Request for Reference  
Robin Wright Graduate Fellowship

The Center for the Education of Women announces the Robin Wright Graduate Fellowship with a grant of up to $3,200. The Fellowship will support research by a graduate student from the Islamic World or Africa matriculating in the University of Michigan Rackham Graduate School.

Preference will be given to graduate students pursuing research in international and global issues in the contemporary period, with a focus on political, economic or societal change as well as new solutions to issues arising from the spread of globalization. Particular attention will be given to research abroad. Also, in order to ensure that as broad a range of people as possible is able to do research on international topics, women graduate students and students intending to return to their home countries to contribute their scholarly and professional skills are particularly encouraged to apply.

Applicants must have very strong academic records and demonstrate outstanding scholarly and professional promise. Applicants should show good progress toward the degree and have feasible plans for conducting international research.

You are asked to give your comments regarding—

Candidate’s Name:

Street:  
City:  
State:  
Zip:

Given the criteria described above, we are particularly interested in your comments about

- The quality and potential contribution of the student’s international research
- The extent to which the student’s research will be conducted in the country(s) being studied
- The student’s intention to return to and work in the country(s) being studied

Please send or fax this cover sheet along with your letter of reference to the following address BY FEBRUARY 26, 2010

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