

## Delson Bridge to the Future Fund

### *Nomination Form Overview 2020-2021*

The Delson Bridge to the Future Fund assists domestic and international graduate students in the final phase of their graduate education to pay research expenses, publication costs, and other incidentals that stand in the way of completing their graduate studies at OSU. This endowment fund was created to honor Irma Delson who dedicated her many years at OSU to serving students from all over the world. Graduate programs that become aware of emergency situations involving students at the end of their programs may submit requests for limited assistance to offset financial difficulties and promote degree completion.

#### **In the online nomination form, be prepared to provide the following information:**

1. Is the nominee a graduate student in a graduate degree-seeking program at Oregon State University?
2. Is the nominee in the final phase of their graduate program?\*

  - a. \*At least in the second year for master's programs, or advanced to candidacy for doctoral programs\*

3. Does the nominee have an extenuating financial emergency impacting their ability to persist?
4. Nominee first name
5. Nominee last name
6. Nominee OSU ID
7. Nominee degree type
8. Nominee college
9. Nominee program
10. Nominee OSU email
11. Submitter first name
12. Submitter last name
13. Submitter OSU email
14. Submitter title/position at OSU
15. Award contact first name (this person will be notified of any award decisions)
16. Award contact last name
17. Award contact OSU email
18. **Nomination Materials** – Nominators will be required to prepare the following materials as **one PDF document** and upload it to the nomination form:
  - a. Statement from the nominee describing how the award will advance their graduate studies at Oregon State University and an explanation of the extenuating financial emergency that may impact their ability to persist if funding is not received
  - b. Letter from nominee's major professor or unit head/chair attesting to the academic merit of the nominee, confirmation that the nominee is making satisfactory academic progress, anticipated degree completion, and an overview of previous financial support the nominee has received from the unit
  - c. A copy of the nominee's résumé or curriculum vitae

*\*The information on this handout is subject to change at any time. Please review the award page and nomination form for the most current award information/requirements. All nominations must be submitted electronically through Qualtrics.*