Harold B. Lee Library

STUDENT RESEARCH GRANT APPLICATION

The Library Student Research Grant program encourages outstanding student achievement in research, fosters information literacy, and stimulates original scholarship. Grant recipients will be mentored by a subject librarian as they make use of the services, resources, and collections of the Harold B. Lee Library.

Proposed projects must be pursued under the direction or mentorship of a faculty member and must involve original scholarship using library collections and resources resulting in a paper of publishable quality.

The application deadline for 2014/15 awards is September 30. Awards will be announced by October 15, 2014 and completed research projects must be submitted no later than August 1, 2015.

Name: ____________________________
Email: ____________________________ BYU ID #: ____________________________

1. Describe who you are, what you are studying, when you plan to graduate, etc.

2. Describe your library research project. Be specific about library resources you will use.

3. Describe the outcome of your project. (An article of publishable quality is required; list one possible journal appropriate for your submission. Additional outcomes include presentations at professional conferences, etc.)

4. How will completion of this project affect your educational experience and preparation?

5. Summarize the schedule for researching and writing your project.

6. Indicate the grant funding requested ($500, $1000, or $1500) and describe how it will be used to help you succeed with your research project.

LETTERS REQUIRED: Letters should be sent to Cali O’Connell by the application deadline. Email to cali_oconnell@byu.edu or mail to 2068 HBLL.

Meet with the subject librarian(s) or curator who deals with your topic and discuss your research proposal and possible library resources. At least one letter from a subject librarian or curator endorsing your project is required.

Projects must be pursued under the direction or mentorship of a faculty member. A letter of support from the faculty mentor is required. This letter should state how this research paper will benefit you and will contribute to research in your field of study.

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