

Cultural Heritage Trust

Graduate Fellowship Application

Summer 2018



Full Name: _____

Preferred Name (nickname): _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

Permanent Address: _____

University/College: _____

Department: _____

Anticipated Graduation Date: _____

GPA*: _____

**Please include transcript(s) with your application. Unofficial transcripts are acceptable.*

Please submit a statement of purpose of no more than 2,000 words in length that answers the following questions:

- What is your research question/topic?
- What is your research timeline? Start and end dates?
- Do you have a plan to involve the public in your research?
- What is your past experience in field excavation, analysis and report writing?
- On what SCDNR property and/or collection would you like to work?
- Will you require laboratory space at Parker Annex Archaeology Center?
- Do you intend to work independently?
- Will you require assistance from SCDNR Cultural Heritage Trust staff?
- Will you require the use of SCDNR Cultural Heritage Trust field and/or laboratory equipment?
- How and when will you submit your preliminary findings and final thesis/dissertation to SCDNR's Cultural Heritage Trust staff?
- How will receiving this fellowship contribute towards your overall research, thesis and/or dissertation?

Your application package should be submitted as a PDF to SCDNR Heritage Trust archaeologist Meg Gaillard at GaillardM@dnr.sc.gov no later than 5pm on March 2, 2018. Your application package should include this cover page, a statement of purpose, transcript(s), letter of support from one of your thesis/dissertation committee members (chair is preferred), and your CV.

Please note that if you are currently employed by a SC state government agency (i.e., University of South Carolina as a teaching assistant) SCDNR is not able to pay you for this fellowship. However, you are still eligible to apply for this fellowship and be unpaid. Please make a note on your application if you are applying for an unpaid Cultural Heritage Trust Graduate Fellowship. For questions please email SCDNR Heritage Trust archaeologist Meg Gaillard at GaillardM@dnr.sc.gov.