University of New Hampshire
English Department

Application for Financial Aid

Name _____

Date _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____

We have established a departmental form for applicants to request financial aid. If you would like to be considered for any of the options below, please fill in the appropriate spaces below and indicate your first choice, second choice, etc. You may be eligible to apply for all forms of aid. **Return this form with your completed application to the Graduate School.**

NOTE: **Our financial aid deadlines are earlier than Graduate School deadlines. We require submission of financial aid applications by October 15th for spring semester and January 15th for fall semester. Also note there is a separate deadline for continuing students. See office for more information.**

_____ **Teaching Assistantship with Tuition Waiver and Stipend:** Eligibility: Full-time student* in the MA, MFA, MST or PhD program. Responsibilities: Teach one section of English 401 per semester. Benefits: For Masters students, $14,300 stipend, for PhD students $15,300, and for Masters and PhD students full tuition waiver for the academic year (including one summer course).

_____ **Teaching Assistantship, ESL, with Tuition Waiver and Stipend:** Eligibility: Full-time student* in MA, MFA, MST, or PhD program with competency in ESL teaching. Responsibilities: Teach one section of either English 400 or 600 in the Fall; English 401A in the Spring. Benefits: For Masters students $14,300 stipend and full tuition waiver for the academic year (including one summer course).

_____ **Tuition Scholarship:** Eligibility: Full-time student* in the MA, MFA, MST, or PhD program. Benefit: Full tuition waiver for the academic year.

_____ **Elizabeth Jones Scholarship:** Eligibility: Full-time, unmarried student* in the MFA in Writing program. Benefit: Amount of scholarship varies each academic year. Note: This scholarship may not be combined with a teaching assistantship, but may be combined with a tuition scholarship.

* The current Graduate Catalog defines full-time as follows: "Graduate students registered for 9 or more credits, Master's Continuing Research, or Doctoral Research are classified as full-time students. Students holding assistantship appointments are also considered full-time and must register for a minimum of 6 credits, Master's Continuing Research, or Doctoral Research each semester".

Please note: The above financial aid is available to full-time students only. For part-time students, the Graduate School provides a limited number of part-time tuition scholarships that are available on a competitive basis. For more information and application forms, log on to www.gradschool.unh.edu or phone the Graduate School at 603 862-3000.