

## Application for Graduate Assistantships/Associateship

1. If you are applying simultaneously for admission to a graduate program in political science (MA, MIDA, PhD), the letters of reference, CV and statement you submit through the online application system will be used in consideration of funding if admitted. The only additional document to be submitted directly to the department is this application.
2. If you are currently a graduate student in one of our programs, have three of your current or recent professors fill out reference forms or write letters of recommendation for you. Students applying for funding renewal for the third time need only one letter from a professor. See "Funding Renewal Process for Political Science Graduate Appointees" in the graduate manual for more information.

Application for admission must be submitted to the Office of Admissions. Applications are available online for students.

This application and accompanying materials are due **Feb. 1** for assistantships/associateships to be granted in the following academic year. Awards will be announced by early April.

Completed Applications (Page 2 of this document) can be emailed to Christina Oberheim at [christina.oberheim@wmich.edu](mailto:christina.oberheim@wmich.edu) by **Feb. 1**.

A current CV must accompany this application. If you are simultaneously applying for admission, you have already submitted a CV. If you are currently a political science graduate student, you must provide a current, printed CV to the graduate coordinator along with this application and your statement.

NOTE: Students must reapply for funding each year of eligibility. Determine that you meet eligibility requirement for funding by reviewing criteria at [www.wmich.edu/politics/](http://www.wmich.edu/politics/).

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

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Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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List three persons (include titles) whom you have asked to write letters in support of this application.

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For applicants simultaneously applying for admission, your reference letters for the admission process will be used for the funding decisions as well. For applicants currently in a political science graduate program, have your references submit their letters directly to the office administrator.

**All materials are due on or before the application deadline, February 1.**

***Print, sign and date:***

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_