The Howard J. Baumgartel Peace and Justice Award
To support thesis or dissertation research

Deadline: Noon (12:00 p.m.) on Friday, February 9, 2018

The Howard J. Baumgartel Peace and Justice Award is an annual award to support the thesis or dissertation research of a graduate student in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences or the School of Business whose interests, achievements, and talents are in the peace and justice field. The award amount is $2,760.

Examples of appropriate interests for this award are social scientific study of, or application of social scientific knowledge to: conflict resolution, social action, human problems in the world of work, race and ethnic relations, and Third World Development.

Eligibility:
Any Master’s or Ph.D. student in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences or the School of Business who is engaged in thesis or dissertation research during Summer 2018, Fall 2018, or Spring 2019 is eligible to apply. The student's enrollment during the term of the award must comply with University and departmental requirements. Faculty advisors are encouraged to nominate eligible students. Self-nominations are accepted.

The Supporting Documents:
All nominations must include the following:
1. A completed online application.
2. An up-to-date curriculum vitae.
3. A one to two-page description of the thesis or dissertation topic.
   a. Describe the research proposal and its connections to the field of peace and justice in language to be understood by an interdisciplinary audience.
   b. State how the monetary award will be used to fund the applicant’s research.
   c. Provide a timeline explaining when the research will be carried out.
4. A letter of support from the advisor or department chair addressing the nominee’s interest in the field of peace and justice and potential for contributions to the field.

Deadline and Procedure:
Nomination materials must be submitted using the form on the COGA website by noon (12:00 p.m.) on Friday, February 9, 2018. Late nominations will not be accepted. If you have questions or would like more information, please email coga@ku.edu or call 864-4201.