

# **DAVIS PROJECTS FOR PEACE**

http://www.davisprojectsforpeace.org/

# Campus Submission Deadline: 9 December 2011

Lafayette College students are invited to participate in **Davis Projects for Peace** program. This is an opportunity for you (individually or as small groups) to design grassroots "projects for peace." The top 100 submissions nationally will be granted \$10,000 each towards the implementation of the awarded project during the summer of 2012.

Lafayette students received funding from the Davis Projects for Peace program for projects in Honduras, Kenya, California, Colombia and, most recently, New Jersey. Your project may be the next Lafayette Project for Peace to receive funding!

#### PROJECTS FOR PEACE

**There are no specific guidelines.** Use your imagination, and your strengths, visions and dreams. But also realize your financial and time limitations: \$10,000 for a project conducted during summer 2012. You must define a "project for peace" in your own terms.

The Projects for Peace grant is designed to encourage your creativity, innovation and entrepreneurship. Projects may be conducted anywhere worldwide, including as close to home as Easton, PA or as far afield as Antarctica.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

- Lafayette students from all classes (first year through senior year) are eligible. (N.B. Seniors must submit projects in conjunction with students who will not be graduating in 2012.)
- You may submit a proposal to be conducted individually/on your own OR you may submit a proposal where a group of you are involved in the project.
- If you work in a group, all students must be currently enrolled at Lafayette.

#### PROJECT FUNDING

- Funding per project is limited to \$10,000.
- Projects with larger budgets are welcome as is co-funding from other sources (such as other philanthropists, foundations, NGOs/PVOs, private/personal funds, etc.).

#### **PROPOSALS**

Prepare and electronically submit your proposal by using the "Submit Materials" tab on our External Scholarships website. <a href="http://externalscholarships.lafayette.edu/submit-materials/">http://externalscholarships.lafayette.edu/submit-materials/</a>.

- 1. A written statement, **not to exceed 2 pages** in length, which describes:
  - (a) the project (who, what, where, how, why),
  - (b) the project's expected outcomes, and
  - (c) the project's prospects for future impact.
- 2. A budget (**not to exceed 1 page**).

**Please Note:** Accepted proposals must include approval of all external parties and organizations involved in the project.

#### **JUDGING OF PROPOSALS**

- 1. Shortly after 9 December,
  - All submitted proposals will be reviewed by a campus selection committee.
  - The committee will draw up a "short list" of proposals for further consideration
  - Students whose projects have been short listed will be asked to give a short presentation to the committee describing their proposal in greater detail
- 2. The committee will select 2 proposals for official consideration for funding.
- 3. If your project is selected for official consideration, you will have time to refine it prior to official submission by 13 February 2012.

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information and examples of previously funded **Projects for Peace** are available on the program's website (www.davisprojectsforpeace.org/).

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact or make an appointment to meet with Dean Goldberg at goldbeja@lafayette.edu, externalscholarships@lafayette.edu, or 610.330.5080 ext. 5521.