



2018 Graduate Student Government (GSG) Summer Research Fellowships

The Graduate Student Government in conjunction with the Office of the Vice President for Research and Dean of the Graduate School is launching a new summer fellowship program. A total of \$45,000 in stipends will be awarded over the next 3 academic years (at which point the program will be evaluated with the potential of renewal). Each year, three \$5000 fellowships will be awarded to graduate students who have demonstrated outstanding scholarly achievement as well as service to the University of Maine. Service will be defined as voluntary engagement in activities to the benefit of the University of Maine, or its stakeholder community.

Number to be awarded: 3

Award Amount: \$5,000

Eligibility: Full time graduate students, in good academic standing, who have completed at least one year of graduate study, and who have an outstanding record of service to the University or its broader community, or who demonstrate a high level of involvement with Graduate Student Affairs, such as serving on Search Committees, Student Symposium committees, or volunteering at the organizational level for graduate student events, workshops, etc.

Submission Requirements:

- Letter of Support from Advisor (sent separately with subject line "GSG Summer Fellowships– Student Name")
- Statement demonstrating service activities (500 words maximum)
- Summer Research Prospectus (500 words maximum)
 - The prospectus should provide a brief description of the work to be done over the course of the Summer term which the fellowship would support
 - A report is to be completed at the end of the Summer term, detailing the work completed

Submission Deadline: No later than 4:00pm on Friday, May 18, 2018

Please email applications in PDF format with subject line "GSG Summer Fellowships– Student Name" to: debby.clements@maine.edu.