Department of Philosophy
Swenson-Kierkegaard Fellowship (1)
Spring Semester 2011

The Department of Philosophy will award one (1) one-semester Swenson-Kierkegaard Fellowship for Spring Semester 2011 to an eligible philosophy graduate student. This fellowship carries a stipend of approximately $7,300. The fellowship also includes tuition and health insurance benefits.

**Eligibility:**

You must have passed your preliminary oral examination by October 15, 2010. This means that you must have completed and passed both Stage I (3-paper examination) and Stage II (third year review), AND successfully completed the oral defense of the thesis proposal (15-20 pages) committee and department review.

Preference is given to students who will be in their fourth or fifth year at the time of the fellowship. Advanced students who have not previously been recipients of the Swenson-Kierkegaard Fellowship are eligible to apply.

**To apply:**

Please submit a brief statement of one or two pages describing your dissertation project and explaining how the fellowship will contribute to your work on your dissertation. You will also need to ask your dissertation advisor to write a letter of recommendation on your behalf.

**Submit all electronic or hard copy materials to:**

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**Application deadline:**

All application materials must be submitted by **Monday, October 25, 2010, by 9:00 a.m.**

**Decisions:** Decisions are made by the Staffing and Awards Committee and will be announced by November 3, 2010.