

William C. Mitchell Graduate Summer Research Scholarship

The Department of Political Science is pleased to announce that we are accepting applications for the Williams C. Mitchell Graduate Summer Research Scholarship. This scholarship will provide up to four recipients with \$2,000 to support a research project during the upcoming summer term.

Eligibility Requirements

- Ph.D seeking graduate student in UO Political Science
- Good academic standing, based on the most recent department status report
- Have completed a minimum of 75 credit hours of graduate work by the time of the award; this must include at least three PS graduate seminars
- Previous recipients of Mitchell funding are eligible, but the committee will include reaching new recipients as one criterion in ranking proposals

Application

Submit the following to the Graduate Coordinator no later than 4:00 pm, Monday, April 23, 2018:

- A one-page description of the proposed research.
 - This research should delineate a discrete project or stage of your research that can be accomplished in the summer (as opposed to just generally moving along a larger project).
 - Activities such as language study or skills acquisition can qualify, but such proposals must make clear why such language/skills are directly necessary for dissertation research.
 - Proposals that necessitate funding for travel or other research-related costs beyond living expenses will generally be prioritized, with possible exceptions for non-travel or training-related proposals that the committee judges to be exceptionally strong in scholarly terms.

The Admissions and Awards committee will review submitted proposals, department status reports, and UO transcripts. Recipients will be selected based on strength of research proposal and academic performance. Where rankings on these criteria are close, the committee will favor applicants who have not previously received Mitchell funding.