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Who may apply: Third-year students in the Economics Ph.D. program.

Application due date and location: [March 6, 2009](#). Provide three copies of an application form and the paper to Ms. Kathleen Finn, Calhoun 415. Please *also* provide an electronic version of the paper (pdf format), [kathleen.m.finn.2@vanderbilt.edu](mailto:kathleen.m.finn.2@vanderbilt.edu).

Submission details: The application form must be signed by a faculty member who is willing to sponsor the application. The paper should be typed in a style comparable to journal submission requirements. The work should have been completed after enrollment in Vanderbilt's Ph.D. program (e.g., previously completed undergraduate or master's program papers should not be submitted).

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