

# Center for Environmental Farming Systems Graduate Fellows Application

## Academic Advisor Certification Form

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Your advisee, listed below, is submitting an application for the Center for Environmental Farming Systems (CEFS) NC State University Graduate Fellows Program. This program was developed to provide financial support and recognition for the future leaders, researchers and contributors in sustainable agriculture and local and regional food systems while they pursue academic research to further the field of study.

There are several requirements of the student that we would like advisors to be aware, and supportive of, including a requirement of your attendance at an All-CEFS Meeting in which you will introduce your advisee to the group as one of our new Fellows! All-CEFS meetings are generally held in February and September each year and are a convening of all the CEFS- affiliated faculty/staff performing CEFS' academic, research, and extension work.

**Advisor Name (First & Last):**

**Advisee Name (First & Last):**

**NC State University Graduate/PhD Program Name:**

**College:**

**Department:**

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*I certify that, as the Academic Advisor of the advisee/student listed above, I understand and agree to comply with the requirements of this fellowship that pertain to my role as their Academic Advisor.*

**Signature:**

**Date:**

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For general questions, please contact: Dr. Angel Cruz (919) 513-0954 or [aecruz@ncsu.edu](mailto:aecruz@ncsu.edu).