

Dear Graduate Students,

Welcome back to campus! This month I have highlighted opportunities from several libraries, from the Social Security Administration, NIH, and the Open Society Foundation. If you are doing dissertation research abroad and are interested in the Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad Fellowship, please contact me as soon as possible! Read on below for many opportunities.

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Apply to Participate in the UA Student Showcase

Around one hundred students participate in this exhibition of undergraduate and graduate scholarship demonstrating the wide spectrum of University student research projects. Student Showcase offers students a significant forum for communicating the importance of their research to the broader University of Arizona community. Categories include: Community & Society, Creative Expression, Education, and Research. Over 15,000 in prizes will be awarded!

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: January 30

Website: <http://gpsc.arizona.edu/student-showcase>

Let us know if you are interested in the Fulbright-Hays Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad (FH DDRA) Fellowship

The purpose of the FH DDRA fellowship is to contribute to the development and improvement of the study of modern foreign languages and area studies in the U.S. by supporting full-time dissertation research abroad. Research projects must focus on one or more of the following geographic areas: Africa, East Asia, Southeast Asia and the Pacific Islands, South Asia, the Near East, Central and Eastern Europe and Eurasia, and the Western Hemisphere. Research in Western Europe and the U.S. and its territories is not supported by this grant. Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents.

For more information on the fellowship: <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/iegpsddrap/index.html>

Please let us know if you are interested: <https://grad.arizona.edu/ofce/fulbright-hays-doctoral-dissertation-research-abroad-interest-form>

You can also learn about applying to the FH DDRA in an information session:

When: Tuesday, January 18, 2017

Where: University Services Building Room 214

General Funding Opportunities

Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Public Policy and Graduate Fellowship Program

The CHCI Public Policy Fellowship Program offers talented Latinos, who have earned a bachelor's degree within two years of the program start date, the opportunity to gain hands-on experience at the national level in public policy.

The Graduate Fellowship Program offers exceptional Latinos who have earned a graduate degree or higher related to a chosen policy issue area within three years of program start date unparalleled exposure to hands-on experience in public policy. This program focuses specifically on the areas of: Higher Education, Secondary Education, Health, Housing, Law, and STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math). This unique fellowship program seeks to enhance participants' leadership abilities, strengthen professional skills, and increase the presence of Latinos in public policy areas.

Citizenship: U.S. citizens, lawful permanent residents, asylees, or individuals who are lawfully authorized to work full-time without restriction for any U.S. employer

Deadline: February 3 and 10

Website: <http://www.chci.org/fellowships/>

Dartmouth College Dissertation Fellowships for Underrepresented Scholars

Dartmouth College invites applications for the Cesar Chavez/Charles A. Eastman/Thurgood Marshall Dissertation Fellowships from US citizens who plan careers in college or university teaching. The goal of the Chavez/Eastman/Marshall fellowship program is to promote student and faculty diversity at Dartmouth, and throughout higher education, by supporting completion of the doctorate by underrepresented minority scholars (including African-American, Latina/o, and Native American scholars) and other graduate scholars with a demonstrated commitment and ability to advance educational diversity. Fellows may be pursuing the Ph.D. degree in any discipline or area taught in the Dartmouth undergraduate Arts and Sciences curriculum.

Citizenship: US citizen

Deadline: February 1

Website: <https://graduate.dartmouth.edu/admissions-financial-aid/eastmanmarshall-dissertation-fellowship>

EPA Environmental Research and Business Support Program

The EPA Environmental Research and Business Support Program provides opportunities for exceptional undergraduate and graduate students and recent bachelor's, master's, and postdoctoral graduates to participate in the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Office of Research and Development (ORD) research and administrative projects at multiple EPA laboratories and research centers.

Citizenship: Must be able to work legally in the US

Deadline: See specific opportunities

Website: <http://www.orau.org/epa/default.aspx>

Norway-American Association Scholarships

The purpose of the scholarships is to provide financial support for Americans to study in Norway. By supporting post-graduate study or research in areas of mutual importance to Norway and the United States we hope to bring the two countries closer. By awarding scholarships to American students or researchers, knowledge and understanding will increase, and it will

strengthen the ties of friendship between the two countries. Fellowships are offered to Americans and Norwegians for a year of graduate, post-doctoral, or professional study/research.

Citizenship: USA

Deadline: April 1, 2017

Website: <http://noram.no/en/scholarship-americans/>

Smithsonian Institution National Air and Space Museum Summer Internship Program

Our Summer Internship Program offers an opportunity to gain work experience in a wide variety of disciplines. Interns learn firsthand about the historic artifacts and archival materials housed in the Museum and study the scientific and technological advances they represent. Each year, positions are available in a variety of Museum areas such as aircraft restoration, aviation or space history, planetary science, collections management, web and new media, exhibit and graphic design, public relations, budget and finance, architecture and engineering, and education. Students from all fields of study are encouraged to apply.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: February 15, 2017

Website: <http://airandspace.si.edu/research/internships/>

Smithsonian Minority Visiting Students

Through the Minority Student Awards Program the Office of Fellowships offers internships and visiting student awards to increase participation of U.S. minority groups who are underrepresented in Smithsonian scholarly programs, in the disciplines of research conducted at the Institution, and in the museum field. Visiting Student Awards are available for currently enrolled advanced graduate students. Visiting Students pursue independently designed research projects in association with Smithsonian staff. Students should contact the Office of Fellowships for application information.

Deadlines: February 1 (for Summer and Fall); October 1 (for Spring)

Website: <http://www.smithsonianofi.com/internship-opportunities/minority-awards-program/>

Funding Opportunities in the Humanities/Arts/Social Sciences

Arizona Commission on the Arts Professional Development Grants

Professional Development Grants (PDG) are designed to assist Arizona artists, arts administrators and arts educators with funding support for participation in professional development and skills-building activities which contribute to significant professional growth. Learning activities include (but are not limited to) the following: participation in conferences or symposia; artist or administrator residencies; training with mentors/master artists. Learning activities must be structured and documentable. Residencies and training opportunities are eligible activities, provided the applicant has been invited or accepted and will be a participant, not solely a deliverer of learning or programming. Applicants must make a compelling case as to why a particular self-identified learning activity was selected and how it will have a substantial impact on their work and/or community.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Deadline: February 2, 2017

Website: <http://azarts.gov/grant/professional-development/>

Arthur and Elizabeth Schlesinger Library on the History of Women in America Dissertation Grants – Radcliffe Institute for Advanced Study

The Arthur and Elizabeth Schlesinger Library on the History of Women in America invites scholars whose dissertation research requires use of the library's collections to apply for research support. Applications will be evaluated on the significance of the research and the project's potential contribution to the advancement of knowledge as well as its creativity in drawing on the library's holdings. Grants of up to \$3,000 will be given on a competitive basis.

Citizenship: unrestricted

Deadline: February 1, 2017

Website: <https://www.radcliffe.harvard.edu/schlesinger-library/grants>

Association for Asian Studies (AAS) and Inner Asia Council (CIAC) Small Grants

The China and Inner Asia Council of the AAS (CIAC) is soliciting applications for awards of up to \$2,000. Dissertation-level graduate students and scholars with special interests in China or Inner Asia are invited to submit proposals.

Eligibility: open

Deadline: February 1, 2017

Website: <https://www.asian-studies.org/Grants-and-Awards/CIAC>

Confluencer Director's Discretionary Fund

The Director's Fund for Excellence awards are intended to provide critical support for short-term collaborative projects, especially those that reflect an interdisciplinary orientation or a commitment to public outreach. In the past, these awards have supported interdisciplinary conferences and symposia, public engagement events, and visiting researchers and speakers sponsored by multiple departments. The Director's Fund for Excellence awards are available to UA faculty and graduate students in the Colleges of Fine Arts, Humanities and Social and Behavioral Sciences.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: January 20, 2017

Website: <http://www.confluencecenter.arizona.edu/directors-fund>

Confluencer Graduate Fellowships

Confluencer Graduate Fellowships support both innovative and creative research by funding exploratory work and/or projects generated by students in the arts, humanities or social sciences. Since these fellowships are limited one-time awards, applicants should propose activities that can be completed during one academic year. All projects must be finished by July 2018.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: February 17, 2017

Website: <http://www.confluencecenter.arizona.edu/graduate-fellowship>

Cuban Heritage Foundation Summer and Graduate Fellowships

The Cuban Heritage Collection (CHC) Fellowships program provides assistance to students and scholars who wish to use the research resources available in the Cuban Heritage Collection at the University of Miami. The goal of the CHC Fellowships is to engage scholars with the materials available in the Cuban Heritage Collection and thus contribute to the larger body of scholarship in Cuban, hemispheric, and international studies.

Citizenship: Not specified

Deadline: February 1, 2017

Website: <http://library.miami.edu/chc/fellows/>

Gerald P Ford Library Travel Grants

The Gerald R. Ford Presidential Foundation awards grants of up to \$2,200 each in support of research in the holdings of the Gerald R. Ford Library. A grant defrays travel and living expenses of a research trip to the Ford Library. Overseas applicants are welcome to apply, but they will be responsible for the costs of travel between their home country and North America. The grants only cover travel within North America. Library collections focus on Federal policies, U.S. foreign relations, and national politics in the 1960s and 1970s. There are earlier and later materials depending upon your topic.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: March 15

Website: <https://www.fordlibrarymuseum.gov/library/foundationgrants.asp>

Library Company of Philadelphia Program in Early American Economy and Society Fellowships

The Program in Early American Economy and Society (PEAES) at the Library Company of Philadelphia invites applications for dissertation and short-term fellowships during 2016-2017. These research fellowships are designed to promote scholarship in early American economy and society, broadly defined, from its colonial beginnings to the 1850s. Possible research topics include Atlantic and global connections of the American economy; its commerce, business, technology, manufacturing, agriculture, internal development, or political economy; the history of race and the economy, capitalism, households, or gendered economies. All fellows are expected to be resident in Philadelphia and conduct research in the area for the duration of awards. Applicants for the post-doctoral and dissertation fellowships may submit proposals based not only on the extensive collections at the Library Company, but also on the printed and manuscript materials of other institutions in the Philadelphia area. Short-term fellows will spend a continuous month of research at the Library Company.

Deadline: March 1

Website: <http://www.librarycompany.org/Economics/efellowships.htm>

Mister Rogers Memorial Scholarship

The scholarship is open to undergraduate and graduate students (Masters or Ph.D.) of accredited colleges or universities. Applicants must demonstrate a commitment — through coursework or experience — to any combination of at least two of the following fields: early childhood education, child development/child psychology, film/television production, music, animation, production of cross-platform entertainment. Applicant must have the ultimate goal of working in children's media.

Eligibility: Must be enrolled in a U.S. institution

Deadline: January 31, 2017

Website: <http://www.emmysfoundation.org/fred-rogers-memorial-scholarship>

Padnos Museum Internship Program at the Gerald R. Ford Presidential Museum

The highly rewarding and fiercely competitive field of museum work requires more than classroom study for entry. Increasingly, employers demand a certain level of practical experience to accompany a degree in the humanities. The Padnos Museum Internship Program at the Gerald R. Ford Presidential Museum provides the necessary skills students need to attain a certain level of marketability in the field. For its nearly twenty years in operation, the program has provided lasting experiences for students from around the country.

Deadline: March 1

Website: <https://www.fordlibrarymuseum.gov/museum/internInfo.asp>

Social Security Administration's (SSA's) Analyzing Relationships between Disability, Rehabilitation and Work (ARDRAW) Small Grant Program

The SSA's ARDRAW Small Grant Program is a one-year \$10,000 stipend program awarded to graduate-level students to conduct supervised independent research designed to foster new analysis of work, rehabilitation, and disability issues, which may develop innovative and fresh perspectives on disability. ARDRAW replaces the 5-year grant called the Disability Determination Process Small Grant Program, with a new focus on research relevant to SSA's work incentives and employment supports – specifically rehabilitation, work and the disability program.

Citizenship: awardees must be citizens or non-citizen nationals of the United States, or must have been lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence

Deadline: March 2, 2017

Website: <http://ardraw.policyresearchinc.org/>

Funding in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics)

American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics Graduate Scholarships

To help support promising future aerospace professionals, the AIAA Foundation annually awards financial aid to undergraduate and graduate students in science or engineering programs related to aerospace. Our goal is to help attract top science and engineering students to aerospace field, to provide high-visibility recognition of these students and their work, to furnish financial assistance to aerospace students, and to assure the availability of the talented professionals the aerospace industry will need in the years ahead.

Through its annual graduate scholarship program, the AIAA Foundation presents awards to graduate students doing excellent research in the air and space sciences.

Deadline: January 31, 2017

Website: <http://www.aiaa.org/scholarships/>

Argonne Laboratory-Graduate Programs

Argonne supports graduate students in their pursuit of science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) careers by providing educational and scientific opportunities throughout the graduate school experience. The lab supports three distinct programs – guest graduate, thesis parts and laboratory graduate.

Eligibility: Varies. Some open to international students

Deadline: Varies (between February 1 – March 1)

Website: <http://www.anl.gov/education/graduates>

Department of Energy Computational Science Graduate Fellowship

The DOE CSGF provides outstanding benefits and opportunities to students pursuing doctoral degrees in fields that use high-performance computing to solve complex science and engineering problems. The program fosters a community of energetic and committed Ph.D. students, alumni, DOE laboratory staff and other scientists who want to have an impact on the nation while advancing their research. Fellows come from diverse scientific and engineering disciplines but share a common interest in using computing in their research.

Eligibility: U.S. Citizen or permanent resident with limited graduate study

Deadline: January 18

Website: <http://www.krellinst.org/csgf/>

Educational Testing Service's Summer Internship Program in Research for Graduate Students

Interns in this eight-week program participate in research under the guidance of an ETS mentor. Each intern is required to give a brief presentation about the project at the conclusion of the internship. The internship is carried out in the ETS offices in Princeton, N.J., in one of two research areas: Validity (Design and Development; Fairness; Score Meaning, Interpretation and Reporting; Consequences) and Games, Simulation & Collaboration.

Eligibility: Unspecified

Deadline: February 1, 2017

Website: <http://www.ets.org/research/fellowships/summer>

National Institutes of Health National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute - Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Award (NRSA) Individual Predoctoral Fellowship (Parent F31)

The purpose of the Kirschstein-NRSA predoctoral fellowship (F31) award is to enable promising predoctoral students to obtain individualized, mentored research training from outstanding faculty sponsors while conducting dissertation research in scientific health-related fields relevant to the missions of the participating NIH Institutes and Centers. The proposed mentored research training must reflect the applicant's dissertation research project and is expected to clearly enhance the individual's potential to develop into a productive, independent research scientist. The training plan should document the need for, and the anticipated value of, the proposed mentored research and training in relationship to the individual's research career goals. The training plan should also facilitate the fellow's transition to the next stage of his/her research career.

Citizenship: By the time of award, the individual must be a citizen or a non-citizen national of the United States or have been lawfully admitted for permanent residence

Deadlines: April 13, August 13, December 13

Website: <http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/research/training/programs/predocutorial/nrsa-diversity-parent-f31.htm>

National Institutes of Health Summer Internships Program in Biomedical Research

Summer programs at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) provide an opportunity to spend a summer working at the NIH side-by-side with some of the leading scientists in the world, in an

environment devoted exclusively to biomedical research. The NIH consists of the 240-bed Mark O. Hatfield Clinical Research Center and more than 1200 laboratories/research projects located on the main campus in Bethesda, MD and the surrounding area as well as in Baltimore and Frederick, MD; Research Triangle Park, NC; Hamilton, MT; Framingham, MA; and Detroit, MI. NOTE: the number of positions in Hamilton, Framingham, and Detroit is limited.

Citizenship: U.S citizen or permanent resident

Deadline: March 1 (January 15 for a separate but related Graduate Research Opportunity)

Website: <https://www.training.nih.gov/programs/sip>

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration – John A Knauss Marie Policy Fellowship

The Sea Grant Knauss Fellowship provides a unique educational and professional experience to graduate students who have an interest in ocean, coastal and Great Lakes resources and in the national policy decisions affecting those resources. Executive fellowships will allow you to see the inner workings of how Federal regulations and policies are developed and implemented.

Legislative fellowship appointments are in an office in the Senate or House, in a Personal (i.e. Member of Congress) or Committee office, and in a Republican or Democratic office.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: April 7, 2017

Website: <http://seagrant.noaa.gov/FundingFellowships/KnaussFellowship.aspx>

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration – Sea Grant Fellowships

In 1999, NOAA National Sea Grant Office and NOAA Fisheries established a Graduate Fellowship Program in two specialized areas: population and ecosystem dynamics as well as marine resource economics. Population and ecosystem dynamics involve the study of fish populations and marine ecosystems to better assess fishery stock conditions and dynamics. Ph.D. candidates interested in the population and ecosystem dynamics of living marine resources and the development and implementation of quantitative methods for assessing their status can receive up to three years of funding. Ph.D. students in marine resource economics, concentrating on the conservation and management of living marine resources, can receive two years of funding.

Eligibility: U.S. Citizen

Deadline: January 27, 2017

Website: <http://seagrant.noaa.gov/FundingFellowships/NMFSSGFellowship.aspx>

Society of Women Engineers Scholarships

The SWE Scholarship Program provides financial assistance to women admitted to accredited baccalaureate or graduate programs, in preparation for careers in engineering, engineering technology and computer science. In 2016, SWE disbursed over 220 new and renewed scholarships valued at over \$750,000.

Citizenship: Unspecified

Deadline: February 15

Website: <http://societyofwomenengineers.swe.org/index.php/swe-scholarships>

Postdoctoral Fellowships

National Academies Research Associateship Program

The mission of the NRC Research Associateship Programs (RAP) is to promote excellence in scientific and technological research conducted by the U. S. government through the administration of programs offering graduate, postdoctoral, and senior level research opportunities at sponsoring federal laboratories and affiliated institutions. In these programs, prospective applicants select a research project or projects from among the large group of opportunities listed on this website. Prior to completing an application, prospective applicants should contact the proposed Research Adviser to assure that funding will be available if their application is recommended by NRC panels. Once mutual interest is established between a prospective applicant and a Research Adviser, an application is submitted through the NRC WebRap system.

Citizenship: Depends on position

Deadline: Reviews are conducted four times each year and review results are available approximately 6-8 weeks following the application deadline.

Website: <http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/rap/>

Open Society Fellowship

The Open Society Fellowship supports individuals pursuing innovative and unconventional approaches to fundamental open society challenges. The fellowship funds work that will enrich public understanding of those challenges and stimulate far-reaching and probing conversations within the Open Society Foundations and in the world.

Citizenship: Unrestricted

Deadline: March 1, 2017

Website: <https://www.opensocietyfoundations.org/grants/open-society-fellowship>

Wellcome Trust Fellowships in Public Health and Tropical Medicine

This scheme provides researchers from low- and middle-income countries - who are at an early stage in the establishment of their research careers - with opportunities for research experience and high-quality research training in public health and tropical medicine. Research projects should be aimed at understanding and controlling diseases (either human or animal) of relevance to local, national or global health. This can include laboratory-based molecular analysis of field or clinical samples, but projects focused solely on studies in vitro or using animal models will not normally be considered under this scheme. This fellowship is part of a series of career awards aimed at building sustainable capacity in areas of research that have the potential for increasing health benefits for people and their livestock in low- and middle-income countries.

Citizenship: Must be a national or legal resident of a low- and middle-income country (see website)

Eligibility: National of a low or middle income country

Deadline: May 8, 2017 (preliminary application)

Website: <https://wellcome.ac.uk/funding/training-fellowships-public-health-and-tropical-medicine>

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