

Department of Mathematics

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Application for Mathematics Graduate Assistantships

Instructions

- 1. Please submit the following materials to the Graduate Director, Dr. Elizabeth Niese. Submissions may be by email to **niese@marshall.edu** or by postal mail to the address shown above. The required materials are:
 - a. This application form
 - b. A personal statement not more than two pages in length. This statement should describe the applicant's background, motivation for studying mathematics, future plans, and any other topics relevant to the applicant's qualifications for a Graduate Assistantship.
- 2. Arrange for three letters of recommendation. These may be sent to the Assistant Chair for Graduate Studies by email, or by postal mail to the address shown above.
- 3. Applicants for *a Graduate Assistantship* must also <u>Apply for Admission to the *Master* of Arts in Mathematics degree program</u>. A Graduate Assistantship application cannot be considered until the application for admission to the degree program is complete, including official transcripts from all previous institutions.

Timeframe for Awarding Mathematics Graduate Assistantships

Offers for Graduate Assistantships will be made beginning after May 15, for admission the following fall, and November 15, for admission the following spring. Applicants should ensure their materials are received before these dates to ensure full consideration. Applications received after these dates will be considered until all available Graduate Assistantships are filled.

Eligibility notice

In compliance with federal law, all persons hired will be required to verify identity and eligibility to work in the United States and to complete the required employment eligibility verification form upon hire. Graduate Assistantships are also subject to the eligibility requirements of the Marshall University Graduate College.

Name:				
	Last	First	Middle	
Present mailing address:				
Permanent address: (if different)				
Telephone Number:				
Email address:				
Semester when you begin the graduate	would like to	Month	Year	

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Do you have any conditions which would prevent you from fulfilling the job duties of a graduate assistant with or without reasonable accommodations?

Circle one: YES NO

Type of assistantship

Please mark whether each of the following would be acceptable to you:

Half Graduate Assistantship (10 hours per week)	YES	NO
Full Graduate Assistantship (20 hours per week)	YES	NO

The half assistantship includes half of the tuition benefit and stipend of the full assistantship.

References

Please list the names and contact information for up to three individuals. You must also ask these individuals to submit letters of recommendation directly to the Graduate Director.

Name	Email address	Phone Number