Summer Research Fellowship Program in

**Gender-Focused Research** 

The Summer Research Fellowship Program in Gender-Focused Research provides a stipend to students to conduct independent research for 10 weeks. Projects with a gender focus or gender analysis are welcome in a variety of areas, including gender and sexuality, queer studies, third world feminism, cultural representation and literature, women and labor, feminist theory, immigration and citizenship, and social activism. Students from a wide range of majors are encouraged to apply including history, literature,

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anthropology, sociology, environmental studies, American culture, Latino studies, African and African-American studies, philosophy, religious studies, architecture and fine arts, music, romance and Germanic languages, political science, public policy, and law. This program is funded by a generous endowed gift established by the late John and Margaret (Ranny) Riecker, and is offered in collaboration with the Center for the Education of Women (CEW).

## **Program Requirements:**

- Commitment to 10 weeks
- Independent project
- Faculty mentor to guide the work
- Interest in pursuing honors thesis and/or graduate work.

Related Activities: Students will also participate in weekly seminars to learn more about current and emerging research in women and gender studies, read and share articles related to research in women and gender studies, learn how to publish their research and engage in other professional development activities.

Stipend Award: \$2000

## **Program Details:**

**Fellowship Dates:** 

Tuesday, May 31, 2016 - Friday, August 5, 2016

**Application Opens:** Tuesday, February 1, 2016

**Application Deadline:** Friday, March 18, 2016

**Application Requirements:** 

- Cover Sheet
- Personal Statement
- 3-5 page Research Proposal
- 1 Letter of Recommendation from Project Mentor, and Official Transcript



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