

## Call for Applications: Community Organizing and Service Fellowship Fall 2016

The Center for Multicultural Education invites interested Ethnic Studies majors to submit applications for the **Community Organizing and Service Fellowship Fall 2016**. Provided by Edgewood College Engaged Learning Transformational Fund, the fellowship is intended to 1) motivate students to participate in transformative multicultural learning and demonstrate outstanding initiative and service to communities of color, and 2) affirm the Center for Multicultural Education and Ethnic Studies Program's commitment to civic engagement and sustainable community partnerships.

**Fellowship Description:** One-time \$1,000 fellowship awarded to one full-time Ethnic Studies major who participates in an Ethnic Studies approved internship program in fall 2016. The student will demonstrate outstanding initiative and leadership in service, make a positive impact on under-served communities, and thoughtfully integrate the internship experience with the major and with future personal and professional goals.

To be eligible, the student must be in senior or junior standing by the start of the internship and register for 1) ETHS 495A 3: Internship Seminar in Ethnic Studies (1 cr) and 2) ETHS 495B: Ethnic Studies Internship (3 cr) or an approved internship course (3 cr minimum) in a related field for fall 2016.

After completing the internship project, the fellowship recipient must do the following: a) submit to the Center for Multicultural Education the final reflection/COR 3 statement written for ETHS 495A 3; (b) share their experience with the campus community, e.g. Ethnic Studies majors/minors and prospective majors/minors.

### Application Instructions:

To apply, students must:

1. By Sept. 25, 2015, email Dr. Huining Ouyang ([houyang@edgewood.edu](mailto:houyang@edgewood.edu)), the Ethnic Studies Program Director, to confirm interest;
2. By Oct. 16, 2015, consult with Ethnic Studies Program Director and Department Career Development Coordinator to explore internship sites;
3. By Mar. 11, 2016, complete the internship placement; and
4. By Mar. 28, 2016, submit application materials as email attachments to Dr. Ouyang ([houyang@edgewood.edu](mailto:houyang@edgewood.edu)).

The application should contain

1) Statement of Intent: In a 300-500 word essay, please describe the objectives for your internship, and address these questions:

- a) Why have you chosen this site and project?

b) In what ways has the Ethnic Studies major prepared you for this internship position? In what ways will the internship connect with your major and with your future personal and professional goals?

c) What Ethnic Studies program goals (please consult the program description available at <http://multicultural.edgewood.edu/es.html> and the attached ETHS 495B sample syllabus) do you hope to achieve?

d) In what ways do you intend to demonstrate initiative and leadership in service?

The essay should be formatted as a Word document (Times New Roman, 12 pt. font).

2) Internship site supervisor's offer letter OR a list of the following internship information: internship site, site supervisor's name and contact information, internship dates, internship position description.

The applications will be evaluated by the Center for Multicultural Education Advisory Board, and the fellowship recipient will be announced by Apr. 29, 2016.

For more information on the Ethnic Studies major, please contact:

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