The Howard J. Baumgartel Peace and Justice Award is an annual award to support the thesis or dissertation research of a graduate student in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences or the School of Business whose interests, achievements, and talents are in the peace and justice field. The award amount is $2,760.

Examples of appropriate interests for this award are social scientific study of, or application of social scientific knowledge to: conflict resolution, social action, human problems in the world of work, race and ethnic relations, and Third World Development.

Eligibility:
Any Master’s or Ph.D. student in the College of Liberal Arts & Sciences or the School of Business who is engaged in thesis or dissertation research during Summer 2016, Fall 2016, or Spring 2017 is eligible to apply. The student's enrollment during the term of the award must comply with University and departmental requirements. Faculty advisors are encouraged to nominate eligible students. Self-nominations are accepted.

The Supporting Documents:
All nominations must include the following:
1. A completed cover sheet.
2. An up-to-date vita.
3. A one-page description of the thesis or dissertation topic.
   a. Describe the research proposal in language to be understood by an interdisciplinary audience.
   b. State how the monetary award will be used to fund the applicant’s research.
   c. Specify when the research will be carried out.
4. A letter of support from the applicant’s advisor or department chair.

Deadline and Procedure:
Nomination materials must be submitted as a PDF to Emily Dodson at coga@ku.edu by Noon (12 pm) on Friday, February 5, 2016. Late nominations will not be accepted. If you have questions or would like more information, please email or call 864-4201.