**WSU Aerospace Engineering MS Graduate Teaching Fellows Program Application**

**Background**

The MS Teaching Fellows Program is designed to help increase the quality of classroom and lab instruction. Holders of MS Teaching Fellow assistantships support faculty and students as teaching assistants for courses and labs. MS Teaching Fellow assistantships are awarded to College of Engineering masters students for a semester period at $1,200/month for 20 hours per week. Students receiving MS Teaching Fellow assistantships have been deemed by department chairs to be in the top 20% academically (GPA, aptitude for teaching and for the material of the intended class or lab, demonstrated good written and oral communication skills, and an ability to explain complex concepts). Additional requirements to receive a teaching fellows assistantship include:

1. Student must have graduated with a BS degree prior to their appointment.
2. Potential applicants who are non-native speakers of English must attain a score of 50 or above on the Test of Spoken English (TSE)/SPEAK, OR a score of 23 or higher on the speaking portion of the Internet Based TOEFL (iBT), OR achieve a score of 7.0 or higher on the Speaking portion of the IELTS exam. Scores must be less than 2 years old.
3. Student must be on campus ***before*** semester classes begin and successfully completethe Graduate Teaching Assistantship Workshop held by the Graduate School.

Recipients of the MS Teaching Fellow assistantship must maintain a GPA > 3.0 for the duration of the assistantship appointment. Reappointment, each semester, is contingent on work and academic performance.

**Application Information**

Submit, via email to [scott.miller@wichita.edu](mailto:scott.miller@wichita.edu), a single PDF-format document containing the following material:

1. This page, with the below information completed.
2. A current resume (2 page limit).
3. A one-page essay demonstrating your maturity, motivation and potential to meet the program goals.
4. An endorsement memo from the AE faculty member that you propose to work for. The faculty member should also outline your anticipated fellowship responsibilities.

The emailed application package file name must include your last name and the acronym MSGTF.

Application material is due by noon the 1st Friday of each new semester. Awards are based on the noted evaluation criteria, department need, and the availability of funds.

Date:

Name (Last, First):

Phone #:

MyWSU ID #:

E-mail:

Major:

WSU GPA:

Native English Speaker (Yes/No):

If non-native English speaker, give English exam score:

Prior BS Degree, Institution, & Completion Date:

Your AE Interest Area/s (e.g., aerodynamics, structures, etc.):