

***DUE IN MID MAY OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR PRIOR TO THE FELLOWSHIP TERM.
SEE YOUR NOMINATION LETTER FOR EXACT DEADLINE.**

OAKLEY CENTER FOR THE HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
Ruchman Student Fellowship Application

Name: _____
Department/Program: _____
Residence: _____
Telephone: _____ S. U. Box _____

Descriptive Title of Project:

Brief Project Description (100 words or fewer):

Comment on the degree to which the project can be regarded as interdisciplinary:

Preferred Fellowship Period: _____ semester, 20_____
(Fall: July 1 to December 31 / Spring: January 1 to June 30)

Signature

Date

2.

Project Proposal

Please attach a description of your project. If you are proposing a thesis project, you may attach

that proposal; if undertaking independent study, send the syllabus and bibliography; if your research follows a different format, please forward materials to help us understand the scope of the work—e.g., a paper to be expanded, relevant writings or work, etc. If you are just writing up a description for this application, please include the following: the significance of the project, the methodology to be used, (if relevant) the nature of the data already collected, the connection of the topic to associated theory, and a bibliography. In any case, it is essential to make your project description clear to an academic committee composed largely of individuals outside your field of specialty. Please also include a description of the current state of the study and your plans for the proposed period of tenure at the Center.

In addition, please submit a current curriculum vitae AND an unofficial transcript with this application.

The Committee would like to have the names of two instructors who are familiar with your work and who would be prepared to speak in support of your proposed project.

1. Name: _____ Department: _____

2. Name: _____ Department: _____

Please send this application, together with your Project Proposal, curriculum vitae, and transcript in one pdf file to oakleycenter@williams.edu. Questions about the application, process, or fellowship may be directed to the Associate Director at kmb5@williams.edu.