

THE EARTH INSTITUTE
COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

LEEFs GK-12 FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Please complete all the information requested.

Deadline for Submission: March 15, 2010
Submit to Audrey Lapiner; ael2130@columbia.edu

Name:

E-Mail Address:

Department:

Specialization:

Month/Year Enrolled in Program: /

Degree Pursuing (PhD/Masters):

Advisor:

*Please note: Consent will be required from your advisor for during the final stages of the application/selection process. You may wish to inform your advisor about your intentions to apply for the grant. **However, we do not need you to obtain prior approval to apply nor do we request a letter of recommendation from him/her.** Rather, the LEEFS Program Directors will contact your advisor during the application review process.*

What is it about the GK-12 program that interests you?

What is your area of research?

Would you be able to accept a teacher as a summer research assistant?

What are your career plans?

How might your participation in the GK-12 Program assist in your professional development?

Do you have past experience working with children or teenagers?

How do you think you can assist middle and/or high school teachers?

Are there any other relevant experiences that you bring to this program?

Are you interested in working on the international component of the GK-12 Fellowship with CERC? If yes, how could your research apply in the setting of the Dominican Republic (2010-11)?

Please note that we are looking for field research technique as well as content in response to this question. For instance, if you work has to do with restoration ecology could you bring your research into a school in the DR. Part of this engagement will necessitate use of distance learning.

Thank you.

Please return this application to Audrey Lapiner, program manager for the Earth Institute's Office of Academic and Research Programs via email at: ael2130@columbia.edu by **Monday, March 15, 2010 at 5 pm.**

We will be conducting interviews for qualified applicants in late-March.