

2010 Division 15 Annual Doctoral Student Research Seminar

Application Deadline: Friday, April 23, 2010

Division 15 announces its Thirteenth Annual National Doctoral Student Research Seminar to occur before and during the annual meeting of APA in San Diego, CA. The purposes of the seminar are to allow informal exchange of ideas about research and to demystify the process of becoming a researcher.

Selected students will attend conference presentations, participate in social events, and meet with distinguished researchers. Students will also work with faculty to discuss their dissertation research. The seminar will be limited to a select number of students with no more than three from the same institution. Applicants must be enrolled as full-time doctoral students and, ideally, be in the preliminary stages of their dissertation work.

Selections will be based on: (a) the quality of the submitted work and (b) the student's fit with Division 15, the interests of the other applicants, and the expertise of participating faculty. The seminar is free and Division 15 will provide some meals and refreshments. Students will also receive a stipend intended to assist with the cost of travel, registration, and Division 15 membership. Selected students are expected to attend all seminar events beginning no earlier than 6 p.m. on August 11th and selected Division 15 events throughout the conference (i.e., August 12th-15th) ending no later than 1 p.m. on August 15th.

Applications must be received by Friday, April 23, 2010 and include the following:

- * Completed online application (<http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Y68H5HD>) that will include: 1) 100 word abstract of dissertation study, 2) dissertation timeline, 3) 100 word statement of research interests, 4) statement of research interest in/connection to Division 15, 5) indication of career goals and job search timeline, and 6) explanation of how the student can benefit from and contribute to the seminar.
- * A 3-5 page double-spaced research proposal in APA style that describes the student's dissertation study. The proposal should include a working title, introduction, brief theoretical framework, statement of the problem, methodology, and proposed analyses.
- * A vita that includes the student's name, address, telephone and e-mail, education, professional experience, publications, and conference presentations.
- * A letter of recommendation from the student's advisor describing the student's qualifications.

Submitting your Application:

- The online application can be completed at <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/Y68H5HD>
- The research proposal and vita should be submitted via email to Mei-Lin Chang (m.chang@emory.edu) in a single pdf file.
- Please name the file as follows: *firstname_lastname_APADIV15GRAD.pdf*
- The recommendation letter should be sent directly by the advisor via e-mail to (m.chang@emory.edu).

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