GENENTECH CENTER FOR THE HISTORY OF MOLECULAR BIOLOGY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY AT COLD SPRING HARBOR LABORATORY

APPLICATION FOR THE SYDNEY BRENNER RESEARCH SCHOLARSHIP

Application Checklist and Instructions

DEADLINE
Sept 1

QUALIFICATIONS
The selection of the Sydney Brenner Research Scholar is based on CSHL's determination of:

- Quality of the research proposal (importance of topic, originality and sophistication of approach, and feasibility of research objectives)
- Relevance of the research proposal to the materials held in the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Archival Collections
- Evidence of the applicant's ability to carry out the proposed research project (as outlined in at least two letters of reference, reviews of previous work, publication record, etc.)

CONDITIONS
In submitting an application for the Sydney Brenner Research Scholarship, the applicant does not incur any obligation to accept the award if selected.

1. Scholars are obligated to travel to Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory and do their research using the Library and Archives collections.

2. Scholars are expected to present the results of their research in a talk, at a meeting, on a website, or in some other educational endeavor to the educational community at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory.

3. A copy of the final research report (in the format of a scholarly book, article, or other project) is to be donated to the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Library and Archives to be placed in its collection.

4. The stipend of $6,000 - $10,000 is to cover expenses incurred for travel, transportation and subsistence while doing research using the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory library and archives resources. Additional costs that may apply might be recording oral history interviews, microfilming archival materials, or completing other tasks involved in meeting the requirements of the scholarship.

SELECTION PROCESS
Proposals will be reviewed by the CSHL Archives Committee and a Fellow will be chosen by Nov. 1 each year, to begin the following September.
Selection of the Syndey Brenner scholar will be made at the sole discretion of CSHL.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS
A complete Application will include:

1. Completed Application Form
2. Research Proposal with bibliography and budget statement
3. Curriculum Vitae
4. Two Letters of Reference (in sealed envelopes)

1. Complete the two-page form

2. Research proposal:

A. Statement of your research (not more than 1000 words and no more than two pages -12 pt. font, double-spaced) describing your research, including the following:

- Full description of the research you plan to undertake at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory
- Explanation of the importance of the project both in relation to your own research goals and the broader discipline

B. Selected bibliography of titles or collections in the Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory Library and Archives that are relevant to your research proposal.

C. brief budget statement showing the expenses for which support is requested.

3. Curriculum Vitae, reflecting your education, previous or current fellowships, grants, and awards, and a brief description of your research interests. Include undergraduate and graduate education, inclusive dates of study, areas of study, degrees earned, and major publications.

4. Two letters of reference from individuals, evaluating your proposal. These referees should be familiar with your work. The reference letters should be sent in sealed envelopes signed by the referee across the flap.

CONTACT INFORMATION
Send all parts of your application together to:
Brenner Scholarship Research Program
Genenteck Center for the History of Molecular Biology and Biotechnology at Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory
1 Bungtown Rd.
Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

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Name: Last_____First_____Middle_____

Home Address_____

City_____State_____Zip_____Country_____

Telephone_____Fax_____Email_____

Office Address (if applicable)_____

City_____State_____Zip_____Country_____

Telephone_____Fax_____Email_____

Address to which correspondence should be sent: Home ○   Office ○

Short title of proposed research_____
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Dates you propose to visit CSHL for research   From:_____To: _____

Current academic status (if applicable)_____

Names and addresses of two persons from whom you are enclosing letters of reference.
    Name 1: _____
    Address 1:_____
    Name 2: _____
    Address 2:_____

Citizenship: _____

Signature _____

Date: _____