

Graduate School Diversity Mentoring Fellowships for 2010-2011

Applications Due by **Monday, October 26, 2009**. Send to **GRADUATE SCHOOL DIVERSITY MENTORING FELLOWSHIPS, OFFICE OF GRADUATE STUDIES G0400**

An application should include **the original and five copies** of items (1)-(3) below, and item (4):

(1) This cover page with the following information filled in:

Name _____

Title _____

Email address: _____

Program _____

Area of specialization _____

Have you received a Diversity Mentoring Fellowship before?

No Yes (Year[s]: _____)

At the end of the Graduate School Diversity Mentoring Fellowship, will you be able to continue to support your student? (The award committees understand that the answer to this question will be highly field-dependent.)

No Yes

(2) A recent *curriculum vita* (please limit this to 2 or 3 pages).

(3) A detailed description (no more than one, single-spaced, typewritten page in 12-point type) of the plans you have made for the Mentoring Fellowship. Please describe the specific experiences you envision that would be developmental for a student in your field new to the university. If you plan to engage the student in a specific research project, please describe it and its appropriateness for an entering student, and comment on the extent to which the Mentoring Fellowship will be integrated with your own research plans.

(4) A letter of recommendation from someone who is familiar with your work and your mentorship of students. (You can send this with your application [in which case, please send the original and five copies] or it can be sent separately by the writer.) This letter should address the strengths you would bring to a year-long mentoring relationship with an entering student. We anticipate that most such letters will come from inside the university, but they can come from elsewhere if desired. Letters from inside the university should be sent to the address in boldface above. Those from outside the university should be addressed to:

The University of Texas at Austin
Office of Graduate Studies (Fellowship Office)
#1 University Station, Mail Stop G0400
Austin, TX 78712

Committees of knowledgeable faculty from various disciplines will recommend award decisions on the Graduate School Diversity Mentoring Fellowships. For further information concerning these awards, contact Associate Dean Marvin L. Hackert at m.hackert@austin.utexas.edu / (512) 232-3604 or Mary Alice Davila, Associate Fellowship Manager, at madavila@austin.utexas.edu / (512) 232-3603.