

The Community Studies Race Conference Fellowship Application requirements

The Community Studies Race Conference Fellowship provides a stipend to either one or two students majoring in Community Studies, to cover the expenses of attending a national conference addressing race and social justice. This year, it will be for Race Forward's *Facing Race* conference, November 10-12 2016, in Atlanta, Georgia.

Thank you for expressing your interest in this fellowship. To apply, please submit the following:

1. Cover sheet stating your name and year in school
2. A 2-3 page essay addressing
 - why you wish to attend the conference;
 - what you can bring to it (for example, relevant coursework, volunteer or paid work experience, histories of race justice-related activism, research questions if on field study; or, in contrast, the gap in your learning that makes this an important meeting for you to attend);
 - what specific parts of the conference program you're especially interested in, and why (find the program on : <https://facingrace.raceforward.org/>); and
 - what you hope to gain from it, including how you expect to use what you learn at the conference in your field study, field study research, or –more relevant to pre-FS students—in shaping your work in the major.
3. A statement of commitment to complete a short essay (250-500 words) about your conference experience by December 1, 2016 that we can post on the Community Studies website and Facebook page, and –provided you're on campus in spring 2017—to facilitating a skills workshop as part of CMMU 102.

Deadline for submission:

Thursday, May 26, 2016 so it's in Veronica's email inbox Friday morning (vllopez1@ucsc.edu)