

**Department of Economics
Graduate Student Awards**

THE NORMAN BOWERS SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The scholarship aid will be targeted to graduate students writing dissertations (or theses) on labor topics with a strong policy focus. Special preference will be given to students conducting research that focuses on the well-being of vulnerable groups in the labor market or exemplifies the careful use of empirical data – especially internationally comparative data.

HARRY GUNNISON BROWN GRADUATE STUDENT FELLOWSHIP

All second year graduate students in economics who have completed two semesters of course work, have maintained a graduate GPA of at least 3.5, and have passed qualifying examinations, will be eligible for this fellowship. The fellowship will be based on performance in course work, performance on the qualifying examinations, and on quality of a research paper. This information and material will be available for review by the faculty. For students serving as teaching assistants, teaching performance may be considered as well, although its role will be secondary. Preference will be given to students in the doctoral program.

HARRY GUNNISON BROWN GRADUATE STUDENT TEACHING AWARD

Qualified graduate students will be nominated for the Harry Gunnison Brown Graduate Student Teaching Award, which carries a modest cash award, based primarily on performances as a teaching assistant or instructor. Normally, graduate students who are on probation, or who are not making adequate progress toward a degree, will not be eligible for consideration. Those who have received this award in the past will not be eligible. Normally, nominations are due in February or March.

HARRY GUNNISON BROWN RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

This designation will be limited to students who have passed the comprehensive examination and have made substantial progress on dissertation research. Preference will be given to students who have defended a proposal. The criteria for the award will be promise for making a significant research contribution. Course grades and examination performance will be relevant, but the main focus will be on quality of dissertation research. Nominees for this award must submit significant sections of the dissertation or other research work for review by the faculty.

KOREA STUDIES GRADUATE STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The fellowship shall be given on the basis of academic merit to students fluent in the Korean language and/or who have an interest in studying the Korean economy. Selection of recipients and pertinent details, including number and amount of awards, shall be made by the Chair of the Department of Economics, with the approval of the Dean of the College of Arts and Science, or by a committee or persons authorized to act on behalf of the chair.