

**WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE SCHOOL APPLICATION FOR THE
CHANCELLOR'S FELLOWSHIP
2012-13 Academic Year**

Each academic year, the Graduate School at Western Carolina University awards Chancellor's Fellowships to exceptionally promising graduate students. The Chancellor's Fellowship award is \$6000 for the academic year, \$3000 for the fall term and \$3000 for the spring term. Awards are contingent upon the availability of funds.

- An applicant for the Chancellor's Fellowship must have completed at least one term of graduate study at Western Carolina University, have a graduate GPA of 3.5 or higher and be degree seeking.
- The required application materials for the Chancellor's Fellowship are:
 1. An e-mail that includes your first, middle and last name as it appears on your Western Carolina University academic record and your student ID number (92#);
 2. Attached to the e-mail, a resume (in MS Word or a PDF format) listing extracurricular activities, academic honors, work experience, publications and/or exhibitions;
 3. Attached to the e-mail, a **one page** personal statement (in MS Word or a PDF format) of how your graduate education will contribute to your educational and career goals.
- Graduate students who have earned a graduate degree are not eligible for a Chancellor's Fellowship.
- Graduate students graduating in the 2012 fall term are not eligible for a Chancellor's Fellowship.
- Graduate students who exceed the total earned hours for their degree program are not eligible for a Chancellor's Fellowship.
- Recipients must register for a minimum of **nine graduate credit hours** in the 2012 fall term and a minimum of **nine graduate credit hours** in the 2013 spring term.
- Applicants must be registered for **9 graduate credit hours** in the 2012 fall term by **April 15, 2012** in order to be eligible for a Chancellor's Fellowship.
- Recipients of the Chancellor's Fellowship are eligible to receive this award for a total of four terms of study or two academic years; however, recipients must reapply each academic year for the Chancellor's Fellowship.

To apply for the Chancellor's Fellowship send **one** e-mail that includes:

1. In the subject line your first, middle and last name as it appears on your Western Carolina University academic record;
2. Use the subject line title **Chancellor's Fellowship 12-13** and include your first name and last name in the subject line;
3. The required application materials must be attached to the e-mail;
4. Send the e-mail to efrazier@wcu.edu;
5. Applicants will be notified by e-mail when their application is received.

Chancellor's Fellowship applications must be submitted by **APRIL 20, 2012**. No late applications will be accepted. Eligible applicants will be notified by e-mail of the Chancellor's Fellowship award decisions after **JUNE 1, 2012**.

Any application not submitted according to directions will not be eligible.