

# The J. Michael Young Opportunity Fund 2009 - 2010

## INFORMATION AND APPLICATION MATERIALS

The College of Liberal Arts and Sciences, in conjunction with the J. M. Young Scholarship Fund, established the J. M. Young Opportunity Fund during the spring of 1996. The award was established in honor of J. Michael Young, former professor of philosophy and Director of the University of Kansas Honors Program from 1990 to 1995. Professor Young was an avid supporter of undergraduate research during his tenure at the university.

The Opportunity Fund provides undergraduates in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences with grants between \$300-\$500 to attend academic and professional conferences or to conduct research away from the Lawrence campus.

A faculty committee will consider the applications after each of the five due dates listed on the application. If you miss the due date you have circled on the application, you must resubmit the packet for a later date. We will consider the applications **only for the specified due date**. In order to apply for one of these grants you must fill out the attached application form.

Note: Awards may be considered taxable income to parents or to students who have "independent" financial aid status. Special tax rules, which vary by country, may apply to international students.

J. MICHAEL YOUNG OPPORTUNITY FUND  
2009 - 2010  
APPLICATION FORM

DUE DATE 4:00 p.m. (Circle the one for which you submitted the proposal):

September 25      November 6              February 5              March 12              May 7

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_

Plans for Opportunity Grant : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Date(s) of Conference or Research Travel \_\_\_\_\_

7 digit Student Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Local telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(include zip code)

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Major(s): \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Date of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Sponsor's Name and Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received a J. Michael Young Opportunity Grant before? \_\_\_\_\_  
If so, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Attach to this application the following information:

1. A one-page description of your plans for the grant.
2. A letter from a faculty sponsor supporting your use of this particular grant.
3. An estimate of your expenses (conference fee, registration, travel (airfare or mileage), meals, lodging).