Meeter Family Fellowship Application
The H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies

Fellowship Description

Faculty of colleges, universities, or seminaries (other than Calvin) as well as independent scholars and doctoral students are invited to apply for appointment as a Meeter Family Research Fellow for study at the H. Henry Meeter Center. This appointment carries an honorarium of $3,500 and use of the Meeter Center facilities. The honorarium is intended to be used towards expenses incurred for the fellowship (travel, accommodations, food, photocopies, books, etc.). The appointee is expected to be in residency for a period of 4-6 weeks at minimum. If the applicants receive a fellowship, they must come to the Meeter Center between July of the year in which the fellowship was awarded and the following June. On-campus housing is only available in June and July.

Fellowship Requirements

Fellowship applications should be submitted to the director of the Meeter Center no later than January 1. The applications will be acted upon by either the governing board or its executive committee. Notification of the award will be mailed shortly thereafter.

This application must be supported by a two- or three-page, double-spaced proposal, specifying what particular Meeter Center resources are to be used. The application must also include a complete curriculum vitae and a letter of academic reference from a faculty member or a letter of reference from a senior scholar in the field of the applicant’s interest. Preference will be given to projects that connect Reformation-era topics to relevant issues in contemporary church and society.

Successful fellows are expected to acknowledge the assistance provided by the Meeter Center in any published work resulting from their period of research in the Center and are encouraged to present a paper on their research at the Sixteenth Century Studies Conference for a session sponsored by the Meeter Center. Meeter Family Research Fellows will be asked to give an oral presentation on the results of their research toward the end of their stay in the Meeter Center.

Biographical Information

Last Name _________________________________________  First Name ______________________________________  M.I. ______
Street Address _____________________________________________________________
City _______________________________________  State/Province _________________________________  ZIP ______________
Country ____________________________________________
Home Phone ______________________  Work Phone ___________________________________________
E-mail Address ______________________________________________________________________________________________

Application Checklist:  

_____ Completed application
_____ Curriculum Vitae
_____ Research proposal. The proposal should include how resources of the Meeter Center are to be used.
_____ List of Meeter Center sources (books, articles, etc.) to be used in project.
_____ Letter of academic reference (Academic reference should be a faculty member, dissertation advisor, or independent scholar in the field of proposed research.)
_____ Name of reference person

Send applications to:
The H. Henry Meeter Center for Calvin Studies
Calvin University and Calvin Theological Seminary
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USA

Alternatively, application materials and letters of recommendation (sent directly from the recommender) may be sent as email attachments to kmaag@calvin.edu.

How did you learn about this fellowship? ____________________________________________________