

GradFunding – UArizona Space Grant, GPSC grants, Tribal Nations Scholarships, Poetry Fellowships, Transportation Fellowships and more



Dear Graduate Students,

Many well-known fellowships have fall deadlines, but the spring fellowships offer a wide range of subjects and funders. Hopefully, one of these fellowships will catch your eye and match your academic interests. Check out the UArizona opportunities below, including the Carson Scholars Program, the Tinker, the Space Grant, and GPSC funding. If you want to look for more opportunities, please read our [advice](#) about searching for fellowships. Happy searching!

Nancy and Sedona

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Announcements

Funding Information Sessions

The Graduate College Office of Fellowships is hosting zoom information sessions on funding:

- Funding for students entering the dissertation stage (planning to defend around Spring 2026) – Tuesday, March 26 at 9:30 am Arizona time
- DAAD Information Session for Research/Study in Germany – Tuesday, April 9 at 9:30 am and Monday, April 22 at 1 pm Arizona time

- Overview of Summer Program and of Finding Funding Information Sessions – Thursday, March 20 at 1 pm and Thursday, April 11 at 1 pm Arizona time
- NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program Information Sessions – Wednesday, April 17 at 12 pm, Wednesday, May 8 at 1 pm, and Wednesday, May 22 at 1 pm Arizona time
- Please RSVP on our website before the information session.
- *Website:* <https://gradcenter.arizona.edu/funding/office-fellowships/workshop-and-information-sessions>
- *Questions:* Contact Shelley Hawthorne Smith: shellh@arizona.edu

Spring 2024 Graduate Writing Lab Workshops

- Dissertation Forms and Formatting – Wednesday, March 20 at 9 am and Thursday, April 4 at 12 pm (both are Arizona time)
 - Register on Trellis to attend on March 20:
<https://events.trellis.arizona.edu/f441Nu67/5a3U6R211CC>
 - Register on Trellis to attend on April 4:
<https://events.trellis.arizona.edu/f441Nu67/5a3U6R211CD>

University of Arizona Grad Slam

Grad Slam is a campus-wide competition for the best 3-minute talk about student research and discovery. All disciplines are encouraged to participate. Presenters will be evaluated on their ability to convey in a compelling fashion the value of their research or creative work to a non-specialist audience within the 3-minute time limit. Awards range from \$1000 to \$3000. The

Graduate College offers workshops on developing and practicing your presentation, whether it be for Grad Slam, an upcoming conference, or dissertation defense.

- *Deadline:* Registration deadline is February 21. Preliminary rounds take place from March 26 through March 28.
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://gradcenter.arizona.edu/grad-slam>

Writing Efficiency Sessions (WES)

If you are working on an intensive writing project like a dissertation, thesis, journal article, or grant proposal and you would like to increase your writing productivity, consider joining Writing Efficiency Sessions. They are free to attend and can help you move ahead on your writing projects. WES offers a structured, yet laid-back group writing space. All sessions are on Zoom, and you are welcome to attend the entire period or just part of it. The sessions consist of timed writing sprints with short breaks followed by a short discussion aimed at helping you improve your writing productivity.

- *Deadline:* There is no deadline to participate in WES sessions, but you must register in order to gain access to the Zoom meeting information.
- *Weekly Dates/Times:* Mondays 2 – 4 pm, Tuesdays 9 – 11 am, Wednesdays 6 – 8 pm, and Thursdays 1 – 3 pm Arizona Time
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted

- *Website:* <https://gradcenter.arizona.edu/writing-communication/graduate-writing-lab/writing-efficiency-sessions>
- *Questions:* Email gradcenter@email.arizona.edu

General Funding Opportunities

Aga Khan Foundation for International Students

The Aga Khan Foundation's International Scholarship Programme (AKF ISP) is an opportunity for outstanding scholars from selected countries*, who have no other means of financing their studies, to pursue postgraduate education. The Foundation gives priority to requests for Master's level courses but is willing to consider applications for PhD programmes. AKF ISP awards are structured as half grant and half loan – where you need to repay 50 percent of the award amount. Scholarships for Master's studies are granted for the entire duration of the degree course. For PhD students, scholarships are awarded for the first two years, after which you are expected to find funding from alternative sources. The award covers your tuition fees and living expenses. It does not cover the cost of international travel, clothing, furniture, or living expenses for family members. In order to maintain an AKF ISP award, you need to demonstrate good academic standing, as well as ongoing financial need, during the course of your postgraduate programme. Note: preference is given to young professionals under 30 years of age.

- *Deadline:* March 31, 2024 (see website for country-specific deadlines)
- *Citizenship:* At present, the AKF ISP is available in Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Egypt, India, Kenya, Kyrgyz Republic, Madagascar, Mozambique, Pakistan, Syria, Tajikistan, Tanzania, and Uganda. (ii) In Canada, France, Portugal and the USA, applications are accepted from those who are originally from one of the countries listed above.
- *Website:* <https://www.akdn.org/our-agencies/aga-khan-foundation/international-scholarship-programme>

American Indian Alumni Tribal Nations Scholarship and Jonathan & Terilene Rios AIA/Tribal Nations Scholarship

Graduate students are encouraged to apply for either the Tribal Nations Scholarship or the Jonathan & Terilene Rios AIA/Tribal Nations Scholarship. They can now be found on Scholarship Universe. Please note, when you log into Scholarship Universe, we highly recommend you tailor your search! You can find the scholarship if you filter your search by typing "Tribal Nations Scholarship" into the main search bar.

- *Deadline:* April 8, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- *Website:* <https://arizonaalumni.com/scholar-program>

- *Apply on Scholarship Universe:*
<https://arizona.scholarshipuniverse.com/student/scholarship/153019?search=true>

American Indian College Fund Scholarship Program

The American Indian College Fund provides scholarships to American Indian and Alaska Native college students enrolled in certificate, undergraduate, or graduate program at tribal colleges and other nonprofit, accredited schools. To be eligible, students must be an enrolled member (or a descendant of one) of a federally or state-recognized tribe while demonstrating a cumulative grade point average of at least 2.00 and maintaining full-time enrollment.

- *Deadline:* May 31, 2024
- *Citizenship:* see above
- *Website:* <https://collegefund.org/students/scholarships/>

American Water Resources Association Awards and Scholarships

Established in 1964, the American Water Resources Association (AWRA) is the preeminent multidisciplinary association for information exchange, professional development and education about water resources and related issues. Each year, AWRA recognizes individuals, organizations, projects, state sections, and student chapters for outstanding leadership and service in the water resources profession. Individuals and organizations have an opportunity to nominate candidates in 11 different categories each spring, with awards presented during AWRA's annual conference in the fall.

- *Deadline:* Information about the 2024 application process will be released in early 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:*
https://www.awra.org/Members/Scholarship_and_Awards/Scholarship_and_Awards.aspx

Climate Assessment for the Southwest Environment & Society Fellowship

The Climate Assessment for the Southwest (CLIMAS) program is currently accepting applications for the 2024 Environment & Society Fellowship. This funding opportunity provides a \$4,750 stipend to University of Arizona graduate students to conduct collaborative environmental research. Proposed projects should incorporate an engaged research approach that meets a need expressed by a stakeholder, defined as an organization, community, or person affected by the research outcomes. Projects can fall under one or more of the following categories: scoping research, dissertation/thesis work, a discrete 1-year project, outreach, and/or network building. Competitive proposals will describe methods for stakeholder engagement and collaboration, examples of which include workshops, project meetings, co-development of data analyses, and writing reports or other outputs to meet stakeholder information needs.

- *Deadline:* February 28, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified

- *Website:* <https://climas.arizona.edu/content/environment-society-graduate-fellows-program>

Graduate Education Fund Australia to USA and USA to Australia Scholarships (graduate and postdocs)

The American Australian Association (AAA) established its Graduate Education Fund in 2002 to provide much needed financial support and assistance to American and Australian individuals to undertake innovative and transformational Masters, Ph.D. or Postdoctoral study and research in each other's countries respectively. Our American-Australian Education Fund scholarships support Masters, Ph.D., and Post-doctoral research in the fields of Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics, Health, Medicine, Journalism and Sustainability. In addition, we offer a number of Indigenous Graduate scholarships to support Native Americans and Indigenous Australians undertaking study in any disciplinary field in Australia and the United States, respectively. There are two scholarship application rounds offered each year (one in each direction): Australia to USA and USA to Australia.

- *Deadline:* March 31, 2024 (Australia to USA); September 30, 2024 (USA to Australia)
- *Citizenship:* U.S. and Australian citizens and permanent residents
- *Website:* <https://www.americanaustralian.org/scholarships/education-fund/>

GPSC Travel Grants, Research and Project Grants (ReaP), and Professional Opportunities Development (POD) Funding

GPSC offers Travel Grants, Research and Project Grants (ReaP), and Professional Opportunities Development (POD) Funding. This is an excellent time to work on these applications. The GPSC awards: Travel Grants for graduate and professional students who are attending or presenting research at academic or professional conferences or similar events; Research and Project Grants for graduate, professional, and undergraduate students who have a project proposal and principal investigator or project advisor; and Professional Opportunity and Development Grants to graduate and professional student groups for the purposes of holding academic seminars, conferences or similar events on campus.

- *Deadline:* April 15 for April 2024 round for ReaP funding; February 15, 2024 for POD funding
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://gpsc.arizona.edu/grantsawards>

Mathematica Policy Research Summer Fellowships

The Summer Fellowship Program at Mathematica welcomes doctoral students to spend 12 weeks at one of Mathematica's office locations. Fellows will work on their own independent research project (typically their dissertation), which will intersect with one or more of Mathematica's focus areas. Fellows will be mentored by senior staff, learn about Mathematica and its work, and have the opportunity to shadow Mathematica research projects and proposals. At the conclusion of the fellowship, fellows will present a seminar on their research project. Each fellow will receive a stipend of \$10,000, plus \$500 in project-related expenses. View some of the topics covered by prior visiting summer fellows.

- *Deadline:* February 29, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://www.mathematica.org/career-opportunities/summer-fellowships>

UArizona Campus Sustainability Fund

The Campus Sustainability Fund (CSF or Fund) is a program of the University of Arizona Office of Sustainability, established to provide funding support for large- and small-scale sustainability projects that build a more sustainable, equitable, and resilient future for the University of Arizona. The Campus Sustainability Fund (CSF) is a unique and non-traditional grant program of the Office of Sustainability and offers two types of grant opportunities: Mini Grants and Annual Grants. Eligible project proposals are diverse and can include projects that focus on waste reduction, energy use, social justice, and other efforts that meaningfully advance environmental and social sustainability on campus.

- *Deadline:* February 18, 2024(mini grants); TBD on annual grant deadline
- *Eligibility:* current members of the University community
- *Website:* <https://sustainability.arizona.edu/projects/campus-sustainability-fund>

UArizona Foreign Language & Area Studies Fellowships – Latin American Studies

The FLAS Fellowship is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Education under Title VI Grant. We seek to support graduate and undergraduate students whose academic program and/or career objectives focus on Latin America and who can demonstrate the value of language training to their studies and/or career. You can apply for an academic year fellowship, as well as summer funding for intensive language study. There is a language eligibility for each application: Portuguese (Academic Year and Summer Fellowships); Maya K'aqchikel and other indigenous languages (Summer Fellowships only). Candidates from all departments and professional schools are encouraged to apply. Award amounts include \$15,000 graduate stipend and a minimum of \$18,000 tuition for the Academic Year Fellowship and \$2,500 graduate stipend and up to \$5,000 tuition for the Summer Fellowship.

- *Deadline:* March 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizens, nationals, and permanent residents
- *Website:* <https://las.arizona.edu/flas>

UArizona Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) - Center for Middle Eastern Studies

Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Academic Year and Summer fellowships are awarded annually in Arabic, Hebrew, Persian, and Turkish to undergraduate and graduate students at the University of Arizona in any program/department who are pursuing Middle Eastern language and area studies. Funding is provided by the US Department of Education and awards are made through CMES.

- *Deadline:* February 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen, national resident, permanent resident alien
- *Website:* <https://cmes.arizona.edu/flas>

UA Tinker Field Research Grant

Need funding for your summer fieldwork in Latin America? Graduate students in any department can apply for funding through the Tinker Field Research Grant. Tinker Foundation Research Grants provide graduate students with travel funds (international and in-country) to Spanish and Portuguese-speaking Latin American or Caribbean countries as well as limited field research expenses. These awards allow students to acquire a comprehensive knowledge of language and culture, to familiarize themselves with information sources relevant to their studies; to conduct pilot studies and preliminary investigations, and to develop contacts with scholars and institutions in their fields. They are awarded by the university institutes/centers for brief periods of research in Iberia or Latin America and should reflect primarily the Foundation's broad areas of interest. Awards are limited to graduate students conducting pre-dissertation research.

- *Deadline:* March 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://las.arizona.edu/tinker>

Funding Opportunities in the Arts, Humanities, & Social Sciences

Alaskan Artist-in-Residence Program

The Voices of the Wilderness artist residency is a unique opportunity. It is modeled after traditional residencies in the national parks... with a twist. Instead of staying at a remote wilderness cabin, our participating artists are paired with a wilderness specialist and actively engaged in stewardship projects, such as research, monitoring, and education. The idea is to give artists a sense of the stewardship behind America's public lands, fostering an artistic exploration of these natural and cultural treasures. The hoped-for result is artwork that communicates something of the meaning of these lands. The purpose is to share with the community artwork that conveys the inspirational and other values of wilderness.

- *Deadline:* March 1, 2024 (AK Time)
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://www.fs.usda.gov/detail/r10/specialplaces/?cid=stelprd3820977>

Center for Chinese Studies Research Grant Program to Assist Foreign Scholars in Taiwan or Chinese Studies

This program is aimed at foreign professors, associate professors, assistant professors (including post-doctoral researchers) and doctoral candidates in departments related to Chinese studies at foreign universities, as well as researchers at related foreign academic institutes. The research should be undertaken in Taiwan, and be focused mainly on Taiwanese or Chinese studies. CCS

provides assistance with research expenses, research materials, liaising with universities and research institutions, and use of CCS facilities, etc. Research tenure is one month to one year.

- *Deadline:* May 31, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizenship or have eligibility to work on a full-time basis for a US employer (e.g., permanent residents, refugees, asylees, holders of Employment Authorization Document)
- *Website:* <https://ccs.ncl.edu.tw/ccs2/english/regulation.aspx>

Center on Budget and Policy Priorities State Policy Fellowship Program

The State Policy Fellowship program is a two-year research-oriented fellowship dedicated to making change through careful research, thoughtful advocacy, and strong partnerships in a state policy context. The Fellowship is a project of the State Priorities Partnership, a national network coordinated by the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities, one of the nation's premier policy institutes. Fellows will receive training and career development, will work with mentors, and will have access to ongoing opportunities for professional growth.

- *Deadline:* February 29, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified, but “candidates must be eligible to work full time in the United States for the two-year duration of the program.”
- *Website:* <https://www.cbpp.org/fellowship/state-policy-fellowship-program>

Charles Redd Center for Western Studies (various fellowships and awards)

The mission of the Charles Redd Center for Western Studies is to promote the study of the Intermountain West by sponsoring research, publication, teaching, and public programs in a variety of academic disciplines including history, geography, sociology, anthropology, politics, economics, literature, art, folklore, range science, forestry, biology, and popular culture. The center provides awards, fellowships, and grants in a variety of categories to individuals engaged in a wide variety of disciplines. To apply for an award, please view the website for links to specific fellowships and awards.

- *Deadline:* March 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* See specific opportunity
- *Website:* <https://reddcentergrants.byu.edu/>

Cuban Heritage Collection (CHC) Goizueta Foundation Graduate Fellowship Program

The Goizueta Foundation Graduate Fellowship Program provides assistance for supporting doctoral research at the Cuban Heritage Collection (CHC). The goal of the Goizueta Graduate Fellowships is to engage emerging scholars with the materials available in the CHC and thus contribute to the larger body of scholarship in Cuban and Cuban diaspora studies. Applicants with an interdisciplinary approach to the study of Cuba and its diaspora, of any time period are encouraged to apply.

- *Deadline:* February 29, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. Citizens, permanent residents, and foreign nationals residing in the U.S. on F-1 student visas in a doctoral program

- *Website:* <https://www.library.miami.edu/chc/fellows.html>

Gerda Henkel Stiftung/Gerda Henkel Foundation General Research Grants: Projects

Funding activities concentrate on German and foreign academics in the fields of historical humanities. Starting in 2015, the Foundation has with its “Patrimonies” funding initiative focused more strongly on the preservation of cultural heritage, specifically in regions experiencing crisis. Funds are provided for specific temporary research projects by way of grants for personnel, travel and material expenses (not for individual journeys to participate in conferences); research and PhD scholarships for German and foreign scholars (not for studies under PhD level); and publications of particularly successful projects supported by the Foundation. Eligible fields include archeology, history of art, historical Islamic studies, history, history of science, history of law, and prehistory/early history.

- *Deadline:* May 22, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* https://www.gerda-henkel-stiftung.de/en/general-research-grants-projects?page_id=32

Houston Center for Contemporary Craft Residency Program

Applicants must be able to fulfill a program requirement of working in their studios for two days per week during HCCC public hours. All resident artists are required to open their studios to public interaction on Saturdays and one other day of the week (TBD), as well as during exhibition openings and specific educational programs on the evenings and weekends. Media accepted includes wood, glass, metal, fiber, and clay. Applicants should consider the public-facing nature of the residencies and the fact that a major goal of the program is to provide visitors with an opportunity to explore contemporary craft through engaging with working artists. Benefits of the residency include 24/7 access to studio space, cultural and professional development opportunities, a monthly stipend that includes a small housing/materials allowance, and the opportunity to give an artist talk.

- *Deadline:* March 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* International applicants must provide proof of eligibility to work in the U.S.— green card or appropriate visa—with application.
- *Website:* <https://www.crafthouston.org/artists/residents/apply-to-program/>

Japanese Association of University Women (JAUW) International Fellowship Program

The Japanese Association of University Women (JAUW) announces the availability of fellowships for women who are carrying out or would like to carry out independent research or advanced study at the postgraduate level in Japan. Applicants must be non-Japanese women below the age of 45 as of March 31, 2024. Applicants must have received a Master’s degree or above. Applicants must have an acceptance letter from a host institution in Japan. They will be able to spend a period of time (4-6 months) in residence in a research institute /university in Japan.

- *Deadline:* March 31, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Applicants must reside outside Japan at the time of application.
- *Website:* <http://www.jauw.org/english/fellowship.html>

Kerouac Project Residencies for Writers

The Kerouac Project provides four residencies a year to writers of any stripe or age, living anywhere in the world. We encourage BIPOC and LGBTQ writers to apply. In the past we have accepted writers with no formal writing education alongside those with MFA's and impressive résumés. You will be judged on the quality of the writing sample you submit. Each residency consists of approximately a two month stay in the cottage where Jack Kerouac wrote his novel Dharma Bums. Utilities and a food stipend of \$600 are included. As writer-in-residence, all you are required to do is live in the Kerouac House during your residency, work on your writing project, and participate in four events: a Welcome Potluck dinner for you, two creative workshops to host, and a Final Reading of your work at the Kerouac House at the end of your residency. Should you desire them, the Kerouac Project can also offer opportunities for you to participate in other readings, lead more workshops, and interact in other ways with the vibrant Central Florida literary community.

- *Deadline:* April 14, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://www.kerouacproject.org/submissions/>

Lemmermann Foundation Scholarship Award (for research related to Rome)

The Lemmermann Foundation offers scholarships in the classical studies and humanities to Master's and doctoral students. Topic of research must be related to Rome and the Roman culture of any period, from the Pre-Roman period to the present day time. Applicants must provide evidence for their need to study and carry out research in Rome.

- *Deadline:* March 31, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://lemmermann-foundation.org/lemmermann-foundation-2022-fellowship-award/>

Linguistics Program - Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Awards (Ling-DDRI)

Through its competitive grants competitions, the Linguistics Program of the U.S. National Science Foundation seeks to advance basic understanding and methods in the study of language. The Linguistics Program expects that the research it supports will draw upon and enhance fundamental theory in linguistics, and it will encourage and support potentially transformative research that has potential larger-scale, longer-term significance for both basic understanding and for societal benefit. Doctoral dissertation research improvement (DDRI) awards provide support to enhance and improve the dissertation projects conducted by doctoral students enrolled in U.S.

- *Deadline:* July 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted; the applicant is the university
- *Website:* <https://beta.nsf.gov/funding/opportunities/linguistics-program-doctoral-dissertation-research-improvement-grants-ling>

Marilyn Blatt Young Dissertation Completion Fellowship

Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations (SHAFR) invites applications for its dissertation completion fellowship. SHAFR will make one year-long award in the amount of \$25,000 each, to support the writing and completion of the doctoral dissertation in each academic year. This highly competitive fellowship will support the most promising doctoral candidates in the final phase of completing their dissertations. Applicants should be candidates for the PhD in a humanities or social science doctoral program (most likely history), must have been admitted to candidacy, and must be at the writing stage, with all substantial research completed by the time of the award. Applicants should be working on a topic in the field of U.S. foreign relations history or international history, broadly defined, and must be current members of SHAFR.

- *Deadline:* April 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://members.shafr.org/dissertation-completion-fellowship>

Ruth Lilly and Dorothy Sargent Rosenberg Poetry Fellowships

The Poetry Foundation awards five Ruth Lilly and Dorothy Sargent Rosenberg Poetry Fellowships annually. Among the largest awards offered to young poets in the US, the \$27,000 prize is intended to support exceptional US poets between 21 and 31 years of age. The fellowships were established in 1989 by the Indianapolis philanthropist Ruth Lilly and expanded in 2013 with a gift from the Dorothy Sargent Rosenberg Memorial Fund.

- *Deadline:* April 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Must reside in the U.S. or be U.S. citizen
- *Website:* <https://www.poetryfoundation.org/foundation/prizes-fellowship>

Ucross Foundation Fellowship for Native American Visual Artists

In July 2017, Ucross announced a new initiative to support the work of contemporary Native American visual artists at all stages in their professional careers. The Ucross Fellowship for Native American Visual Artists is open to disciplines that include but are not limited to painting, sculpture, printmaking, photography, video, performance art, installation, ceramics, and collaborative projects involving multiple disciplines. Two Ucross Fellowships for Native American Visual Artists are awarded each year. Those selected for the fellowship are offered a four-week residency, a stipend of \$2,000, and a featured gallery exhibition at Ucross the following year.

- *Deadline:* Opens May 1, 2024; deadline July 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Applicants must be an enrolled member of a state-recognized or federally-recognized Tribe, Pueblo, Nation, Native Community, Political Entity or Alaskan Native Village.
- *Website:* <https://www.ucrossfoundation.org/native-american-fellowships.html>

Wenner-Gren Dissertation Fieldwork Grants

This grant program funds doctoral or thesis research that advances anthropological knowledge. Our goal is to support vibrant and significant work that furthers our understanding of what it means to be human. There is no preference for any methodology, research location, topic, or subfield. The Foundation particularly welcomes proposals that integrate two or more subfields and pioneer new approaches and ideas. The maximum Dissertation Fieldwork Grant is \$25,000.

- *Deadline:* May 1 (for project start dates between January 1 and June 30 of the following year) and November 1 (for project start dates between July 1 and December 31 of the following year)
- *Citizenship:* Qualified students of any nationality or institutional affiliation may apply.
- *Website:* <https://wennergren.org/program/dissertation-fieldwork-grant/>

Funding Opportunities in Science & Engineering

AFCEA Ralph W. Shrader Graduate Diversity Scholarship

AFCEA's focus is on STEM/hard sciences - information technology, cybersecurity, telecommunications electronics supporting defense, homeland security and intelligence communities. Scholarships of \$3,000 will be awarded to full-time students (women and minority students), enrolled in their second semester and at least two semester-equivalent courses) currently pursuing a graduate degree at any accredited academic institution in the United States and living in the United States in an eligible major that supports the mission of AFCEA Educational Foundation. Expected graduation date cannot be in the year the scholarship is awarded.

- *Deadline:* May 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen
- *Website* <https://www.afcea.org/shrader-graduate-diversity>

Argonne National Laboratory Graduate Research Program

Graduate Research Program (GRP) appointments are available to qualified U.S. and non-U.S. university graduate students who wish to carry out their thesis research at Argonne National Laboratory under the co-sponsorship of an Argonne staff member and a faculty member at the student's home institution. This program provides Master's and Ph.D. level candidates an opportunity to conduct work within an Argonne research group or on a specific project for the purpose of supporting the student's thesis work. The university sets the academic standards and awards the degree. In practice, the participation of the faculty member varies from full

partnership in the research to general supervision of the student's thesis work. The Argonne staff member keeps the faculty member at the university informed on the student's progress.

- *Deadline:* Rolling; should be submitted at least one month prior to proposed start date
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://www.anl.gov/education/graduate-research-program>

Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Computational & Data Science Fellowships

ACM SIGHPC has created the Computational and Data Science Fellowships, a continuation of the program started with Intel to increase the diversity of students pursuing graduate degrees in data science and computational science. Specifically targeted at women or students from racial/ethnic backgrounds that have not traditionally participated in the computing field, the program is open to students pursuing degrees at institutions anywhere in the world. Applicants must be pursuing a graduate degree in computational or data science, Less than halfway through her/his planned program of study and nominated by the student's advisor.

- *Deadline:* April 30, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://www.sighpc.org/for-your-career/fellowships>

Association for Women Geoscientists Jeanne E. Harris Chrysalis Scholarship

The Jeanne E. Harris Chrysalis Scholarship provides degree-completion funding for women geoscience graduate students whose education has been significantly interrupted by life circumstances. Awarded funds are intended to cover costs associated with completion of her thesis/dissertation, beyond what is traditionally covered by primary research funding. Costs may include drafting expenses, child-care, defense travel, late-stage research and analyses (incurred due to the interruption), or anything necessary to assist a candidate during those critical, final days.

- *Deadline:* March 31, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unspecified
- *Website:* <https://www.awg.org/page/ScholarshipsandAwards>

CDC Evaluation Fellowship Program

The CDC Evaluation Fellowship Program aims to expand the capacity of CDC programs to conduct evaluation and increase its usefulness and impact. The Fellowship signifies CDC's dual commitment to making program evaluation a standard part of practice and to developing a cadre of professionals with the skills to make that happen. Fellows are doctoral or master's degree professionals with backgrounds in evaluation, behavioral and social sciences, public health, and other disciplines relevant to evaluation and CDC's work. The Evaluation Fellowship offers a unique training opportunity with clear expectations and supportive resources, including professional development funds provided by the host program. In this experiential learning

model, Fellows learn evaluation skills working in their host program while helping their host program build, expand, and/or improve their evaluation activities.

- *Deadline:* February 20, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen, permanent resident with green card status
- *Website:* <https://www.cdc.gov/evaluation-fellowship/index.html>

Dwight David Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship Program (DDETFP) Graduate Fellowship

The DDETFP Graduate Fellowship provides funding for students to pursue master's or doctoral degrees in transportation-related disciplines. The goals of these Grants are to 1) attract the Nation's brightest minds to the field of transportation, 2) enhance the careers of transportation professionals by encouraging them to seek advanced degrees, and 3) bring and retain top talent in the transportation industry of the U.S.

- *Deadline:* March 22, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://www.grants.gov/search-results-detail/352092>

Foundation for Food and Agriculture Research (FFAR) Fellows Program

The FFAR Fellows Program was established to provide professional development and career guidance to the next generation of food and agriculture scientists across the Foundation for Food and Agriculture's Challenge Areas and strategic initiatives. By providing early career support to graduate students, the program cultivates supportive relationships between graduate students and industry, government, and NGO peers to equip students with the skills needed to facilitate their transition to the workforce and prepare future leaders for food and agriculture. Fellows will be co-mentored over the 3-year program by university and industry representatives and engage with their peers in professional development programming both virtually and at five one-week residential sessions. Each applicant must have a financial sponsor who will provide 50% of the cost of the fellowship.

- *Deadline:* February 22, 2024 (Stipend + Professional Development) and April 15, 2024 (Professional Development Category)
- *Citizenship:* Residency or study visa
- *Website:* <https://ffarfellows.org/apply/>

Global Sustainable Electricity Partnership for Students from Developing Countries

Our scholars are exceptional master's students from developing countries studying in sustainable energy development. Today, the need for globally-oriented practitioners and researchers is growing rapidly. Our one-of-a-kind scholarship program fosters the next generation of energy, climate, and electricity sector specialists who will be prepared to tackle the challenges of the future.

- *Deadline:* April 7, 2023
- *Citizenship:* Applicants must be a citizen of a developing country/territory on the [List of official development aid recipients identified by the Development Co-operation Directorate \(DAC\) of the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development \(OECD\)](#)
- *Website:* <https://www.globalelectricity.org/scholarship/how-to-apply/>

Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics

Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory (SAO) brings together scientists for research in astrophysics and related fields. Applicants in theory, observation, instrument development, or laboratory experiments at a university or college are strongly encouraged to apply to this program. The program is designed for graduate students wishing to carry out all or part of their thesis research at the Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory. Therefore, applicants must have completed preliminary coursework and examinations prior to the start of the SAO Predoctoral Program. The SAO Predoctoral Fellowship is awarded for a period of six months or more dependent on the project. It is possible to renew or extend a SAO Predoctoral Fellowship Award based on the availability of funding, satisfactory progress, and the agreement of both the home institution advisor and the SAO advisor.

- *Deadline:* Rolling, but all applications must be submitted at least three months prior to the intended appointment start date.
- *Citizenship:* Open to all qualified applicants who are English-speaking citizens of all nations
- *Website:* <https://www.cfa.harvard.edu/opportunities/fellowships/predoc/overview.html>

Idaho National Laboratory (INL) Graduate Internships

Graduate internships at INL offer a great opportunity to explore research topics. Internships are primarily awarded to qualified masters and doctoral degree candidates in science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) fields. Qualified candidates in other areas, however, are also considered. INL's internship terms are designed to match a typical university term, lasting anywhere from 10 to 16 weeks. Summer interns should come to INL expecting to work 40 hours. There is, however, flexibility within that 40-hour workweek to assist interns with scheduling conflicts, if needed. INL interns are paid a nationally competitive wage that is based on the number of credits they have earned and degree program they are enrolled in.

- *Deadline:* Varies
- *Citizenship:* See opportunity
- *Website:* <https://inl.gov/inl-initiatives/education/graduate-internships/>

Institute of Food Technologists Feeding Tomorrow Scholarships

Feeding Tomorrow awards annual scholarships to students pursuing a graduate degree in a variety of disciplines within the science of food. Please see the list of available scholarships and remember to verify your eligibility and review the application requirements. Applicant's school of enrollment can be any educational institution conducting fundamental investigations for the

advancement of food science and food technology, unless there are stated exceptions of scholarship criteria for sponsored scholarships.

- *Deadline:* February 26, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://www.ift.org/community/students/scholarships.aspx>

Oak Ridge Institute Food and Drug Administration Internships and Fellowships

The Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE) is accepting applications for paid internship and fellowship opportunities at the US Food and Drug Administration (FDA), including the Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, the National Center for Toxicological Research, and the Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition, among others.

- *Deadline:* See opportunity
- *Citizenship:* See opportunity
- *Website:* <https://orise.orau.gov/fda/current-research-opportunities.html>

Soil Science Society of America Graduate Student Opportunities

The Soil Science Society of America (SSSA) is a progressive international scientific society that fosters the transfer of knowledge and practices to sustain global soils. SSSA offers various graduate student awards. Funding opportunities include the fields of soil biology, dryland soil management, soil-water-crop-climate process interactions, and agronomy. Funding types are fellowships, scholarships, and travel awards.

- *Deadline:* Nominations are due by March 19, 2024 at the earliest (see opportunity)
- *Citizenship:* Varies, see opportunity
- *Website:* <https://www.soils.org/awards/view>

UArizona/NASA Space Grant Graduate Outreach Fellowships

The goals of the Fellowship Program are to encourage individuals to pursue graduate education in a STEM field, support NASA-related research happening at the University of Arizona, and increase science communication and outreach. Fellowships are competitively awarded and recognize students for their high achievements and academic merit. Space Grant Fellowships prioritize the ability to communicate and present scientific research to the public, an important skill in sharing NASA's research with our community. The UArizona Space Grant Program is offering two application tracks to receive a Space Grant Fellowship. These tracks include a "Research Track" and "Outreach Track." In AY24-25, awards will include full in- and out-of-state tuition coverage and a stipend of at least \$22,838. Fellows may apply for a second year of funding.

- *Deadline:* Applications available February 12, 2024, and are due April 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen
- *Website:* <https://spacegrant.arizona.edu/students/fellowships>

Postdoctoral Opportunities

APHL-CDC Public Health Fellowship (graduates and postdocs)

Association of Public Health Laboratories and the Center for Disease Control offer a variety of laboratory fellowship programs to train and prepare scientists for careers in public health laboratories and to support public health initiatives. The Public Health Laboratory Fellowship Program offers a competency-based core curriculum, while allowing fellows to gain a depth of understanding about a particular focus area. Fellowship terms are one year, with a possible extension for a second year, depending on the fellowship and funding availability. APHL offers flexible start dates, two per month, to meet your and your mentor's needs. The fellowship program covers a variety of topics.

- *Deadline:* Rolling deadline for year-long fellowships; March 29, 2024, for Summer 2024 internships
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- *Website:* <https://www.aphl.org/Career-Pathways/fellowships/Pages/default.aspx>

California Council on Science and Technology Policy Fellows Program

Every year, California decision makers must make critical decisions on a number of complex and dynamic issues facing our state, such as the state's water supply, energy grid, and public health. To help address this, the CCST Science & Technology Policy Fellows program annually recruits and trains a cohort of fifteen PhD scientists and engineers to spend one year working in Sacramento, directly serving decision makers within the California State Legislature and Executive Branch. During their year of public service, these scientific minds get a front-row seat learning about the craft and process of policymaking in the state of California. CCST S&T Policy Fellows work alongside decision makers to evaluate complex scientific issues and interpret data, while tackling the responsibilities of full-time staffers.

- *Deadline:* March 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Applicants must be legally authorized to work full-time in the United States as a U.S. citizen or national, asylee, refugee, or lawful permanent resident.
- *Website:* <https://ccst.us/ccst-science-fellows-program/frequently-asked-questions/>

Clean Energy Innovator Fellowship – Department of Energy

The Clean Energy Innovator Fellowship program funds recent graduates and energy professionals to work with critical energy organizations to advance clean energy solutions. The program recruits talent from diverse backgrounds to spend up to two years supporting the work of eligible host organizations, which include electric public utility commissions, municipal and cooperative utilities, and grid operators, such as regional transmission organizations or independent system operators. Innovator Fellows receive a stipend and an educational allowance to support host institution projects that will help decarbonize the power system, electrify transportation and industry, and make the U.S. power system more equitable and inclusive.

- *Deadline:* Rolling (multiple cohorts). Applications available March 5, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident
- *Website:* <https://www.energy.gov/eere/clean-energy-innovator-fellowship>

Damon Runyon Cancer Research Foundation Fellowship Award

The Foundation encourages all theoretical and experimental research relevant to the study of cancer and the search for cancer causes, mechanisms, therapies and prevention. Candidates must apply for the fellowship under the guidance of a Sponsor—a scientist (tenured, tenure-track or equivalent position) capable of providing mentorship to the Fellow. In addition to aiding in the planning, execution and supervision of the proposed research, the Sponsor’s role is to foster the development of the Fellow’s overall knowledge, technical and analytical skills, and capacity for scientific inquiry. The Sponsor is also expected to assist the Fellow in attaining his/her career goals.

- *Deadline:* March 15, 2024
- *Citizenship:* “Foreign candidates may apply to do their research only in the United States.”
- *Website:* <https://www.damonrunyon.org/for-scientists/application-guidelines/fellowship>

Experimental Psychology Society (EPS) Grants for Study Visits

This scheme aims to help finance postgraduate and postdoctoral research in experimental psychology. Awards will pay for travel to and accommodation at another institution outside an individual’s academic base. The purpose of the visit is to develop the applicant’s research skills, and may involve learning first-hand about experimental procedures employed in the host laboratory, or designing and running studies that cannot already be carried out in the applicant’s home department. Awards will not be granted for work which forms an integral part of an existing Ph.D. research project, nor for work which would normally be funded by other bodies (e.g., the applicant’s award-granting body or home institution). To apply for an EPS Study Visit, either the researcher’s home institution or the institution to be visited, or both, must be in the UK.

- *Deadline:* March 1, June 1, September 1, December 1
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://eps.ac.uk/study-visit-grants/>

Hunt Postdoctoral Fellowship

Hunt Postdoctoral Fellowships (writing) provide up to \$40,000 towards the writing-up of already completed research. The fellowship is awarded to early career scholars, who frequently lack the time and resources they need to publish their work. Applicants should be no more than twelve years beyond their PhD, with allowances made for periods of caregiving, and have a doctorate in anthropology or an equivalent field. A maximum of eight Hunt Postdoctoral Fellowships are awarded annually. By providing funds for scholars to devote themselves full-time to writing, the Foundation aims to enable a new generation of scholars to publish significant works that will impact the development of anthropology. The program contributes to the Foundation's overall mission to support basic research in anthropology and to ensure that the discipline continues to

be a source of vibrant and significant work that furthers our understanding of humanity's cultural and biological origins, development, and variation. The Foundation supports research that demonstrates a clear link to anthropological theory and debates, and promises to make a solid contribution to advancing these ideas. There is no preference for any methodology, research location, or subfield. The Foundation particularly welcomes proposals that employ a comparative perspective, can generate innovative approaches or ideas, and/or integrate two or more subfields.

- *Deadline:* May 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* Unrestricted
- *Website:* <https://wennergren.org/grants-fellowships/>

Intelligence Community (IC) Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Program

The Intelligence Community (IC) Postdoctoral Research Fellowship Program offers scientists and engineers from a wide variety of disciplines unique opportunities to conduct research in a wide range of topics relevant to the Intelligence Community. The research is conducted by the Postdocs, while working in partnership with a Research Advisor and collaborating with an advisor from the Intelligence Community. The Program supports postdocs to conduct research at universities, colleges, and U.S. government laboratories throughout the United States. In partnership with the Research Advisor, the Postdoc composes and submits a technical proposal that responds to a research opportunity.

- *Deadline:* February 28, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen
- *Website:* <https://orise.orau.gov/icpostdoc/current-opportunities.html>

National Aeronautics & Space Administration (NASA) Postdoctoral Fellowship

The NASA Postdoctoral Program (NPP) provides early-career and more senior scientists the opportunity to share in NASA's mission, to reach for new heights and reveal the unknown so that what we do and learn will benefit all humankind. NASA Postdoctoral Fellows work on 1 to 3 year assignments with NASA scientists and engineers at NASA centers and institutes to advance NASA's missions in earth science, heliophysics, planetary science, astrophysics, space bioscience, aeronautics, engineering, human exploration and space operations, astrobiology, and science management. NASA Postdoctoral Program Fellows contribute to our national scientific exploration, confirm NASA's leadership in fundamental research, and complement the efforts of NASA's partners in the national science community.

- *Deadline:* March 1, 2024
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen, permanent residents, Foreign national eligible for an Exchange Visitor J-1 Visa status, and Applicant for LPR, asylee, or refugee in the U.S. at the time of application with 1) a valid EAD card and 2) I-485 or I-589 forms in pending status.
- *Website:* <https://npp.orau.org/index.html>

Ruth L. Kirschstein Postdoctoral Individual National Research Service Award

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) offers up to 3 years of fellowship support for postdoctoral scholars interested in biomedical and behavioral research. The purpose of the Ruth

L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Postdoctoral Fellowship is to enhance the research training of promising postdoctoral candidates who have the potential to become productive, independent investigators in scientific health-related research fields relevant to the missions of the participating NIH Institutes and Centers. Awards are made to individual applicants for specific training proposals. The scholarship is named after Dr. Ruth L. Kirschstein. Aside from Dr. Kirschstein's scientific accomplishments in polio vaccine development, and becoming the first woman director of an NIH Institute, she was a champion of research training and a strong advocate for the inclusion of underrepresented individuals in the scientific workforce.

- *Deadline:* April 8, August 8, December 8 annually
- *Citizenship:* U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- *Website:* <https://researchtraining.nih.gov/programs/fellowships/F32>

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