Lieberthal-Rogel Center for Chinese Studies

Lieberthal Family Fellowship

Discretionary Funding

*LRCCS has a limited amount of discretionary funds per year for graduate students. Awards will be made on a case-by-case basis until the funds are depleted for that year.*

All student funding requests other than conference travel requests and standard fellowship applications must be submitted at least three weeks in advance to the Associate Director of the Lieberthal-Rogel Center for Chinese Studies. Requests for language study support and field research support must include a detailed justification explaining why the student is unable to apply during the usual fellowship competition cycle. All graduate students at the University of Michigan are eligible to apply. If funds run short, priority may be given to students with cost-sharing from other units and those with a demonstrated commitment to Chinese studies. All discretionary funding requests must be approved by the LRCCS Associate Director and the LRCCS Executive Committee.

**Cost Sharing:** Students are expected whenever possible to seek additional funding or cost-sharing from other units, especially their home departments, Rackham Fellowship Office, and the International Institute.

**Application Process:**  Complete a *LRCCS Discretionary Funding Application*. Submit this form along with a justification and budget. Allow at least three weeks for a reply.

**Please send/e-mail to:**

Coordinator of Student Services

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**Application for Discretionary Funding**

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| **Name** | | | **UMID#** | **Uniqname** | |
| **UM Department** | | | **Degree Level** | | |
| **Home Address** | | | | **Phone** | |
| **Reason for Funding Request** | | | | | |
| **Total Amount Requested From LRCCS** | **Itemized Budget** (*attach an additional page if necessary*) | | | | |
| **Cost Sharing: Please indicate whether you have applied for additional funding from the following units and if awarded, the amount of that funding:**  **Home Department:**  **Rackham Graduate School:**  **Other:** | | | | | |
| **Name of Student’s Main Advisor** | | **Signature of Student’s Main Advisor** | | | |
| **Date Submitted** | | **Amount Awarded** (to be completed by LRCCS) | | | |
| **Associate Director Signature** | | | | | **Date** |