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Announcing two new award opportunities funded by the Global Health Institute

1) Graduate Student Research Awards in Global Health

The Global Health Institute (GHI) is pleased to announce funding for innovative research in global health by graduate students pursuing a PhD in any relevant discipline. Strong preference will be given to PhD students in their pre-dissertator years who are exploring potential PhD topics that will enhance global health activities on the UW campus and beyond, and that align with GHI's mission (http://ghi.wisc.edu/about/about-the-ghi/). Awards may be funded up to a total level of \$5,000.

Applications are limited to four single spaced pages total (12 point font, 1 inch margins), which must include the following sections: Abstract, Introduction, Aims/Hypotheses, Methods, Relevance to Global Health, Detailed budget, and References. In addition, all applications must include a letter of support from the applicant's PhD advisor and a copy of the applicant's CV in NIH format. Towards fostering interdisciplinary collaboration in global health research, the cohort of student awardees will be required to attend at least two GHI brown-bag lunch venues per semester and present research plans or findings in one of these.

GHI anticipates making 10 of these awards. Salaries/tuition/stipends can <u>not</u> be supported with these funds.*

Applications MUST be in the form of a SINGLE PDF document and should be emailed to Betsy Teigland (teigland@wisc.edu) by 11:59pm Tuesday, April 30, 2013. Late applications will not be considered." Award decisions will be released by May 15.

2) Visiting Faculty or Postdoctoral Scholars Awards in Global Health Research

The Global Health Institute is pleased to announce funding for Visiting Scholars in Global Health Research. Visiting Scholars must be individuals who will engage in activities that will substantially enhance global health activities on the UW campus in collaboration with a sponsoring UW faculty member or faculty team. Preference will be given to foreign scholars who are engaged in research topics that address critical issues in global population health and disease prevention.

Applications are limited to two single spaced pages total (12 point font, 1 inch margins), which must describe in detail: 1) the relevant research on which the scholar will collaborate; 2) the goal/product that will be produced as a result of the visit; and 3) how the scholar will specifically engage with the UW-Madison global health community. In addition, all applications must include a letter of support from the applicant's home institution, a letter of support from the UW-Madison sponsoring unit (which must include a statement of the intended length of the visit and a statement verifying that the sponsoring unit will coordinate all visa requirements) and a copy of the visiting scholar's CV. Awards may be funded up to a level of \$10,000 total.

In order be eligible to receive GHI funds for visiting faculty or postdocs through this award, the hosting department, center or unit must provide matching funding in the form of travel expenses, lodging expenses (or free "home stay") or other financial or in-kind support <u>directly related</u> to the scholar's visit.

GHI anticipates making five of these awards*.

Applications MUST be in the form of a SINGLE PDF document and should be emailed to Betsy Teigland (**teigland@wisc.edu**) by 11:59pm Tuesday, **April 30, 2013**. Late applications will not be considered." Award decisions will be released by May 15.

*NOTE for both awards:

Salaries/tuition/stipends can <u>not</u> be supported with these funds. Awardees should understand that the source of funding (likely 101 funds), has specific rules and regulations (more details can be found via URL links on the GHI web page) or contacting us. GHI will make a lump sum transfer and receiving departments are responsible for administering these funds (e.g.; reimbursements, transfers, payments, etc.).

After awards are determined, each awardee must provide a departmental point person who can in turn provide funding information for making the interdepartmental transfer. GHI will expect annual reporting that includes a presentation at a GHI-sponsored event, as well as a progress note submitted within 12 months of the start of the award.