## Friends of the Alabama Archives

## 2026 STUDENT RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

The Friends of the Alabama Archives is sponsoring two \$1,000 Student Research Fellowships in 2026. The fellowships are intended to offset expenses incurred by students conducting research using the collections of the Alabama Department of Archives and History (ADAH). Senior-level or graduate students at an Alabama college or university, or Alabama residents enrolled in an out-of-state institution, are eligible to apply. A committee of the Friends Board of Directors will review applications and make awards based on evaluations of project significance and work plan feasibility.

Applications should include the following:

- Name
- Postal address
- Phone number
- E-mail address
- College or university
- Department
- Previous degree and institution if graduate student
- Description of research project
- Plan of work
- Letter of reference from major professor or department head (may be sent separately)

Applicants are welcome to submit an additional letter of reference, a résumé, a brief writing sample, or similar materials.

Submit applications and letters of reference via e-mail to: Mary Amelia Taylor Communications & Development Coordinator maryamelia.taylor@archives.alabama.gov

Application packets must be submitted by <u>February 15, 2026.</u> Awards will be announced and distributed in March 2026.

For additional information, contact Mary Amelia Taylor at 334.353.4692 or maryamelia.taylor@archives.alabama.gov.

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