CHATHAM UNIVERSITY MFA FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION 2016-2017

(To be submitted as a cover with your application to the MFA program)

NAME __________________________________________

Phone _____________________________

Email address ___________________________

I wish to be considered for the following fellowship (circle one):

Margaret L. Whitford

The Fourth River

Teaching Assistantship

Newsletter Editor and Social Media Coordinator Assistantship

Robert H Mansell Teaching Assistantship

Research Assistantship

Please incorporate in your personal statement essay that you write for admission a discussion about why you think you would be a good candidate for given fellowship or assistantship.

The Margaret L. Whitford Fellowship is a leadership position within the MFA Student Council. Your letter should detail any experiences you have had with leadership.

In the case of The Fourth River fellowship, please include a discussion of any publishing experience you have, or previous experience with literary magazines.

For the Teaching Assistantship, please detail any experience you have had either teaching or working as a tutor or in a writing center.

For the Newsletter Editor and Social Media Coordinator Assistantship, please detail any experience you have with the software necessary to create such newsletters.

Robert H. Mansell Teaching Assistantship is a teaching assistantship designed for an incoming student who will work in the Words Without Walls program so please detail any experience you have had either working or teaching in alternative spaces.

For the Research Assistantship, please discuss research skills and grant-writing experience you possess.