NICHOLS/HAMLET FOREIGN TRAVEL ENDOWMENT SELECTION CRITERIA

The Endowment assumes that an effective study of the English language can no longer be limited to an Anglo/American culture. In this century English language study has become a global and inherently multi-cultural discipline. Thus, the Endowment's annual award of at least $800 toward foreign travel by a member of either the Literature and Philosophy or Writing and Linguistics Departments will be based upon the following criteria in order listed:

1. The multi/cross-cultural nature of the proposal and specific travel proposed

2. The quality of the research proposal presented to the selection committee

3. The ability of the proposal to serve both the researcher and his/her colleagues and students in the department

4. The effectiveness of the proposed research to introduce the scholar to a new cultural experience

5. The need of the Department as determined by the selection committee

6. The need of the researcher

Please submit your application to your Department Chair by April 1 of the year in which you plan to travel.