Application for Graduate Teaching Assistantship or Fellowship

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION STUDIES
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Financial Aid Sought

______ Teaching Assistantship  _______ Research Assistantship
______ Fellowship  _______ Diversity of Views & Experiences Fellowship

Personal Data

Name________________________________________________________________________
Current Telephone________________________________________________________________________

Current Address________________________________________________________________________
Permanent Address & Telephone________________________________________________________________________

E-mail Address________________________(print clearly) ZIP________________________

Country of Citizenship__________________________________________________________

Degree Objective Please Circle: M.A. Ph.D.

Specialization in Communication Studies____________________________________________________

Proposed Entrance Date (new students only)____________________________________________________

Education

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Describe grading system if different than A=4.0, B=3.0, C=2.0, etc.____________________________________________________

List any honors, awards, or scholastic distinctions you received in college.____________________________________________________

PLEASE PROVIDE SCORES OF THESE TESTS. (If possible, attach photocopy of official scores.)

Graduate Record Exam: Verbal ____________ Quantitative ____________

Analytical Writing _______________________

TOEFL (international students only) ____________

Work Experience

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RECOMMENDATIONS:
List the names of three persons well acquainted with your academic work and professional experiences whom you are asking to write letters on your behalf. Be certain to provide your recommenders with the full name and address of the department. They may send their letters directly to the Communication Studies Department in 225 Ford Hall, 224 Church St. SE, University Of Minnesota, MN 55455 or they may submit them directly on-line via your graduate admission process.

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Please include the following on separate sheets of paper:

1. Your immediate and long range career objectives in relation to Communication Studies.

2. If you have had teaching and/or research experience, a list of courses you have taught and the level at which they were taught, and/or a description of research projects.

3. If you are applying for disadvantaged student funds, a statement that describes your disadvantaged status.

Privacy Statement: If you want the Communication Studies Department to give information to someone, such as a friend, relative, or another department on campus, please list with whom Communication Studies may share information. (If you leave these lines blank, Communication Studies will not discuss your application with anyone or any other department. Also, all information on this form is private. The University Of Minnesota complies with federal and state privacy laws and regulations.)

Please give my materials to any other department seeking persons for teaching/research/administration opportunities.

Yes       No       Signature

Signature of Applicant_________________________________________ Date__________________

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