

# Everglades Foundation

## ForEverglades Fellowships 2017



The Everglades Foundation provides fellowships for advanced research in support of the restoration of America's Everglades. The Foundation is committed to supporting graduate research students actively pursuing the development of innovative scientific methods to advance the understanding of Everglades science.

### **ForEverglades Fellowships**

The fellowships are open to full-time graduate research students pursuing degrees in sciences, engineering, and economics. Cross-disciplinary research efforts are of special interest. The Everglades Foundation ForEverglades Fellowship program will only support direct collaboration between university professors (and/or scientists affiliated with other agencies) and Foundation science staff member(s). This collaboration is to be initiated by the academic staff member at least 6 months before the award is made. Past recipients of this fellowship are welcome to apply.

### **AREAS OF INTEREST**

The Foundation has identified several specific research areas that are also of special interest:

- Impacts of sea-level rise and saltwater intrusion on the Everglades.
- GIS and geostatistical applications in landscape ecology.
- Performance and costs of Best Management Practices in South Florida.
- Phosphorus control in the Everglades and Lake Okeechobee watershed.
- Temporal and spatial mapping in the Everglades.
- Everglades water quality.
- Ecosystem response to variations in water flow and quality.
- Valuation of ecosystem services of Everglades restoration.

Please keep in mind that the specific work to be done by an Everglades Fellow will be designed with significant participation of a science staff member of the Everglades Foundation (sponsor) who will collaborate with the academic supervisor.

### **AWARDS**

Fellowships provide up to \$20,000 / year (PhD level) and \$10,000 / year (MSc level) for stipends, tuition fees, travel, and other research-related expenses. The duration of this fellowship is set for 12 months.

### **THE APPLICATION PROCESS**

A checklist of items to be included in the submission package can be found at: [evergladesfoundation.org/opportunities/fellowships-scholarships](http://evergladesfoundation.org/opportunities/fellowships-scholarships)

Applications must be received no later than July 31, 2017. Late applications will not be considered. Submit complete applications or questions to:

[fellowship@evergladesfoundation.org](mailto:fellowship@evergladesfoundation.org)