

The Greg and Susan Aldrich Research Award

The Greg and Susan Aldrich Research Award was established to provide funding to a continuing Undergraduate and/or master's student, to overcome barriers that obstruct their ability to perform meaningful research and/or creative activities during their enrollment at UB. Award applications will be reviewed by a team of UB Geography faculty annually. Applicants should show a need for award support to complete projects, pay for supplies, attend conferences, and/or other intrinsic needs that must be overcome to complete a research project. Please contact Dr. Scott Mackay with any questions (dsmackay@buffalo.edu).

Application Guidelines

1. Introduction: This fund supports projects up to \$7000. The deadline is April 1. The funds must be spent within one year after the award is received.

2. Eligibility: Sophomores, juniors and Master's students conducting research under the guidance of a faculty member in the Department of Geography are eligible to apply.

Activities supported:

-Data collection/acquisition, travel (e.g., conference), supplies, equipment, and support for assisting faculty sponsor's research.

-Selection criteria: (i) originality, clarity, and scholarly merit, (ii) appropriateness of the budget, (iii) likelihood that research will lead to a publication or a conference presentation (note: Grant recipients are expected to acknowledge the Greg and Susan Aldrich Research Award in their published work or presentations)

3. All expenses must be approved by faculty sponsor.

4. Submission details: Submit the enclosed form and additional documents (pdf electronic version or paper copy) to Dr. Mackay (dsmackay@buffalo.edu).

APPLICATION FORM

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Name: _____

Email: _____

UB Person Number: _____ Expected graduation date _____

GEO credit hours completed (include current semester registration) _____

Faculty Sponsor _____

Title of Project or topic of research _____

Description of Project, Maximum 500 words (attach word document or PDF).

Please include: Budget items and justification, project start and end dates and anticipated work product(s), if any, for this project.

Signature and date:

Student Signature: _____ / / _____

Faculty sponsor: _____ / / _____