



GUIDELINES

for the 2009-10 Loewy-Mohonk Preserve Liaison Fellowship Program

The Mohonk Preserve will award fellowships for 2009-10 to conduct ecological monitoring projects related to priorities of the Preserve's Land Management Plan. Up to \$10,000 is available for fellowships, made possible through funding from the Loewy Family Foundation. Faculty and graduate students are eligible to apply. Housing is available on-site.

Proposals will be evaluated in terms of their contribution to land management planning at the Mohonk Preserve and the use of the Mohonk Preserve as a research site. A committee of Research staff and members of the Preserve's Research Committee will review the proposals and make recommendations. Successful applicants will become Research Associates of the Mohonk Preserve.

Awards will be announced on **December 31, 2009**.

One copy of the complete proposal must be submitted electronically to Paul Huth, Director of Research at research@mohonkpreserve.org by **November 30, 2009**. The following items must be included in the application:

- **Cover Sheet form**
- **Project Description (limit of four pages)**
- **Proposed budget and justification for personnel, travel, supplies and materials, other costs, and total project cost. Overhead will not be funded.**
- **Curriculum Vitae**
- **Two letters of support**

A written progress report must be submitted half-way through the funding period and a written final report, at the end of the funding period. The stipend will be made in three payouts:

1. at the start of the funding period
2. at submission of the half-way progress report
3. at the submission and acceptance of the final report.

Any publications resulting from this project should acknowledge support by the Mohonk Preserve and the Loewy Family Foundation.

Original data and copies of any publications should be submitted to the Mohonk Preserve.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

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1. Background for the Project

Provide background material that puts the project in perspective, including information concerning the need and significance of the project.

2. Problem or Question to be Addressed in the Project

Describe the problem or question you expect to investigate. List specific objectives for the funding period.

3. Specific Plans for Completing the Project

Describe the experiments, procedures, and other work that will be used to carry out the project and a projected time frame. Also **include the projected need for housing**.

4. Expected Products or Outcomes

Discuss the expected products or outcomes, such as new information, theories, data bases, publications, conference presentations, etc.

5. Present and Previous Support

Indicate all present and previous funding of this project, including sources, date, and amount of funding.

6. References Cited

COVER SHEET

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Project Title: _____

Name: _____

Position: _____

Department: _____

Institution: _____

Address: _____

Faculty Advisor (if relevant): _____

I understand that any publications resulting from this project must carry a statement acknowledging support by the Mohonk Preserve and the Loewy Family Foundation.

Signature of Applicant

Date: _____

Signature of Faculty Advisor (if relevant)

Date: _____