

## **DEPARTMENT OF ANTHROPOLOGY**

### **JOSEPH R. CALDWELL AWARD**

The Joseph R. Caldwell Award recognizes an outstanding Archaeology graduate student for performance and/or innovation in the study of the Southeastern United States or the Eastern United States region. The award was established in 2020 to honor the memory of Dr. Joseph R. Caldwell and the influence he had on many students. Dr. Caldwell was a faculty member in the Department of Anthropology at the University of Georgia, and one of the most innovative contributors to our understanding of the archaeology of the Eastern United States.

### **APPLICATION DEADLINE IS JANUARY 12, 2024 BY 5:00 P.M.**

The anticipated funding this year is \$5,000. Project budgets should be appropriate to the proposed activities. Individual requests may not exceed \$5,000. All funds received must be expended by October 31 of the year they were awarded.

### **ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

The applicant must be an archaeology graduate student in good standing at the University of Georgia studying the Southeastern United States or Eastern United States region. The selected student can receive this award no more than two times during their graduate career.

### **PROPOSAL FORMAT**

The proposal must include the following elements in conformance to the stated page limits.

- Page 1 - Application Cover Sheet
- Pages 2-3
  - Problem statement and objectives aligned with the award guidelines
  - Discussion of methods, procedures and expected results
  - Significance
- Page 4
  - References
  - Itemized Budget of UGA-allowable expenses for supplies, travel, lodging, etc. noting additional sources of funding received or requested
  - Schedule of proposed activities including final report submission date no later than December 1 of the year funds were awarded.

Proposal format: Arial no less than 10 points or Times New Roman no less than 11 points with no more than six lines of text per vertical inch and margins in all directions of at least one inch. If applying for more than one departmental award you need only submit one proposal. Proposed activities must conform to the guidelines for each award checked on the application cover sheet.

Submit the proposal as a single PDF to [anthro@uga.edu](mailto:anthro@uga.edu) by the stated deadline. Proposals will be selected for funding based on their quality and conformance to the program guidelines as well as the applicant's performance-to-date and professional promise. Results will be announced before Spring Break. The Awards Committee and Department Head reserve the right to determine the dollar amount awarded.