

Elizabeth Munsterberg Koppitz Fellowship
American Psychological Foundation

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The American Psychological Foundation (APF) provides financial support of innovative research and programs that enhance the power of psychology to elevate the human condition and advance human potential both now and in generations to come. The *Elizabeth Munsterberg Koppitz Fellowship* is open to doctoral students studying child psychology. Four fellowships of up to \$25,000 and two runner-up scholarships of \$5,000 will be awarded for a term of one year.

The University of Virginia is permitted to submit one application for consideration. An internal nomination process will select the University's nominee.

Criteria: Nominees must meet the following criteria:

- Be a doctoral student studying the broad area of child psychology;
- Have achieved doctoral candidacy by the start of the fellowship;
- Have a commitment of tuition support, from their doctoral program, during the term of the fellowship.

Nomination Materials: The following materials are required for the internal nominations process:

- Proposal abstract that addresses the criteria outlined by the APF (two-page maximum)
- Curriculum vitae
- Letter of recommendation from the student's advisor (one-page maximum)

[The individual selected in the internal nominations process also will be required to submit the following to the APF: (1) an expanded proposal (no more than seven pages), (2) an additional letter of recommendation from the department chair or director of graduate studies, and (3) a copy of IRB approval. The University will provide a letter to the student indicating their selection as the University's nominee.]

Electronic submission to gradstudies@virginia.edu is preferred. Paper copies may be delivered to Thornton Hall A123 or sent by messenger mail to P.O. Box 400882.

Deadlines: Application materials are due to VPR by Oct. 22, 2009 at 5:00 p.m. We anticipate announcing the selected nominee by Oct. 29, 2009. The selected nominee will be required to submit the remaining materials, to the APF, by midnight on Nov. 16, 2009.

Resources:

Program Information: www.apa.org/apf/koppitz-rfp.pdf