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2026-2027 Global Change Research Fellows Program

Statement of Interest

Please describe your interest in the Global Change Research Fellows Program, addressing each of the following. Please make sure you address each prompt in your statement.

- A) A description of your research interests and career goals.
- B) How your graduate research program aligns with the [Mission](#) and [Science Priorities](#) of the Southeast Climate Adaptation Science Center related to climate exposures, impacts, or adaptations.
- C) The skills you would bring to an **interdisciplinary small team** working on the synthesis of climate adaptation information. Skills can include but are not limited to quantitative approaches, qualitative approaches, literature synthesis, AI, project management, communication, and web and tool design.
- D) How the professional development activities of the Global Change Research Fellows Program will complement your current research program and career aspirations.
- E) What unique perspectives you will bring to the Global Change Research Fellows cohort.

Save your statement of interest as a pdf document no longer than **2 pages of at least 10 point font**, using the following file naming convention: **StudentLastName_2026_GCRF_SOI.pdf**.

Upload by the application deadline, **January 12, 2026**, via this Google form: [2026-27 SE CASC Global Change Research Fellow Application Form](#)