The Pennsylvania State University
Department of Food Science

Tresper Clark
Graduate Confectionary Fellowship

This competitive fellowship position is available to a student who will begin enrollment as an M.S. or Ph.D. student during the 2011-12 academic year in the Department of Food Science graduate program. This fellowship shall be awarded for one academic year and may be renewed for subsequent years providing the recipient makes satisfactory progress toward the degree and continues to meet the conditions of eligibility.

The fellow will visit representative confectionary industry firms to gain a better understanding of industry practice and problems. The industry sites will be selected by the student, the faculty advisor and the PMCA Scholarship Committee and visits will be conducted 4 – 6 weeks prior to beginning graduate studies at Penn State. The fellow will perform thesis research of interest to the confectionary industry.

The M.S. fellow will receive a stipend for the fall and spring semesters of $15,120, tuition (approximate value of over $27,000), health insurance, and summer wages of $3,024, bringing the total value to about $45,000 per year. The Ph.D. fellow will receive a stipend for the fall and spring semesters of $16,245, tuition (approximate value of over $27,000), health insurance, and summer wages of $3,249, bringing the total value to about $46,000 per year.

Interested applicants should complete the formal application for admission process per the instructions provided at this website: http://foodscience.psu.edu/graduatestudents/apply. In addition, a letter of intent should be sent by March 31, 2011 to:

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