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| Faculty Exchange       | - Current faculty member or scientist in FER  
- Engaging in research or other academic collaboration with faculty, scientists or students in Sweden  
- Highest priority given to (a) faculty and scientists with long-term appointments (lower priority will be given to post-doctoral scientists and those with short-term appointments); (b) faculty sabbaticals and other long-term exchanges; and (c) collaborative activities between faculty/scientists at NCSU DFER and SLU. | - Round-trip airfare from Raleigh to Sweden  
- Transportation, food, and lodging costs                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| PhD short term exchange (taking courses or pursuing research at SLU or other Swedish universities for 8 weeks to 6 months) | - PhD student in good standing in FER  
- Highest priority to (a) students engaged in long-term collaborative research projects involving NCSU DFER and Swedish faculty, (b) students studying and researching topics related to forest genetics and management, (c) exchange visits of at least 2.5 months. | - Round-trip airfare from Raleigh to Sweden, as well as other travel-related expenses (e.g. visa applications, international health insurance)  
- $1000 per month while in Sweden  
- May apply for up to $5000 to cover research costs during the exchange period.                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Masters short term exchange (taking courses and/or pursuing research at SLU or other Swedish universities, including dual degree under the Atlantis Program, for 8 weeks to 6 months) | - Masters student in good standing in FER  
- Highest priority to students participating in dual degree program or contributing to long-term collaborative research projects in forest genetics and management, supervised by NCSU DFER and Swedish faculty, on exchange visits of at least 2.5 months. | - Round-trip airfare from Raleigh to Sweden, as well as other travel-related expenses (e.g. visa applications, international health insurance)  
- $1000 per month while in Sweden  
- May apply for up to $5000 to cover research costs during the exchange period.                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Undergraduate short-term exchange (taking courses and/or participating in research project at SLU, for 8 weeks to 6 months) | - Undergraduate student making progress towards first degree in FER  
- Highest priority to (a) students engaged in long-term collaborative research projects involving NCSU DFER and Swedish faculty, | - Round-trip airfare from Sweden to Raleigh, as well as other travel-related expenses (e.g. visa applications, international health insurance)  
- Coverage of tuition and student fees through study abroad exchange                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
Students participating in *International Sustainable Resource Use* summer course

- FER student participating in course
- Scholarship amount decided annually
- Group travel costs associated with the course are also directly subsidized by the Nicholson

**To apply, students** should submit (1) plan of work specifying dates and activities and explaining how exchange visit is consistent with the priorities of the Nicholson; (2) university transcript; and (3) letters of support from academic advisor at home institutions and from intended host at SLU.

**Faculty** should submit a brief proposal that describes the intended use of the funds, approximate dates, budget, and how the proposal furthers collaboration between NC State and SLU (or other Swedish universities and research institutions).

For 2014 – 2015 academic year, requests for funding should be submitted to Dr. Gary Blank, gblank@ncsu.edu

Have an idea for an exchange that doesn’t fit one of these categories? Tell us about it!  

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