Kule Ukrainian Folklore Graduate Travel Bursary

Endowed by: Peter and Doris Kule

Value: Variable

Eligibility: Awarded annually to graduate students registered in Ukrainian Folklore in the Department of Modern Languages and Cultural Studies to support travel to participate in a conference, conduct fieldwork, or archival research relevant to their program of studies. Part-time students are eligible for the award. Application: Students must complete an application form (supplied below), and write a cover letter to the Award Committee of the Peter and Doris Kule Centre for Ukrainian and Canadian Folklore in the Department of Modern Languages and Cultural Studies, explaining the goals of the trip plus providing financial information. Complete applications and supporting documents must be submitted by October 25 or April 25.

Administrative responsibility: Director, Peter and Doris Kule Centre of Ukrainian and Canadian Folklore.

Source of funds: Endowment established – signed Statement of Trust received. Additional funds may be contributed in any given year from other eligible endowments in the Kule Centre at the discretion of the Director. Plans are to dedicate an average of approximately $4,000 per year to this bursary in the short term, depending on need. Award recipient(s) normally will be selected October 31 and April 30.

Selection Committee:
The Graduate Award Committee of the Kule Centre consists of: 1) occupant of the Huculak Chair in Ukrainian Culture and Ethnography, 2) occupant of the Kule Chair in Ukrainian Ethnography, and 3) Graduate Associate Chair of the Department of Modern Languages and Cultural Studies or designate.

Selection criteria:

• demonstration of financial need

Secondary criteria:

• demonstrated efforts to secure other funding

• high significance of the proposed trip to research program

• lower priority if student has received previous funding through this program for the same degree program

April 28, 2008
KULE UKRAINIAN FOLKLORE TRAVEL BURSARY
DEPARTMENT OF MODERN LANGUAGES AND CULTURAL STUDIES
APPLICATION FORM

------------- Deadlines: October 25, April 25 -------------

The personal information requested on this form is collected under the authority of Section 32(c) of the Alberta Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act for the purpose of evaluating and ranking applications for funding. Questions concerning the collection use or disposal of this personal information should be addressed to the Director of the Peter and Doris Kule Centre for Ukrainian and Canadian Folklore.

Surname and Given Names (in full): _________________________________________________________
Mailing Address including postal code: _______________________________________________________
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Student ID Number: _____________________________________________________________________
Degree Program: _______________________________________________________________________
Purpose of Proposed Travel: Conference presentation ___________________________________________
Fieldwork _____
Archival research _____
Other _____
Specifics: __________________________________________________________________________
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Proposed Destination(s): __________________________________________________________________
Proposed Dates of Travel: _________________________________________________________________
Requested Funding Amount: _______________________________________________________________

Please include a budget for requested funds detailing:
Airfare:    ______________________________
Ground Travel:   ______________________________
Meals:     ______________________________
Accommodation:   ______________________________
Tuition/Conference Fee:  ____________________________

List Other Awards Applied for: Amount Refused Possible Granted 
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Please note that student’s requests that do not list other awards applied for will be given lower priority for consideration.

Signature: _______________________________________________

This application form must be accompanied by a letter to the Kule Centre Awards Committee, which contains an explanation of goals of the trip, overall expense budget, description of all sources of funding, and a short statement of financial need.