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| **Kent State University** | | | | | | | | |
| **Graduate Dean’s Award**  **Nomination Form** | | | | | | | | |
| The total award for each recipient is $5,000 to be distributed over two academic years (four consecutive semesters at $1,250 per semester). Award recipients in one-year master's programs will receive $2,500 (two consecutive semesters at $1,250 per semester). To be eligible, a nominee must be an applicant to a master's or doctoral degree program, a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, and a member of an underrepresented group in their discipline or field of study (not necessarily their academic program/department at Kent State).  Current students and applicants to non-degree, guest and certificate programs are not eligible. | | | | | | | | |
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| **SECTION A: Graduate Coordinator’s/faculty nominator’s INFORMATION** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Section B: Nominee’s Information** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Describe how the applicant would contribute to the diversity of the discipline or field of study (must include supporting data).** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Explain any other reasons as to why the applicant should be considered for the GDA (optional).** | | | | | | | | |
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| **Section C: Approvals** | | | | | | | | |
| I acknowledge that the Graduate Dean’s Award is intended to augment an assistantship stipend and is not a stipend in and of itself. If the applicant accepts the offer of admission, I assure the program will provide a full-time (20 hour per week) graduate assistantship stipend for up to two years (contingent upon the student making satisfactory progress towards his/her degree). | | | | | | | | |
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