**Gerald R. Ford Scholar Award in Honor of Robert Teeter**

**Application Cover Sheet**

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| **Name and Address:** |
| **Telephone Number:**  **E-mail Address:** |
| **Institution and Field of Study:** |
| **Dissertation Title:** |
| When did you achieve PhD candidacy? (Month/Year)  When do you anticipate completing your dissertation? (Month/Year)  Have you done research at the Gerald R. Ford Library before? (Yes/No)  Have you applied for the Ford Library’s Research Travel Grant? (Yes/No)  If Yes: When? (Month/Year)  Did you receive the Grant? (Yes/No/Current Applicant)  Have you applied for the Gerald R. Ford Scholar Award before? (Yes/No)  If Yes: When? (Year) |
| **Application Material**   * An abstract describing the dissertation, no longer than 150 words; * A **5 page** proposal that describes the topic and outline of the dissertation, including the design of the research project and research resources to be employed. The proposal should also describe the ways in which Ford Library resources can advance the research on the topic and address how the dissertation will relate to current scholarship on the subject. A bibliography of **up to two additional pages** should also be included. The proposal and accompanying bibliography should use 12-point font and be double-spaced (page count does not include footnotes or bibliography); * Three letters of recommendation from individuals who can attest to the applicant’s qualifications for the award (**one of these letters must be from their academic director that includes a statement approving the dissertation topic**); * Unofficial transcripts from all graduate schools attended (the Selection Committee reserves the right to request official transcripts); and * A curriculum vitae. |