

Multicultural Scholars Program

The Graduate School and the Provost's Office are pleased to announce that they will make awards available for outstanding graduate students to apply for the Multicultural Scholars Program (MSP).

The MSP was established between The Graduate School and the Provost's Office for the promotion of diversity within graduate education. This program functions to promote the recruitment of diverse populations of graduate students by matching the funding support provided by the schools, departments, or fields of study.

The MSP consists of an annual service-free fellowship, equivalent to a half-time graduate assistantship during the academic year and \$2,000 in summer support for up to five years. The host program or department provides a half-time assistantship during the tenure of the Multicultural Scholars Award.

Master and Doctoral students are eligible and students from diverse background and/or are underrepresented in their fields of study are strong candidates.

Nomination Procedures for the MSP:

- Graduate faculty can complete the on-line cover sheet at <http://www.grad.uconn.edu/doc/Fillable%20MSP%20Application.pdf> and forward the completed cover sheet to Charmane Thurmand at: charmane.thurmand@uconn.edu or U-1152.
- You must mark your candidate's application with the MSP group in Hobsons' ApplyYourself by the deadline date.
- There will be two rounds of review for the MSP awards. The deadline to submit your nomination for the first round is January 21, 2014. The deadline to submit your nomination for the second and final round of review is February 28, 2014.
- A faculty committee will review and select awardees.

For more information, contact: The Graduate School at 860-486-3617