MARCUS FELLOWSHIP IN HISTORICAL ARCHAEOLOGY
2013-2014

The Pat and Hal Marcus Fellowship in Historical Archaeology was established in 1994 and fully endowed in 1998 by Patricia and Harold E. Marcus, Jr. to assist one or more graduate students in historical archaeology. At the present time, the endowment provides for an award of $7,000 per year, which will be made to an advanced Anthropology graduate student (Historical Archaeology or Anthropology) who is at the thesis writing stage on a historical archaeology topic.

Goal: The fellowship will provide support for one student to finish writing his/her historical archaeology thesis.

Criteria:
The applicant must have:
1. Completed course work toward the degree (except thesis credits)
2. Selected a thesis committee
3. Have an approved thesis prospectus
4. Completed historical research, fieldwork, laboratory processing, and artifact classification.

This award is for data analysis and writing.

The awardee must be enrolled for a minimum of 1 thesis credit at UWF to receive payments. The awardee must mention the Marcus Fellowship in his/her thesis acknowledgments.

Timetable:
Application due: March 4, 2014
Award notice: circa March 21, 2014
1st payment: circa April 4, 2014 - $5,000 (actual start date is negotiated with the awardee)
2nd payment: following completion of defendable thesis draft - $2,000

Application (Electronic submission is preferred):
1. Two page (or less) statement from graduate student to Dr. Benchley including:
   - Brief discussion of thesis topic
   - Progress to date on thesis research
   - Research plan including identification of tasks to be completed and proposed schedule
2. Letter of support and confirmation of thesis progress from thesis advisor

Submit applications to Dr. Elizabeth Benchley at ebenchle@uwf.edu. Award decisions are made by the archaeology faculty in the UWF Division of Anthropology and Archaeology.

For further information contact Dr. Benchley at 474-3015 or ebenchle@uwf.edu