



Cushman Foundation for Foraminiferal Research  
**Student Research Awards**

## Application Information

Include the following application form with a one- to three-page description of the proposed research, its significance, a detailed budget with justification and a curriculum vitae. Budgets should provide a complete understanding of the financial aspects of the proposed work, and describe other funding for the project (if applicable). Previous awardees must include a short summary of research completed with the award. Applicants must be members of the Cushman Foundation at the time of application.

A letter of support from the student's faculty advisor is also required.

No award will be made for more than \$2000. The Board of Directors reserves the right to make no awards or to make awards that differ from the requested budget. Proposals must be submitted by **March 1**. Decisions will be made by the Board of Directors in late April and funds will be available for the following year.

All application materials should be sent to the Cushman Foundation by email. The preferred format for electronic submission is pdf. Other acceptable formats are MSWord and Wordperfect.

Please submit all items to [cushmanfoundation@gmail.com](mailto:cushmanfoundation@gmail.com). Names of the submitted files should begin with the last name (or family name) of the applicant.

### Checklist of required items:

- Application form
- Summary of project
- Budget
- CV
- Letter of support
- Summary of research completed (for previous awardees only)



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**Applicant's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**University:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Degree (B.Sc., M.Sc., Ph.D):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name of faculty advisor:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Award(s) for which you are applying (check one or more):**

**Joseph A. Cushman Award for Student Research** (supports Master's and Doctoral Student research projects dealing with systematics, biostratigraphy, paleoecology and ecology of fossil or living foraminifera)

**William V. Sliter Research Award** (supports graduate student research on Mesozoic and Cenozoic foraminifera)

**Loeblich and Tappan Student Research Award** (supports undergraduate and graduate student research on any aspect of living or fossil foraminifera or other protists, such as diatoms, coccolithophorids, dinoflagellates, acritarchs or radiolaria)

**Project title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Project summary (250 word description of objectives and significance of proposed work):**

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