

# Soil Fertility Fellowship

## Purpose:

To award two \$5,000 fellowships annually starting in Fall 2019 to graduate students in the Department of Soil, Water, and Climate who are studying or doing research in the areas of agriculture production, specifically in crop nutrition, soil fertility, or fertilizer management.

The awardees can be MS or PhD students. Students who received can receive a fellowship for more than one year at the discretion of the faculty advisor. Money can be used at the faculty advisors discretion (as leverage for additional money, towards stipend, towards student research, as additional award money for student, et cetera, so long as it is to the benefit of the student).

## Application Process:

Applications should be sent by email or letter to the advisory committee (including John Lamb and Gyles Randall). Faculty advisors apply on behalf of their students and should submit the following:

- An unofficial transcript for the student
- Educational background of the student
- Brief description of the proposed research project
- Student's goals/intent upon completion of degree

The advisory committee will make a recommendation to the department on awarding of the fellowships. The department makes the final decision on the awards.

## Award:

Once the recipients are chosen, the department will transfer the funds from the Foundation fund to the appropriate account.