WGS Emergency Fund Award Application: **please return to WGS Chair, mkenney@sfsu.edu**

Name:

Student ID:

Email (active SFSU email account):

Phone (optional):

Major:

*Description. WGS Emergency Fund Awards support WGS students in need of crisis funding. The Award covers unexpected expenses that have made it difficult for you to achieve your academic goals. The award is open to all WGS graduate students and to WGS undergraduate majors and minors, with preference given to graduate students and majors.*

We are NOT allowed to fund:

tuition

books and supplies

meals

rent/housing

transportation

personal expenses related to the cost of attendance

We ARE allowed to fund:

\_\_\_\_\_ unexpected medical/therapy bills

\_\_\_\_\_ unexpected prescription costs

\_\_\_\_\_ emergency dietary/sanitary needs

\_\_\_\_\_ emergency optometry needs

\_\_\_\_\_ emergency childcare

\_\_\_\_\_ unexpected court fees

\_\_\_\_\_ late fees associated with bills

\_\_\_\_\_ emergency car repairs

\_\_\_\_\_ overdue internet or phone bills

\_\_\_\_\_ replacement (due to loss) of personal items necessary for academic success

\_\_\_\_\_\_ other [such as eviction costs]

*Process. Confidential requests are made to the WGS Chair, who then passes on a recommendation to the WGS Scholarship Committee. The Committee makes the final decision.* ***Awards are typically in the amount of $150-$400 and are paid out in 4-6 weeks****. If your application is awarded, a copy of a bill tied to your emergency may be required.*

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In the space below, please briefly describe the nature of your emergency: (please do not feel any pressure to disclose anything too private!)