

Graduate Research Assistantship and Research Grant Application
School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences
Spring 2006

Deadline for submission: Monday, 17 April 2006

These awards are intended to assist School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences matriculating graduate students with RA-ship support for one or more quarters or to augment the cost of thesis or dissertation research. To be considered for scholarship support, all applicants must maintain satisfactory progress toward completion of a degree program as outlined at <http://fish.washington.edu/graduates/requirements.html>.

Complete this application and submit seven (7) copied, collated packets to the Student Services Office, including the following: this application, a two-page C.V., a one-page statement of academic and professional goals, and a current copy of your UW unofficial transcript which can be printed from MyUW. Please also include one copy of a confidential (sealed) letter of recommendation from your major professor (or the professor may email safs@u.washington.edu or give the letter directly to SSO). Omission of required information will result in an incomplete application. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Biographical Information:

Name: _____ Student Number: _____ M.S. Ph.D.

Office telephone: _____ E-mail: _____ Major Professor: _____

U.S. Citizen? Washington State Resident? MP Email: _____
Yes No Yes No

I am applying for RA support research support RA and research support

Scholastic performance:

Date you entered degree program: _____ Quarter: _____ Year: _____

Have you constituted your Supervisory Committee? Yes Not yet

Do you have an approved "Plan of Study" on file? Yes Not yet

Have you completed all required course work on your Plan of Study? Yes Not yet

Has your thesis or dissertation research proposal been approved and submitted? Yes Not yet

If a doctoral student, have you passed the Qualifying Examination? Yes Not yet

If a doctoral student, have you passed the General Examination? Yes Not yet

Cumulative graduate GPA: _____ When do you expect to graduate? _____

Give the title of your thesis or dissertation:

List any awards, fellowships, or scholarships received at UW (may attach separate sheet):

Please attach a list of papers submitted, in press, or published, and presentations given at scientific conferences (do not enclose reprints.)

Indicate general area of interest and/or research. These categories indicate areas to which endowment funding is directed, so check any (up to 3) that apply:

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|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|
| Aquaculture | Conservation of Puget Sound salmon | Quantitative sciences |
| Bering Sea and Gulf of Alaska fisheries | Family connection to commercial fishing industry | Sport fishery management in Lake Washington |
| Bivalve fisheries | Fish "breeding" | Alaska Salmon Research |
| Collection-based research | Fish Nutrition | Other: _____ |
| Conservation of North Pacific fisheries | Marine invertebrates | |

For students applying for RA-Ship Funding

If applying for an RA-ship, check quarters for which you are seeking support:

Sum 2006 Aut 2006 Win 2007 Spr 2007 Sum 2007

On an attached page, list all possible funding sources already identified for Su2006-Su2007 (i.e., RA-ship, TA-ship, etc.), by quarter. Note whether they are promised or only applied for. Note name of Professor or contact person supplying the funds. Also, attach a **brief** statement (no more than 1 page) describing the circumstances leading to your need for support. If you are asking for support for your final quarter in order to defend and/or turn in your thesis/dissertation, address whether you think funds to cover the 2 required credits of tuition would be more appropriate than a full quarter of RA support.

For students applying for Research Grant Funding

Have you ever received SAFS Research Grant Funding as a graduate student? If so, list years and amounts:

If applying for a research grant, attach a **brief proposal** (no more than 2 pages) that includes: (1) results of prior SAFS support (if any), (2) project description, (3) itemized budget, and (4) budget justification (narrative description of budget). Explain why the money cannot be provided from other sources.

Quarter(s) Research Award requested for (please check):

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Certification and Authorization:

I declare that the information on this form is true, correct, and complete to the best of my knowledge. The University of Washington has my permission to verify the information provided.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Concurrence of Major Professor: _____ Date: _____