CGCS Agenda-March 15, 2019
1pm, 140 Toomey Hall

> Departmental Admissions Criteria discussion
> Departmental Admissions Policies discussion
> Reference Letters for Non-Thesis Master’s applicants
> Fellowship Poster Session Finalists
> Chancellor’s Distinguished Fellowship update
> Reminders/Upcoming Events
Departmental Admissions Criteria discussion

> Re-evaluating admissions criteria:
  – Departmental TOEFL/PTE
    > Grad Studies gathering benchmarking data
  – GRE scores and requirements
    > Grad Studies gathering benchmarking data
  – GPA requirements
  – Recommendation letter requirements
Departmental Admissions Policies discussion

Are there departmental policies that are limiting admissions?
Reference Letters for Non-Thesis Master’s applicants

> Would departments be willing to waive this requirement?
Awaiting Materials Bin in Slate

> Departments have the ability to review applications in the “awaiting materials” bin in Slate.
  - You are not making an admission decision – just considering *why* it is in this bin and whether or not you would be willing to move it forward without the standard materials
  - Departments can choose to “waive” recommendation letters, GRE scores, etc.

> Graduate Coordinator can email Grad Studies if they would like to waive an item.
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Biographical Details
Sex: Male
DOB: July 4, 1996 (Age 22)
Citizenship: Tunisia

Application Details
Status: Applicant
Submitted: February 5, 2019

Active Address
320 W 12th St
Rolla, MO 65409-6506
United States

Lookup Application
Read Application in New Window
Show New Materials Report
Edit Bin/Queue
Download PDF

Application | Status | Submitted
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Graduate | Awaiting Payment | 02/05/2019

Checklist

- **Completed**
  - 12/05/2018 GRE Copy
  - 02/05/2019 TOEFL/IELTS/PTE - Graduate
  - 02/05/2019 Recommendation (Jim Smith, Drury University)
  - 02/05/2019 Recommendation (John Davis, Missouri State University)
  - 02/05/2019 Transcript (Missouri State)
  - 02/05/2019 Transcript (Missouri State University)

- **Awaiting**
  - Recommendation (Emily Davis, Missouri S&T)

- **Awaiting Copy**
  - Transcript (Drury University)
Fellowship Poster Session Finalists

> Fellowship Poster Session held February 25, 2019
  - 31 students in participation (Chancellor’s Fellows and Chancellor’s Distinguished Fellows)
  - 6 judges participated (3 in morning, 3 in afternoon)
  - Student finalists:
    > Sherif Fakher, PhD Petroleum Engineering
    > Michelle Gegel, PhD Mechanical Engineering
    > Martin Di Stefano, PhD Aerospace Engineering
    > Kenneth Campbell, PhD Civil Engineering
Chancellors Distinguished Fellowship update

> 14 nominees received from 7 departments
> Selection committee working to determine awardees
Announcements

> Word template for the Publication Option is now available!

> Thesis & Dissertation Writing Camp: March 28 & 29
  – Free registration
  – Lunch provided
  – Registration deadline: March 22
Experience S&T

Funded doctoral visit program (departmental match no longer required)

Eligibility:

> Completed Experience S&T application (found [here](#))
> US Citizen, US National, or permanent resident, or an international student currently residing in the US
> Junior, senior or a master’s student (or have completed undergraduate studies or a master’s degree, but not began a doctoral program) and be eligible to pursue a doctoral degree

Reimbursement information:

> $300-$650 reimbursement based on location, plus hotel
> Questions? Contact Matt Vogeler at [vogelerma@mst.edu](mailto:vogelerma@mst.edu)
Graduate Student Travel Fund

> On-campus, full time graduate students
> Up to $600 in funding to attend a conference where they have a paper accepted and will be making a presentation

> Students must submit a completed “Graduate Student Travel Fund” form, located at grad.mst.edu/currentstudents/travelfund
  – Copy of program of study
  – Conference announcement
  – Paper acceptance letter
  – Signatures of Department Chair and College Dean

> All requests can be submitted via email to grad@mst.edu or in person at G8 Norwood
GEM GRAD Lab

Friday, April 12 and Saturday, April 13, 2019

> What is GEM?
  – GEM is a network of leading corporations, government laboratories, top universities, and top research institutions that enables qualified students from underrepresented communities to pursue graduate education in applied science and engineering.

> What is a GRAD Lab?
  – GRAD Lab encourages young people of color to consider graduate engineering or science education and applying for the GEM fellowship. Focusing on the global importance of research and innovation, life-long career benefits, and real world role models the symposium will help each student envision his or her future as a technology leader, successfully apply for a GEM fellowship, and gain entry to a graduate program.

> Topics covered at the GRAD Lab include:
  – Why Graduate School?
  – How to Apply for Graduate School
  – How to Fund Graduate School
  – Voices from the Field
GEM GRAD Lab

FRIDAY, APRIL 12 – Meremac-Gasconade Room, Havener Center
4:00 PM   Welcome, Campus & Lab Tours
6:30 PM   Dinner & Chancellor Speaking

SATURDAY, APRIL 13 – GEM GRAD Lab – 120 Butler-Carlton Hall
9:00 AM   Registration, Pre-surveys and Continental Breakfast
10:00 AM  Welcome and Introductions
10:15 AM  Session 1: Why Graduate School?
          Marcus Huggans, PhD, Sr. Director, GEM Consortium
11:30 AM  Session 2: How to Apply to Graduate School
12:30 PM  Lunch Break
          Graduate Fair
          Review of Statement of Purposes (faculty needed)
1:15 PM   Session 3: How to Fund Graduate School
2:30 PM   Session 4: Voices from the Field
3:15 PM   Closing Remarks/Post Surveys (Prize Give Away)
GEM GRAD Lab

> Departments are welcome to have a table at the graduate fair at the GEM GRAD Lab.
  – BCH Atrium, 12:30-1:15, Saturday April 13
  – Please be set up by 12pm
  – Lunch provided

> Email sansonej@mst.edu if you want a table.
April Events

> Submitting your T/D to Scholars Mine
  Thurs, Apr 4, 12-1pm
  Location to be determined

> Proofreading with Grammarly
  Wed, Apr 10, 12-1pm
  140 Toomey

> Writing Professional Emails
  Tues, Apr 23, 12-1pm
  305 Norwood
May Events

> **Writing Workshop**
  Wed, May 8, 12-1pm
  208 Norwood

> **Stress Relief**
  Thurs, May 9, 12-1pm
  TBD

> **Thesis & Dissertation Writing Camp**
  May 20-21, 9am-4pm
  Toomey 250 & 251
  *Registration Required
Upcoming Deadlines

> **March 15**
  > Form 1B
  > Notify Office of Graduate Studies if student will not be meeting the spring semester deadlines

> **March 25**
  > First format check deadline

> **April 3**
  > Form 2 & 7
CGCS Meeting Dates 2018-2019

> FS2018:
  – September 21, 2018, 140 TOOMEY HALL
  – October 5, 2018, 140 TOOMEY HALL
  – November 16, 2018, 140 TOOMEY HALL
  – December 7, 2018, 120 BUTLER-CARLTON HALL

> SP2019:
  – February 8, 2019, 140 TOOMEY HALL
  – March 15, 2019, 140 TOOMEY HALL
  – April 12, 2019, 140 TOOMEY HALL
  – May 3, 2019, 140 TOOMEY HALL
Thanks for attending!

Next meeting:
April 12, 2019
1-2pm
140 Toomey Hall