

David C. Williams Memorial Graduate Fellowship

\$5,000 Award Each

ALL disciplines are encouraged to apply

IN HONOR OF DAVID C. WILLIAMS, we are pleased to announce the seventh annual David C. Williams Memorial Graduate Fellowships which will be awarded this spring for the 2011-12 academic year. The recipients may also be eligible for a ½ tuition waiver. The David C. Williams Memorial Fellowship will provide financial support for two students enrolled in the University who are committed to studying, writing, and disseminating information about the principles of stewardship and sustainability in the management of public lands. The field of study is open, but all candidates must be in good standing within his/her area of study.

TO BE CONSIDERED for the David C. Williams Memorial Fellowship graduate students must be committed to writing a major paper or project, a masters thesis, or Ph.D. dissertation, that focuses on any combination of:

1. The principles of stewardship and sustainability in the management of public lands;
2. The development and practice of collaborative multi-agency planning with an emphasis on ecosystem management and long-term sustainability;
3. The concept of a national landscape conservation system, and how various land management agencies would work together in such a system; and
4. The active participation of local government units, nonprofit organizations, and citizens in the challenges and privileges of planning for the stewardship of our precious national resources.

TO APPLY, SUBMIT

- A resume;
- A brief description of, or pre-proposal for, a thesis, dissertation, or other substantial research paper or project (approximately 2 or 3 pages in length). The description or pre-proposal should clearly specify a research question(s) in an area directly relevant to the themes. The proposed research should have practical utility for public lands managers and policy-making organizations;
- Two letters of support from individuals who have worked with you on relevant projects, and;
- A copy of your most recent academic transcript.

Applications must be received by 4:00 pm, Friday, February 25th.

Send application materials to Kara Glaubitz, Center for Public Policy and Administration,
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