



THE WOMEN'S RESEARCH INSTITUTE

Student Research Grant Application

Program Description

Applicants must be full-time students at BYU. Proposals will be accepted for thesis or dissertation projects from honor students in any academic field. Research should focus on women's lives and experiences, or on gender issues.

Students must demonstrate support from a faculty member who is willing to work closely with the student. Awards will be given to help with the costs of original research, such as supplies and computer expenses.

Range of Awards

Up to \$500 per annum

Guidelines

Applicants should submit a proposal using the following basic outline:

1. Project summary (Purposes and significance of the research)
2. Project description
 - A. Brief statement of the problem
 - B. Research Method (Design and rationale of research)
 - C. Planned analysis of collected data
3. Publication plans
4. Itemized budget

Deadlines

Applications can be found at the Women's Research Institute (WRI) website (wri.byu.edu). Applications are due to the Women's Research Institute, 1063 JFSB, by 5:00 P.M. on Friday, October 17, 2008. Recipients will be notified by the end of November. Research funds will be awarded in January of the following year or after the recipient has received IRB approval for their project (if applicable).

Personal Information

1. Name: _____

2. BYU ID #: _____

3. Title of Project: _____

4. Local Address: _____ 5. Telephone #: _____

6. Department/Major: _____

7. Overall GPA (undergraduate) _____
Graduate GPA (if applicable) _____

8. List names and departments of additional investigators (if any):

9. List other agencies to which you are applying for funds to help support your research project:

10. This project is a

_____	honors thesis project	_____	senior project
_____	thesis	_____	mentored student research project
_____	dissertation	_____	other: _____

11. Recommendation of faculty sponsor. No application will be considered without faculty recommendation. _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

12. At the conclusion of the fiscal year in which the funds are awarded (December, 2009), I agree to submit a written report summarizing my research activities to the Women's Research Institute, 1063 JFSB. I also agree to recognize the support of the Institute in any publications or presentations of this research.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Attach the following to this application:

Write a short biography about yourself. Describe your plans for the future.

Please provide two letters of reference from those who can recommend your ability to do scholarly work and complete your research project. One letter needs to be from the mentoring faculty member.

Please submit this sheet with your research proposal and itemized budget form.



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BUDGET SUMMARY SHEET
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1. NAME: _____

2. PROJECT TITLE: _____

3. BUDGET: _____

A. **Supplies** (office supplies, Xeroxing, etc.)

Please itemize:

Total supplies: \$ _____

B. **Travel**

Destination: _____

Estimated airfare or car mileage: \$ _____

Estimated meals and hotel: \$ _____

Total travel \$ _____

C. **Other** (please specify)

Total other: \$ _____

Total Project Cost \$ _____