proposals. Please see the back cover of this brochure for campus deadlines and liaison contacts. Each campus may submit a total of eight proposals for consideration by the PRRP Executive Committee, distributed as decided by the campus committee across the three granting categories. Agriculture and Natural Resources may submit up to three proposals. ANR faculty with joint appointments with a campus must submit proposals through the campus. Campus administrators may determine whether to review the proposals together or separately.

For the Program record, a final selection letter from the campus faculty representative listing all proposals chosen, including the unsuccessful ones, is due on January 13, 2012 or as soon as their committee’s selection is final. The campus-review committees should provide the Executive Committee with a summary of the proposals forwarded and a narrative explanation describing how the campus made their selections. The proposals selected for systemwide review should not be ranked.

The Program office will then contact each applicant selected by their campus with instructions regarding our web submission process.

All campus selected proposals will be due online by Friday, February 17, 2012.

B. FINAL SELECTION PROCESS

The Chair of the PRRP Executive Committee will assign the proposals forwarded from the campuses to the PRRP Executive Committee members for review. The Executive Committee meets in April to make final selection of proposals recommended to the Office of Research for funding. Letters informing applicants of their award status will be e-mailed to all applicants. Announcements are usually made in mid-May.

VII. REPORTING

Principal Investigators and Advanced Graduate Research Fellowship recipients must submit a brief report (1,500-4,000 words) on completed projects to the Program Office at the Office of the President by December 1st in the year the project is completed. The report should be suitable for dissemination to a general audience. Appended to the report should be a list of research activities,
names of all participants including research assistants, copies of publications generated by the project, and a brief financial report. Copies of publications that appear after the reporting deadline should be submitted to the Program Coordinator when they become available.

Principal Investigators with Initiative Grants funded for two years must submit an interim report to the Program Office at the Office of the President by April 15 of the first fiscal year. The Executive Committee will review the report for satisfactory progress before the second-year funds are released.

Unexpended funds at the project’s conclusion must be returned to the Program Office. Failure to submit a final report or return unexpended funds will jeopardize future grant eligibility.

The Program maintains a web archive and may publish an annual newsletter. Project results described in progress reports and final reports, as well as in publications submitted to the Program, may be published in synopsis form.

The PRRP participates in the UC California Digital Library’s (CDL) e-Scholarship repository Program and welcomes submissions of working papers, articles, conference proceedings, and other scholarly materials to be electronically published under the PRRP’s auspices. For more information about the repository, please refer to the CDL’s website: http://repositories.cdlib.org/escholarship/.

VIII. PROJECT EXTENSIONS

No-cost grant extensions can usually be approved for a period of up to one year when additional time is required to assure completion of the original project. Exceptions to the one-year maximum extension will be granted only in extraordinary cases.

Requests for no-cost grant extensions should be made in writing and submitted by email to the Program Coordinator at pacrim@ucsc.edu, and should include 1) reasons for the extension, 2) the requested extension period, 3) a brief progress report, and 4) a budget report.

IX. PROPOSAL FORMAT

A. FACULTY Initiative and Research/Planning Grants

Contact your campus liaison officer and note the campus specific deadline for the campus committee review. The contact list and deadlines are on the final page of this Call.
Submit the following items via e-mail to the campus liaison officer:

• Cover sheet including:
  Applicant's Title (Mr., Ms., Dr., Professor):
  Applicant's Name:
  Department:
  E-mail address:
  Project Title:
  Grant type:
  Requested amount:
• narrative proposal
• itemized budget
• narrative budget
• CV (2 page limit)
• CV’s of other collaborators (2 page limit)
• letters of support
• Other funding applied to or forthcoming

**Narrative Proposal:** Project descriptions for Faculty Initiative or Research/Planning Grants should describe the purpose of the proposed project, relationship to existing research, Pacific Rim focus, theoretical framework, methodology, role of each investigator and collaborator, anticipated scholarly products, tentative schedule, and plan for dissemination of the research results. In addition, Initiative Grant applicants should specify the relationship of their research to the designated thematic focus for this year’s competition. A bibliography (not included in the 2,000-word limit) should follow the project description. Proposals should be written in language accessible to non-specialists.

**Budget:** A detailed budget and budget justification must be submitted with the proposal. Pacific Rim Research Program funds may be used for direct costs and, when campus regulations require it, line items for direct administrative support of the project. The budget should adhere to the following guidelines:

a. **Salary/Stipend:** allowable for research assistants on faculty grants. The role of research assistants on faculty grants should be clearly defined. Funds may not be used for faculty salaries or other payments to UC faculty.

b. **Travel:** should include destination, purpose, number of trips, economy-class airfare, daily food and lodging expenses, and number of days covered. The applicant should make every effort to obtain the most reasonable rates. The PRRP does not use federal per diem rates.

c. **Meetings/Conferences:** should include purpose, number of participants,
potential participants, and details of meeting-related expenses.

d. Research Supplies: may include acquisition of data (specify type of data), project-specific expendable supplies, and consulting fees (with justification and not to exceed $500 per person) to non-UC collaborators when necessary to obtain technical services. Funding for durable general-purpose equipment such as computers and video cameras is usually not allowed.

Budgets for two-year projects should specify expenditures for each year. Subsequent changes to the submitted budget require prior approval from the Pacific Rim Research Program (pacrim@ucsc.edu).

Curriculum Vitae: This should include two-page resumes for named investigators, listing relevant activities and publications for the past five years only.

Appendices: e.g. collaborators' CVs, supplementary materials, etc., (if applicable). Investigators who wish to include appendices such as questionnaires, descriptions of technical procedures, letters of endorsement, or related publications by members of the research team are encouraged to do so, but the project narrative is the primary vehicle for presenting the proposed research.

Endorsements (if applicable): Letters of support or commitment from international collaborators must be included.

Documentation of Compliance with Research Regulations: Applicants must ensure that the research meets all federal and state regulations, including those concerning human and animal subjects. It is not necessary to obtain human subjects approval prior to submitting a grant application, but funds will not be released until institutional approval is secured. Applicants should consult with the Office of Sponsored Research or its equivalent on their home campus to familiarize themselves with requirements.

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Grant type:
Requested amount:
ABD by July 1, 2012?:
• narrative proposal
• itemized budget
• narrative budget
• CV (2 page limit)
• letters of recommendation
• Other funding applied to or forthcoming
• Transcripts (unofficial copies accepted)

Narrative Proposal: Project descriptions for Advanced Graduate Research Fellowships should describe the purpose of the proposed project, relationship to existing research, Pacific Rim focus, theoretical framework, methodology, role of each investigator and collaborator, anticipated scholarly products, tentative schedule, and plan for dissemination of the research results. A bibliography (not included in the 2,000-word limit) should follow the project description. Proposals should be written in language accessible to non-specialists.

Letters of Recommendation: One letter of support is required from the student’s faculty advisor evaluating the soundness and originality of the project, the work and potential of the graduate student applicant, and the likelihood that the student will advance to candidacy prior to the grant period. Additional letters of support from faculty on the student’s dissertation committee are also welcome.

Budget: A detailed budget and budget justification must be submitted with the proposal, using the worksheet provided on the online application. Pacific Rim Research Program funds may be used for direct costs and, when campus regulations require it, line items for direct administrative support of the project. The budget should follow the following guidelines:

a. Student fees and non-resident tuition. Advanced Graduate Research Fellowships are intended for direct support of graduate student research; they are not intended for UC student fees and tuition. Graduate student applicants are encouraged to seek withdrawn or planned leave of absence status during extended field trips where permitted by campus regulations.

b. Benefits (e.g. medical insurance): allowable for graduate students when not reimbursed by campus.

c. Field Research Travel: should include destination, purpose, number of trips, economy-class airfare, daily food and lodging expenses, and number
of days covered. The applicant should make every effort to obtain the most reasonable rates. The PRRP does not use federal per diem rates.

d. **Meetings/Conferences**: should include purpose, number of participants, potential participants, and details of meeting-related expenses. Conference travel to professional meetings to disseminate research is not eligible for funding.

e. **Research Supplies**: may include acquisition of data (specify type of data), project-specific expendable supplies, and consulting fees (with justification and not to exceed $500 per person) to non-UC collaborators when necessary to obtain technical services. Funding for durable general-purpose equipment such as computers and video cameras is usually not allowed. Research assistance is not allowed on advanced graduate research grants.
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Hello everyone,

I just wanted to forward some student employment information I received from our friends at the McNair Scholars program.

Thanks,

Walter

Now Hiring

GRADUATE STUDENT MENTORS

About the McNair Scholars Program
The McNair Scholars Program prepares qualified undergraduates for entrance into a PhD program in all fields of study. The goals of the program are to increase the number of first-generation, low-income and/or underrepresented students in PhD programs, and ultimately, to diversify the faculty in colleges and universities across the country.

The UCSB McNair Scholars Program provides undergraduates with opportunities to participate in research activities during the academic year and summer. McNair Scholars attend courses, seminars and workshops on topics related to graduate school preparation; complete a research project under the guidance of a faculty mentor; and have the opportunity to present their research at local, regional and national conferences. For more information about the program visit: http://mcnair.ucsb.edu/

About the Graduate Mentor Position:
Three McNair Scholars Program Graduate Mentors will serve as role models and advisors to undergraduate participants; assist in the production of the McNair newsletter, brochures, and journal; organize events and training sessions; participate and occasionally facilitate quarterly seminars, provide feedback for scholarly and undergraduate research assignments and other projects as needed.

Mentors will be paid at the appropriate GSR hourly rate for 10 hours per week, plus partial tuition/fee remission for 3 quarters (up to $5,000 in fees for students without institutional support).

Eligibility:
Must be a UCSB graduate student in good standing in any doctoral degree-granting program; have successfully completed first year of graduate education; be familiar with McNair, UC LEADS, or other similar pre-graduate preparation programs; show some experience teaching or advising undergraduates.

Graduate mentors must be available to begin employment during the week of June 13, 2011 and be willing to commit 10 hours per week between June 13-August 19, 2011, and, during the 2011-12 academic year. Ability to start during Spring Quarter 2011 would be ideal.

To Apply:
Submit materials to Assistant Director Monique Limón, at mlimon@mcnair.ucsb.edu by 5 PM March 4, 2011. Application must include a CV, names of two faculty and/or staff references, and a cover letter of no more than 3 pages, outlining your research, mentoring, public service, and teaching experience and commitment to the goals of the McNair Scholars.
Program.
Hi Melanie,
Below is a message you're welcome to forward to grad students. Let me know if you have questions.
Best,
Linda

Dear Film and Media Studies Graduate Students,

I'm writing to let you know about graduate assistantship opportunities available in the UCSB Writing Program. These assistantships can provide support through graduate school; the training and experience will likely also be beneficial as you enter the job market as professionals.

Hired through a competitive application process, UCSB WP graduate instructors teach stand-alone sections of Writing 2, a general education course required of the majority of UCSB undergraduates. Graduate instructors develop their Writing 2 courses with careful mentoring from UCSB Writing Program faculty. All graduate instructors are also required to take Writing 501, Theory and Practice of Academic Writing, which will help to prepare and support you as you teach for the first time. Beginning in Fall 2011, this 4-unit course will meet from 9am-3pm beginning September 10, then continue through the Fall quarter (concurrently with first quarters in the classroom).

If you'd like to learn more, visit [http://www.writing.ucsb.edu/about_ta.htm](http://www.writing.ucsb.edu/about_ta.htm). You also will find application materials linked to this page. If you have been previously familiar with the UCSB Writing Program TA application process you will see that we have made some changes to that process; they are explained on this page.

Best,

Linda Adler-Kassner
Professor and Director
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Santa Barbara, CA 93106-3010
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Why Teach in the UCSB Writing Program?

UCSB Writing Program Assistantships offer the opportunity to develop theoretical and practical experience in the teaching of writing, curriculum design, and classroom management. The experiences garnered as a Writing Program TA will help you to become a better teacher in your "home" discipline and a stronger candidate on the job market. Moreover, teaching in the Writing Program will help you to refine your own writing, reading, and critical analysis strategies.

What do TAs do?

Working with an assigned supervisor, a senior lecturer in the Writing Program, TAs are given training in and have significant responsibilities for all aspects of instruction, including grading, for one class (typically 25 students) each quarter. New incoming TAs usually begin their Writing Program assignment by teaching Writing 2, the General Education writing course required of all UCSB undergraduates.

Writing Program TAships begin with participation in Writing 501, Academic Writing: Theory and Practice, a 4-unit course that provides a foundation in composition and rhetoric theory and practice, as well as a grounding in the Writing Program's course content and pedagogical approach. While this is a Fall quarter course, it begins two weeks prior to the quarter (hours that are included in the workload assignment of TAs) in order to prepare for Fall quarter teaching. For Fall 2012 this course will begin Monday, September 10. All TAs (regardless of prior experience, travel schedules, or anything else) must be able to attend class from 9am-4pm from Monday, 9/10-Friday, 9/21 (excluding weekends), then from 3-4:50 Wednesdays through the Fall quarter.

What do TAs teach?

At the core of Writing 2 is the idea that qualities of good writing are situated in local contexts and academic disciplines. Good writers, therefore, learn to analyze and adapt to the expectations for writing in these different situations. Writing 2 helps students build the critical writing, reading, and analysis strategies they will use in their UCSB majors and beyond, asking students (and instructors) to investigate and develop the literacy practices used in academic disciplines.

Writing 2 classes meet two days a week for 110 minutes per meeting, and instructors hold at least two office hours a week in addition to attending selected faculty meetings. TAships in the Writing Program are 50% appointments; compensation is set by terms of collective bargaining. EE/AO

What are home department/Grad Division requirements?

All TAs must be registered in at least 8 units each quarter that they teach in the Writing Program and must be making sufficient progress toward degree. This determination is made by the home department and the Grad Division. To teach in Summer Sessions, TAs must have completed an M.A. degree. There will be no waivers of the requirement that TAs have an M.A. to teach in the summer, as this is a Summer Sessions requirement.

New TAs teach all three quarters of the academic year and are eligible for teaching in subsequent quarters, depending on need in the Writing Program.

How can I learn more?

The Writing Program is happy to talk with prospective TAs about teaching in the Program. For questions contact Linda Adler-Kassner, Director, at adler-kassner@writing.ucsb.edu, call 893-4808, or just stop by South Hall 1516. You can also contact Jeffrey Hanson, Chair of TA Training and Supervision, at hanson@writing.ucsb.edu. Watch the Writing Program website (http://www.writing.ucsb.edu) for prospective TA information sessions, as well.

I know I want to apply. What are next steps?

TA application materials are due Friday, January 6 at 4:00 p.m.

To apply, please include the following as indicated on the 2012/2013 Application form:

- 2012/2013 Application: PDF, Docx (please note that the second page is to be completed by the Graduate Program Advisor in your home department)
- a cover letter addressing your qualifications. Please note that this should focus on your interest in or experience with working with students in a writing class.
- a curriculum vitae
- a one-to-two page statement describing the relationship between the teaching of writing to your academic research and/or
career goals
• a teaching portfolio:
  o a one-page statement of teaching philosophy and instructional goals that focus on teaching writing at UCSB,
  o samples of syllabi, lesson plans, handouts, course readers, and/or assignments you have designed for courses in or outside of the UCSB Writing Program that involve significant writing tasks if you have taught previously. If you include these materials, please also include a statement describing the course and the materials.
  If you have not taught your own class previously, please design a sample assignment that you would like to use in a course. The sample assignment could be for a course in your own field or for a writing course.

Please understand the purpose of the portfolio is to allow you to give the strongest picture possible of your teaching and/or tutoring experience. We do not expect that most TAs will have the opportunity to design courses of their own. If you have questions about assembling a teaching portfolio, you may want to bring your materials to Linda Adler-Kassner (South Hall 1516, adler-kassner@writing.ucsb.edu) or to Jeffrey Hanson (Girvetz 1321, hanson@writing.ucsb.edu) for a consultation.

Returning TA Application Procedures

I've loved teaching in the Writing Program. Can I reapply for a second year?
Yes! TAs who have taught successfully in the Writing Program are very welcome to reapply for an appointment. To reapply, you'll need to submit:
• The first page of the 2012/2013 Application (please note that the second page is to be completed by the Graduate Program Advisor in your home department). Note: Returning TAs do not need to submit a portfolio or writing sample.
• A reapplication cover letter. This letter should include your teaching philosophy, a brief discussion of the feedback/evaluations you've received from students, what you've gained from your Writing Program teaching experience and why you hope to continue.

We will also consider recommendations on your performance from past TA supervisors.

As a returning TA, what classes might I teach?
In addition to Writing 2, returning TAs may also seek assignments in Writing 1, Writing 50 (special research topics), or in the ACE Program (Academic Communities for Excellence) for EOP students. Those interested in teaching in the Engineering Writing sequence (1E, 2E, 50E) must have fulfilled the requirements for Writing 252.

I've heard about Teaching Associates. What are those, and how might I become one?
Teaching associates serve as mentors to new teaching assistants and work on curriculum development (including creating new curriculum, developing assessment projects, and other creative activities) in the Writing Program. To become an associate, you must:
• possess a Master's degree or equivalent training
• be in good standing with your home department
• have 3-6 quarters of teaching experience in the Writing Program
• have a recommendation of a Writing Program supervisor based on your teaching and service record

I've got those things. How can I apply?
To submit an application to become an Associate TA, please submit the following documents:
• 2012/2013 Application (please note that the second page is to be completed by the Graduate Program Advisor in your home department)
• Reapplication cover letter. A reapplication cover letter for this position should include your teaching philosophy, a brief discussion of the feedback/evaluations you've received from students, what you've gained from your Writing Program teaching experience and why you hope to continue. You should also discuss ways you have or plan to contribute with new assignments or participation in activities such as TA Orientation.
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From: Melany Miners <mminers@filmandmedia.ucsb.edu>
To: Grad Students <gradstudents@filmandmedia.ucsb.edu>
Subject: 2011–12 Dissertation Fellowship, UCSB Black Studies
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Date: Wednesday, November 10, 2010 2:02 PM -0800
From: Debra Nash <dnash@blackstudies.ucsb.edu>
Subject: [gpa] 2011-12 Dissertation Fellowship, UCSB Black Studies

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UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA BARBARA
DEPARTMENT OF BLACK STUDIES

DISSERTATION FELLOWSHIP
FOR 2011-12

The Department of Black Studies at the University of California, Santa Barbara invites applications for two fellowships for the academic year 2011-12. Applicants must be advanced to candidacy at an accredited university. This fellowship is also open to international applicants. The department is particularly interested in scholars whose research focuses on intersections of race, class, gender or sexuality in African/Caribbean/African-American or Diasporic Studies.

The duration of the award is nine months and scholars are required to be in residence during the entire fellowship period. The fellowship grant is $22,000.00. Scholars are required to be in residence during the entire fellowship period and there is an expectation that the dissertation will be completed during the term of residency. Dissertation scholars will teach one undergraduate course and present one public lecture.

To apply, complete and mail the following: the UCSB Black Studies Dissertation Fellowship application, a cover letter, a curriculum vitae, a detailed description of the dissertation project, a writing sample (approximately 20 pages, preferably a dissertation chapter), and three letters of reference to:

Dissertation Fellowship Committee
Department of Black Studies
University of California
Santa Barbara, CA 93106-3150

Application form:  http://www.blackstudies.ucsb.edu/graduate.html

All materials, including letters of reference must be postmarked no later than February 4, 2011. No fax or e-mail submissions will be accepted.

The University of California is an Equal Opportunity / Affirmative Action Employer. The department is especially interested in candidates who can contribute to the diversity and excellence of the academic community through research, teaching and service.

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2011-12 DOCTORAL STUDENT TRAVEL GRANT
Allocation of funds are governed by the Graduate Council and University Regulations
http://senate.ucsb.edu/grants

Funding for the Doctoral Student Travel Grant is split into two pools:

POOL ONE: Conference travel between July 1, 2011 and December 31, 2011
POOL TWO: Conference travel between January 1, 2012 and June 30, 2012

Within each pool, the funding is divided between the divisions and schools housing our graduate programs. The allocation for each division/school is based upon its fall graduate student headcount.

Bren School for Environmental Science and Management
College of Engineering
Division of Humanities and Fine Arts, College of Letters and Science
Division of Mathematical, Life, and Physical Sciences, College of Letters and Science
Division of Social Sciences, College of Letters and Science
Gevirtz Graduate School of Education

The Graduate Council has put these guidelines into place to help ensure that the grant funding will be distributed equally; for those students with conferences at the beginning of the year as well and the end, and among students in the various disciplines.

Applications will be accepted for each pool until the funds are expended for your division/school. Funding is granted on a first-come, first-served basis.

Eligibility (No Exceptions)

- Applicant must be a doctoral student and advanced to candidacy, or if a master of fine arts (M.F.A.) student, must be in his/her second year and be in candidacy prior to travel. (Faculty recommendation letter must confirm the M.F.A. candidacy status information.)
- The conference must be an important one to the discipline; preference will be given to travel associated with potential academic employment. (Faculty letters should include information about the professional importance of the conference.)
- Applicant must be invited or selected to present a paper, present research, perform or exhibit at a major professional conference or meeting. (Proof of invitation or selection of the applicant for presentation or performance must be provided with the application materials.)
- Applicant must be a currently registered graduate student or on an approved leave of absence.
- Application with all supporting material must be received in the Academic Senate Office at least 21 calendar days prior to travel.
- A graduate student may receive only one Graduate Student Travel Grant during the course of his/her graduate studies at UCSB.
- Students in joint doctoral programs may be eligible for consideration of up to 50% of the grant funding amount available to UCSB graduate students.
Terms of the Award

- Allowable expenses are the actual cost of the airline ticket or equivalent ground transportation to and from the conference or meeting. Original receipts will be required.
- Travel Grant funds may NOT be used to pay for conference fees, lodging, per diem, or other expenses.
- Any travel other than a direct route from Santa Barbara to the conference location must be approved by the Academic Senate prior to departure.
- Travel vouchers and original receipts for approved travel must be submitted to the Academic Senate within 10 days of completion of the trip. Travel award funds will not be held in reserve for late vouchers.

Maximum funding is as follows:

- $350 California
- $685 All other U.S. Locations, Mexico, Canada
- $1,030 Puerto Rico, Europe
- $1,200 Central or South America
- $1,400 Asia, Africa, Middle East, South Pacific

Application must include the following:

1. A completed 2011-12 Doctoral Student Travel Grant Application (see attached);
2. An abstract of the paper/project to be presented;
3. A copy of the formal invitation for the presentation or performance;
4. A letter of support from the graduate student's advisor.

Please contact Shasta Delp at shasta.delp@senate.ucsb.edu if you have further questions about the travel grant program.

Please submit your application with all supporting materials to:

Academic Senate, Attn: Shasta Delp
1233 Girvetz Hall
University of California
Santa Barbara, CA 93106-3050

Applications may also be submitted via e-mail to shasta.delp@senate.ucsb.edu
2011-12 DOCTORAL STUDENT TRAVEL GRANT APPLICATION

NAME ___________________________ DEPARTMENT ___________________ PERM ________

E-MAIL ___________________________ ☐ REGISTERED ☐ ON LEAVE

☐ POOL ONE: For conference travel between July 1, 2011 and December 31, 2011
☐ POOL TWO: For conference travel between January 1, 2012 and June 30, 2012

Amount paid will be based on actual air or alternative ground travel expenses within the following maximum funding limitations established by the Academic Senate (please check box for the location of your conference):

☐ CALIFORNIA - $350.00
☐ ALL OTHER U.S. LOCATIONS, MEXICO, CANADA - $685.00
☐ PUERTO RICO, EUROPE - $1,030.00
☐ CENTRAL OR SOUTH AMERICA - $1,200.00
☐ ASIA, AFRICA, MIDDLE EAST, SOUTH PACIFIC - $1,400.00

Please provide the following information in support of this application:

1) NAME OF CONFERENCE ____________________________________________

2) DATE OF CONFERENCE __________________________________________

3) CONFERENCE SITE ______________________________________________

4) HAS THE PAPER BEEN ACCEPTED ON THE PROGRAM, OR PERFORMANCE / EXHIBIT ARRANGED? ☐ YES ☐ NO

5) WILL YOU BE PRESENTING THE PAPER AT THE CONFERENCE, PERFORMING, OR EXHIBITING AT THE EVENT? ☐ YES ☐ NO

6) HAVE YOU ADVANCED TO DOCTORAL CANDIDACY?
   IF YES, WHEN? __________________________
☐ YES ☐ NO

7) HAVE YOU RECEIVED A DOCTORAL STUDENT TRAVEL GRANT BEFORE?
   IF YES, WHEN? __________________________
☐ YES ☐ NO

NOTE: ALL APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING. PLEASE CHECK EACH INCLUDED ITEM:

☐ A copy of an abstract of the paper;
☐ A letter of support or endorsement from the applicant’s advisor including an indication of the importance of the conference or event forum (and in the case of an MFA student, an indication of advancement to MFA candidacy);
☐ A copy of the formal invitation to participate in the conference (or evidence of participation). An email invitation will suffice for application but a formal invitation or notation in the final conference schedule will be required to be submitted with receipts for payment.

_________________________________ DATE
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

_________________________________ DATE
SIGNATURE OF DEPARTMENT CHAIR

_________________________________ DATE
SIGNATURE OF GRADUATE ADVISOR
Grads: FYI: I got this message today about Doctoral Student Travel Grants for 11-12. The first pool of funding is already allocated, so if you wanted to apply, you may do so for after the first of next year.

Date: Tuesday, July 05, 2011 4:51 PM -0700
From: Grad Deans <graddeans@graddiv.ucsb.edu>
To: Grad Deans <graddeans@graddiv.ucsb.edu>
Subject: [gpa] FW: Update on Doctoral Student Travel Grants for AY 2011-12

To Department Chairs, Graduate Advisors, and Graduate Program Assistants:

I am writing to provide an update on the status of funding for the Doctoral Student Travel Grants for AY 2011-12. The amount of funding for this program is $55,800 per academic year.

Last spring, Graduate Council approved a new funding model for the 2011-12 Doctoral Student Travel Grants. For 2010-11, the grant funding was split into two equal pools, (1) travel between January 1 and December 31, and (2) travel between January 1 and June 30. For 2011-12, each pool of funding is now divided among all of the divisions and schools (except CCS). The allocation of funding within each division/school is based upon its headcount of graduate student enrollment.

Due to high demand and limited resources, Graduate Council has put these guidelines into place to achieve two goals:

1) To help ensure that the grant funding will be distributed equally, among those students with conferences at the beginning, middle and end of the year,

2) To help ensure that grant funding will be distributed among students in the various disciplines.

Applications are accepted for each pool on a first-come, first-served basis, until the funds are expended for the division/school.

We posted the new application on the Academic Senate website on May 31, and students were notified via the student e-mail system on June 7. Just within these few weeks, the funding has been fully allocated for Pool One, for the Bren School of Environmental Science and Management, the Division of Humanities and Fine Arts, the Division of Mathematical, Life, and Physical Sciences, the Division of Social Sciences, and the College of Engineering. We believe that the increased demand is related to broader communication, as this is the first year we have announced the program via U-Mail. We will post this information on our website but are writing to all of you so you are aware of the situation and may inform your graduate students should they inquire. Applications for Pool Two (January-June 2011) are currently open for all divisions/schools.

For up-to-date information on the funding availability for the Doctoral

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Student Travel Grants, please visit our website at http://senate.ucsb.edu/grants/doctoral.student.travel/. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Graduate Council Analyst, Shasta Delp, at shasta.delp@senate.ucsb.edu.

Best,
Deborah Karoff
Executive Director, Academic Senate
Procedures and Policies for
Department Supported Graduate Student Travel

Each year, the Department determines how much money it can provide to Graduate Students to supplement the costs of their travel to professional conferences. The Department wants to encourage these opportunities to present papers that further the education and research of our graduate students.

The annual dollar reimbursement amount will be determined around the beginning of each new academic year and communicated to the graduate students.

Prior to travel in that academic year, each graduate student must fill out and submit the “DEPARTMENT CONFERENCE TRAVEL GRANT APPLICATION” found on the website at http://filmandmedia.ucsb.edu/resources/graduate/graduate.html. Students need to complete this form and submit it for approval prior to the trip.

Once the student returns from the conference or professional event, a second form must be completed. This form is the Domestic Travel Reimbursement Worksheet and it needs to be completed with any appropriate receipts attached.

Paperwork is then generated to reimburse the student up to the agreed upon amount. Paperwork must be submitted prior to June 1 of the academic year in which travel was completed. The Department has the right to refuse to pay this amount if an event isn’t qualified prior to the student attending, or if it isn’t deemed to qualify for any other reason. Each student will be able to receive this allowable amount only one time during the academic year, even if they attend many conferences.

Questions can be directed to the Graduate Program Assistant and Department Manager.