LAMBDA ALPHA
GRADUATE OVERSEAS RESEARCH GRANT

The Graduate Research Grant is designed to encourage overseas thesis field research. Request for financial support for travel, basic field equipment, and on-location labor costs would be favored. No indirect expenses can be charged from the grant. The grant award, unlike the scholarship, would be variable - ranging from $1,000 to $4,000. The winner(s) of the competition will be announced before April 16, 2010.

Applicants must:
1. Be a member of Lambda Alpha.
2. Be enrolled in the graduate program in their department for at least one academic year.
3. Have selected their thesis advisor.
4. Have formally formed thesis or dissertation on an anthropological topic
5. Must conduct the research overseas.
6. Have their financial advisor agree to be responsible for the dispersal of the grant funds to the student, possibly in conjunction with the school’s research office.

Candidates must forward to the National Office before the March 1st deadline the following materials:

1. A letter of nomination and support.

2. A statement of financial responsibility from either their thesis advisor or thesis committee chairman containing their name and mailing address.

3. Submit six (6) copies (printed front-to-back, no staples, without cover/folder) for the National Executive Council of their thesis/dissertation proposal, including an itemized budget.

Please mail materials to:
Lambda Alpha National Office
Department of Anthropology, BB315
Ball State University
2000 W. University Ave.
Muncie, IN 47306-0435

If notice of receipt of submitted materials is desired, please request by certified mail or enclose with a stamped or postage-paid, self-addressed card. The candidates are advised to confirm their processing.