

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT

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The Graduate School ♦ Unit 1006 ♦ Storrs, Connecticut 06269-1006

Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship Competition

Application Deadline: November 30, 2009 (Monday, 4:00 PM)

The Office of the Vice President for Research and Dean of the Graduate School has made funding available to support a limited number of Doctoral Dissertation Fellowships for the 2010 Spring semester. The amount of the fellowship is \$2,000. Fellowships will be awarded competitively, which will involve the rank ordering of eligible applicants by faculty in various program areas if the number of eligible applicants exceeds the number of available fellowships.

Eligibility. Eligibility requirements include: (1) certification that the applicant's total personal income will not exceed \$32,500 for the twelve months preceding the end date of the fellowship period specified below; (2) documented satisfactory completion of the General Examination (prior to 11/30/09 at 4:00 PM); and (3) full approval of the Dissertation Proposal (prior to 11/30/09 at 4:00 PM) by the Executive Committee of the Graduate Faculty Council (including full and current IRB or IACUC approval for the use of any human and/or animal subjects involved in the research or ESCRO approval for the use of any human stem cells). In addition, a fellowship recipient may not defend his or her dissertation prior to 3/1/10. Doctoral students based at the Health Center in Farmington are not eligible to apply for this particular fellowship. This fellowship can be awarded to an individual only once.

Application Form. Click on the *Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship* link on the Graduate School Web site at <http://www.grad.uconn.edu/> to access a printable version of the two-page application form.

Application Submission. Submit one original to Thomas B. Peters, Program Director, Graduate School, Unit 1006, Storrs, CT 06269-1006; Whetten Graduate Center (second floor). Fully-completed applications must be received in the Graduate School Office by 4:00 PM on November 30, 2009 to be eligible for consideration. *Phone-* (860) 486-0977 *E-Mail-* thomas.b.peters@uconn.edu

Notification. Applicants will be notified of award decisions approximately three to four weeks after the deadline.

APPLICATION

Please Print Clearly

Applicant's Name _____
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PeopleSoft Identification Number | | | | | | | |

Doctoral Field of Study _____

Are you a United States citizen or Resident Alien? [] Yes [] No

Title of Dissertation _____

Requested Fellowship Period _____ to _____
Start date End date

[The minimum period that can be requested is two months. The start date cannot be earlier than 1/1/10; the end date cannot be later than 6/30/10.]

