

**Department of Economics
Application for Research Fellows Program
Fall 2013**

****Deadline to apply: Monday, September 23, 2013****

Personal Information: (Please make sure your responses are fully legible.)

Name: _____ UID: _____

Email Address: _____

Primary phone number: _____ GPA: _____

Double Major/Minor (if applicable) _____

By signing this application, you are indicating both willingness and ability to devote at least 6 hours a week from September 30 until November 27 to this extracurricular activity. Most Fellows meetings will take place on Monday evenings from 5:30 to 7:30 in Tydings 1108; you will carry out research activities on your own schedule during the rest of the week and report findings at meetings.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Application Materials Checklist:

- ____ Completed Application (this page)
- ____ Unofficial transcript (obtainable via a link found at [Testudo](#))
- ____ Essay explaining why you want to participate in this program and what skills you can contribute to the research activity. Essays must be a minimum of 250 words and a maximum of 600 words typed, double spaced, in 12 point font.

Submit completed applications in person to Tydings 3108 or by email to ugadvising@econ.umd.edu before 2:00 PM on September 23, 2013

Minimum qualifications for participation in the Research Fellows Program include:

- cumulative GPA at the University of Maryland of at least 3.25
- successful completion of ECON325 and ECON326
- coursework or other experience using Excel or Access or similar software
- intention to graduate after December 2013
- availability to meet on campus Monday evenings 5:30 to 7:30

*****Incomplete applications will not be reviewed*****