2015 Ruben Zadigan Undergraduate Scholarship in Environmental Studies: Research Initiatives

Please read the instructions carefully before completing this application.

The Environmental Studies Program provides scholarship funding to support students engaged in research projects. All Environmental Studies Program majors are eligible for the scholarship. Selection criteria include the quality of the proposal, the environmental relevance of the proposed research, and the strength of the collaboration with the faculty mentor. Additionally, to be eligible, students must be actively enrolled in courses at KU. The amount of the award is determined by the proposed research activity, as described below:

Environmental Studies majors enrolled in EVRN 624 (Independent Study for at least one credit hour, three credit hours preferred) or EVRN 625 are eligible for up to $1500 in funding.

The application deadline to receive funding for the 2015 spring and summer semesters is Friday, November 21. All scholarship award announcements will be made by the end of the fall semester. Complete the application and submit the requested attachments. Completed applications may be emailed to envstudies@ku.edu or delivered to the following address:

University of Kansas
Environmental Studies Program
215 Lindley Hall
1475 Jayhawk Boulevard
Lawrence, KS 66045

If you have any questions about this application, please contact the Environmental Studies Program Office at 786-864-5355 or envstudies@ku.edu.
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I. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Legal Name: Last ___________ First ___________ Middle Initial ___________

Preferred Name: ___________________ KU ID: ______________________

Email address: _________________________

2. ACADEMIC DATA: Mark with an “X” whether your degree sought is the B.A. (Bachelor or Arts), the B.G.S. (Bachelor of General Studies), or the B.S. (Bachelor of Science in Environmental Studies):

B.A. _______ B.G.S._______ B.S._________

Overall GPA: _______ GPA in the Major: _______

3. FACULTY MENTOR: Write the name of the faculty mentor designated to supervise your research:

_________________________________________________________________

4. SEMESTER: Indicate the semester for which you want to receive funding:

☐ Spring 2015 ☐ Summer 2015

5. ATTACHMENTS (Send via email to envstudies@ku.edu or deliver to 215 Lindley)

• 5.1. Research Proposal: In 500 words or less, this proposal describes the research endeavor, its link to faculty mentor research, the value of the research experience to the applicant, the product(s) that will be produced, and the environmental content of the research. As appropriate, the proposal should highlight the interdisciplinary aspects of the research endeavor.

• 5.2. KU Degree Progress Report: Please attach a current Degree Progress Report.

• 5.3 Two Academic References: One reference from the potential research advisor who may email their reference directly to envstudies@ku.edu.

STUDENT CERTIFICATION AND SIGNATURE:

I certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate without evasion or misrepresentation. I understand that this application is a legally binding document and if this information is found to be false or misleading, this fact alone will be sufficient cause for my admission to be denied or revoked and my enrollment to be canceled.

Applicant’s Signature: _______________________________ Date: _____________