

# The Everglades Foundation Research Fellowship

The Everglades Foundation provides fellowships for advanced research in support of the restoration of America's Everglades. The Foundation is committed to supporting graduate students and postdoctoral researchers actively pursuing innovative methods in natural resources management, advances in the understanding of Everglades' physical, chemical or biological processes, or research in economic, legal, political, or cultural fields directly related to Everglades restoration. This initiative will enable a close collaboration between university professors (and/or scientists affiliated with other agencies) and Foundation staff member(s).

## Eligibility

The fellowship is open to full-time graduate students and postdoctoral researchers pursuing degrees or working in natural sciences, biological sciences, engineering, geography, planning and resources management, law, economics, and the social sciences. Cross-disciplinary research efforts are of special interest.

## Awards

The fellowship provides up to \$20,000 for tuition/fees, stipends, travel, and other research-related expenses. Up to **4 fellowships** are available. Recipients will also be invited to the annual Everglades Foundation Benefit Gala at the Breakers Hotel in Palm Beach (February 2010) to accept their award.

## The Application Process

A checklist of items to be included in the submission package and research priorities can be found at [www.evergladesfoundation.org/scholarship/](http://www.evergladesfoundation.org/scholarship/). It is strongly recommended that the results of discussions with the Everglades Foundation staff (<http://www.evergladesfoundation.org/directors-staff.php>) regarding their contributions to the research program be included in the application package.

Applications must be received no later than January 15, 2010. Late applications will not be considered. Early applications are strongly encouraged.

Submit the package or questions to [fellowship@evergladesfoundation.org](mailto:fellowship@evergladesfoundation.org). Electronic submissions are preferred, although printed version will be accepted, and may be sent to:

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