

Application Form
2009 Summer Faculty Research Fellowship Programs

Name _____ Rank/Title _____

Department/Unit _____

Campus Address _____ Speed Sort _____

Initial UK Appointment Date _____

Project Title _____

Program applying for (mark only one fellowship program):

Summer Faculty Research Fellowship (\$7,000) _____
(for relatively new assistant professors)
(Faculty who have received summer salary support as part of their start-up package are not Eligible for this fellowship.)

Special Summer Faculty Research Fellowship (\$8,000) _____
(preparing promotion/tenure dossier for Fall 2008 or Fall 2009)
(Faculty are eligible only once.)

Highest Degree Attained _____

Are you on a nine- or 10-month appointment? Yes _____ No _____

Will you be employed on the University of Kentucky faculty for the 2009-2010 academic year?
Yes _____ No _____

Academic Year in which you will come up for tenure: _____

Application Procedures

1. Applications should include:
 - a. Application form;
 - b. Proposal outlining the nature and significance of the research project, its current status, and what will be accomplished during the period of the fellowship; 3 to 5 pages double spaced; (since fellowships are for salary only, no budget is required) and
 - c. brief formatted NIH biographical sketch. See <http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/funding/phs398/biosketchsample.doc> for details and note that completing the box for an eRA Commons name is optional.
2. Complete application should be submitted through the appropriate department chair/unit director to the dean of the college. The chair/director will include a statement addressing the quality of each proposed research project and how funding will enhance the candidate's future research program and career advancement. Chairs will forward the applications to the dean who will also provide an assessment of the proposal, and in cases where there is more than one proposal, provide a rank ordering of the proposals. All proposals for **summer 2009** are due **December 5, 2008**.
3. A multidisciplinary faculty review committee will rank order the proposals. Proposals should be written in such a way that someone not in your specific discipline can understand its significance. Proposals must be concise, well developed and fully explain the research to be accomplished within the timeframe of the fellowship.
4. Recipients of these fellowships must submit a final report by October 1, 2009. Final reports are limited to two pages. Failure to submit a final report will preclude future funding in other programs supported by the Office of the Vice President for Research.