2016-2017 APPLICATION FORM for WGGP Award
Offered by
the Women and Gender in Global Perspectives Program (WGGP)
for full-time new and continuing graduate students
enrolled at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

All applicants are highly encouraged to attend proposal writing workshop on February 5, 2016 from 9:30-11:30am in room 101 International Studies Building.

RITA AND ARNOLD GOODMAN FELLOWSHIP, $14,000
1. A completed application form
2. A statement of research plans (2 pages suggested) and ½ page explanation on how the applicant plans to use her/his education and training to improve the lives of women. No more than 1500 words.
3. A current vitae
4. Current unofficial transcript
5. A budget
6. Name & address of 3 referees who will submit letters no later than March 1, 2016

DUE AND FERBER INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARD FOR DOCTORAL DISSERTATION RESEARCH, up to $1,000
1. A completed application form
2. An abstract of the dissertation project not to exceed 5 double-spaced pages
3. Name & address of 1 referee who will submit letter no later than March 1, 2016
4. A budget

BARBARA A. YATES INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARD, up to $500
1. A completed application form
2. A statement of research plans (2 pages suggested) and ½ page explanation on how the applicant plans to use her/his education and training to improve the lives of women. No more than 1500 words.
3. A current vitae
4. Current unofficial transcript
5. Name & address of 2 referees who will submit letters no later than March 1, 2016

EVELYNE ACCAD AND PAUL VIEILLE INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARD, up to $500
1. A completed application form
2. A statement of research plans (2 pages suggested) and ½ page explanation on how the applicant plans to use her/his education and training to improve the lives of women. No more than 1500 words.
3. Names & address of 1 referee who will submit letter no later than March 1, 2016

Deadline: March 1, 2016, by 4:00 p.m.
Please submit completed application and supporting materials to:

Women and Gender in Global Perspectives Program
320 International Programs and Studies, 910 South Fifth Street MC-401
Champaign, IL 61820
Email: wggp@illinois.edu Ph: (217) 333-1994, Fax: (217) 333-6270
Name:__________________________________________UIN:___________________
Department Affiliation: ___________________________________________ MC:______
Campus Address:_________________________________________________________
Permanent Address:_______________________________________________________
City:__________________________ State: ____________________ Zip:___________
E-mail address: ______________________________________ Phone:______________
Country of Origin_________________________________________________________
Degree Program (circle one):     Masters             Doctoral             GRID Student   Yes___  No ___
If doctoral, have you defended your proposal? Yes______ Date________ No________
If so, what is the working title of your thesis? __________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________
Expected completion date of all coursework and preliminary exams:_______________
Brief Description of Research (approximately 25 words):___________________________________
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Country or Region of Research Interest: ____________________________
Please list other sources of research support you are seeking, including all grants and awards you have applied for:

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Name:_____________________________ UIN:___________________

Please consider this application towards the following fellowship and/or awards
Students are encouraged to apply for any or all of the funding opportunities.
There is no limit to the number of awards that you may apply for or receive.

☐ PLEASE CONSIDER FOR ALL AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIP

☐ I am a current GRID Student (eligible to apply for other opportunities below)

Please only consider for fellowship/awards marked below
☐ Goodman Fellowship ☐ Due Ferber Award ☐ Yates Award ☐ Accad and Vieille Award

You must be enrolled in GRID Minor to apply for all awards EXCEPT Goodman Fellowship
(Please contact WGGP office if need enrollment form)

Referee Information
(3 required for Goodman, 2 required for Due and Ferber Award, 1 required for Accad-Vieille Award).
Reference letters may be used for multiple awards. Maximum required is three.

Please provide names and addresses of referees who will submit letter of reference and referee form.
Please let referee know that the letter of reference is due March 1, 2016.

Name: ______________________________ Email Address: ___________________________
Name: ______________________________ Email Address: ___________________________
Name: ______________________________ Email Address: ___________________________

APPLICANT CHECKLIST

Please verify that you have submitted all the necessary materials to be considered for all applicable
awards and fellowship opportunities.

☐ Completed Application Form (All)

☐ Statement of research plan (All)

☐ Referee Information (above) (reference letters must be received by March 1, 2016)

☐ Budget (Goodman Fellowship and Due & Ferber only)

☐ Current Vitae (Goodman Fellowship and Yates Award only)

☐ Current Unofficial Transcript (Goodman Fellowship and Yates Award only)
This referee form should be filled out by the applicant and then given to the appropriate number of referees with the request that the referee(s) submit letters of recommendation directly to WGGP by March 1, 2016.

Women and Gender in Global Perspectives Program
Fellowship and Grants

REFEREE FORM
For new and continuing students enrolled at the
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign,
Applying for WGGP Awards

Name of Applicant:_______________________________________________________
I hereby authorize (name of referee):________________________________________
to complete this form by (date)____________________. I waive my right of access to this
reference form and understand that the information provided will be used only for the purpose
for which it was prepared.

_______________________________________________________________________
Student’s Signature Date

Dear ________________________:
Thank you for agreeing to provide a letter of recommendation. I am applying for the following
WGGP award(s):

All the awards and fellowship listed below

☐ RITA AND ARNOLD GOODMAN FELLOWSHIP

☐ DUE AND FERBER INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARD FOR
DOCTORAL DISSERTATION RESEARCH

☐ BARBARA A. YATES INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARD

☐ EVELYNE ACCAD and PAUL VIEILLE INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARD

Please note that these awards are competitive; your prompt response will be greatly appreciated.
Please provide a letter of recommendation on letterhead, addressing the following questions:

How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant? What is your assessment of
this student’s ability, overall motivation, and performance while under your supervision? Please
add any observations that might contribute to an evaluation of this applicant.

Please return this form with your letter to WGGP, 320 International Studies Building, MC-401, 910 South
Fifth Street, Champaign, IL 61820. The form and letter can also be faxed to 217-333-6270 or signed,
scanned, and emailed to wggp@illinois.edu. For additional questions, contact WGGP office at 217-333-
1994. Deadline for receipt of all application materials is March 1, 2016.