**APPLY FOR A SUMMER RESEARCH GRANT**

The Feinstein International Center annual summer grants program is designed to stimulate applied research in issues pertaining to complex emergencies, humanitarian assistance, refugees and other migrants, natural disasters, and food security. The grants are intended to support travel and living expenses. Funds cannot be used to cover salary, overhead, indirect costs, or the purchase of equipment. Grants are up to $3,000 for overseas positions and up to $2,000 for US-based positions.

The program is open to all returning students at Tufts University who have either a summer internship with an organization focused on humanitarian action, or an agreement to be hosted with such an organization while carrying out the research project. In either case, a confirming email from the organization should accompany the application.

How to apply:

**Applications are due by Monday, March 9, 2020.**

Submit:

* Application form on next page
* Two- to three-page proposal that describes the research you will undertake
* Resume
* Contact information for two Tufts faculty members who know you well and agree to serve as references
* Email from host organization
* **A list of all research methods courses you have taken and any training on research with human subjects you have completed. Please include dates of courses and trainings.**
* **Email all materials in one zip file to** [ann.obrien@tufts.edu](mailto:ann.obrien@tufts.edu)

**Upon completion of the project, grant recipients are expected to:**

* **Make a short presentation to Feinstein staff and faculty**
* **Submit a three-page report on their research capturing objectives, methodology, findings, analysis, conclusions and recommendations**

Please contact Ann O’Brien with questions at [ann.obrien@tufts.edu](mailto:ann.obrien@tufts.edu)

# APPLICATION FORM

Name: Class:

E-mail: Phone:

NGO/Partner Agency:

Role of Partner Agency:

Address & Phone:

Dates of Research/Internship:

Internship Salary/Stipend (if applicable):

Estimated Expenses:

Travel (Domestic & International):

Living Expenses (Room & Board):

Other Expenses:

Total Expenses:

\_\_\_\_\_ I will submit my research design to the IRB and will not start research until I receive IRB approval.

Other sources of support (any other funds/grants for which you are applying and/or any housing assistance you might receive):

Tufts:

Non-Tufts:

If Applicable:

\_\_\_\_\_Attached is an official verification of this internship.

\_\_\_\_\_I will submit an official verification (on organization letterhead) by: \_\_\_\_\_\_

*Students undertake assignments at their own risk.*

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