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INSTRUCTIONS

Application Deadline: Feb. 17, 2020 (11:59pm CST)

An answer is required for an item preceded by a "Red Asterisk (*)"

It is possible to save a form in-progress and return to it later. However, we strongly recommend that you **contact your recommendation letter writers ASAP** to allow enough time for the submission of your letter by the application deadline (February 17, 2020, 11:59pm CST).

Your recommendation letter should be submitted by your recommendation letter writer at the link below by Feb 17, 2020 (11:59pm CST) -- please share the link with your recommendation letter writer:

https://forms.illinois.edu/sec/4574957

It is your responsibility to inform your recommendation letter writer and make sure s/he submits your letter at the link above by Feb 17, 2020 (11:59 pm CST).

One of your recommendation letters should preferably be from your academic advisor. If this is not possible, the letter can be from a professor of your own choice.

Applicant Information

- *1. Last name
- *2. First name
- *3. UIN: (9 digit number) answer must be a university ID like 612345678
- *4. Campus Address:
- *5. Campus Mail Code:
- *6. Permanent Address:
- *****7. City:
- *8. State:
- *9. Zip code:
- *10. Email address: answer must be an email address
- *11. Phone: answer must be phone number with area code like 217-333-1000

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*12. Country of Origin:

*13. Are you a currently enrolled or have completed the GRID (Gender Relations in International Development) Minor? Please note that some awards are only available to students within the GRID program. For more information, please contact Anita Kaiser at arkaiser@illinois.edu or 217-333-6221

Degree Program

*14. Please list your Academic Advisor name and contact information (It is highly encouraged that you share the proposal with your advisor prior to submission)

*15. Degree Program/Major

*16. Are you a Doctoral Student? (If you answer no, you will skip to question 20)

17. If doctoral, have you defended your proposal?

18. Date you defended your proposal answer must be date like mm/dd/yyyy

19. If defended your proposal, what is the working title of your thesis?

Research and Research Plan

*20. Country or Region of Research Interest

*21. Brief description of research (approximately 25 words):

*22. Statement of research plan. Type in or copy/paste your statement of purpose in the box below.

Statement of Research Plan.

Please provide a research plan (not to exceed 1500 words) of the project that addresses the following questions:

a. What are the specific questions, problems, or ideas you will examine and the objectives or results you hope to achieve?

b. Please provide a detailed but concise description of your methodology, approach, and/or procedures. You should make clear how your methods will lead to achieving your project objectives.

c. At what stage are you in the project

d. What is your proposed schedule or plan for the fellowship period?

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e. How does the project fit into existing scholarship in the field? What is its relationship to the work of others in the same area? What is distinct or original about the proposed project?

f. What contribution is the project likely to make, and what is its significance for improving the lives of women?

Please indicate which fellowship or awards you are applying for

Indicate one of the following answers for each of the questions below. (Yes or No)

*23. Rita and Arnold Goodman Fellowship

*24. Barbara A. Yates International Fellowship (must be GRID student)

*25. Due and Ferber International Research Award (Must be Doctoral Student AND GRID Student)

*26. Evelyne Accad and Paul Vieille International Research Award (Research must be located in North Africa or Middle East)

Other Funding Sources

27. Please list other sources of research support you are seeking, including all grants and awards you have applied for: For each source, please include Agency/Foundation, Date Applied, Amount, Funding Status

Research Budget (Only for Goodman and Due/Ferber)

*28. Are you applying for the Rita and Arnold Goodman Fellowship or the Due and Ferber Research Award? Both of these will require you to include a descriptive research budget of field work.

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*29. Please provide a detailed budget with narrative of your research plan

*30. Are you applying for the Rita and Arnold Goodman Fellowship or the Barbara A. Yates Award? Both of these awards require an unofficial transcript and vitae? (If you answer No, you will skip to question 33)

*31. Upload Current Vitae (maximum file size: 15M)

*32. Upload Unofficial Transcript(s) (maximum file size: 15M)

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Recommendation Letter

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Please note that recommendation letters will be used for all awards applying for and the maximum number of references needed are three.

Please note required recommendation letters based on which award(s) applying for:

<u>One required</u> Evelyne Accad and Paul Vieille International Research Award Due and Ferbert International Research Award

<u>Three required</u> Rita and Arnold Goodman Fellowship Barbara A. Yates International Fellowship

Enter the name and contact information of your recommendation letter writer below:

- *33. Recommendation Letter Writer's Name
- *34. Recommendation Letter Writer's Department
- *35. Recommendation Letter Writer's Email answer must be an email address
- 36. Recommendation Letter (# 2) Writer's Name
- 37. Recommendation Letter Writer's (#2) Department
- 38. Recommendation Letter Writer's (#2) Email answer must be an email address
- 39. Recommendation Letter (# 3) Writer's Name
- 40. Recommendation Letter Writer's (#3) Department
- 41. Recommendation Letter Writer's (#3) Email answer must be an email address