Dear Graduate Students,

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Announcements

DAAD – German Academic Exchange Service Priority Candidacy
DAAD Fellowships provide support for study in Germany. The University of Arizona facilitates the selection of a priority candidate. The following opportunities through DAAD are generally most relevant for graduate students: study scholarships (provide an opportunity to do independent study in Germany or to complete a full Master’s degree), research grants (primarily to do doctoral research). As a partner university, DAAD encourages the UA to select one priority candidate. Priority candidates from partner universities receive preferential status in the general fellowship competitions and have a considerably higher likelihood of being selected. Please contact Shelley Hawthorne Smith (shellh@email.arizona.edu) if you would like to be considered for the priority candidacy.
Website: https://www.daad.org/

Application Support for the NSF GRFP
The purpose of the NSF GRFP is to help ensure the vitality and diversity of the scientific and engineering workforce in the United States. The program is a wonderful source of funding for graduate students – providing awardees with $34,000 annually for three years, as well as additional benefits. NSF Fellows at the University of Arizona receive full tuition, mandatory fees, student health insurance for the Fellow, and a $500 travel grant during tenured years. Students at the University of Arizona are eligible to receive application support for this fellowship. If you plan to apply and would like application support, please contact Shelley Hawthorne Smith (shellh@email.arizona.edu).
Website: http://www.nsfgrfp.org/ (please check eligibility)

General Funding Opportunities

Consortium for Faculty Diversity in Liberal Arts Colleges: Dissertation and Postdoctoral Fellowships
The Consortium now invites applications for dissertation fellowships and post-doctoral fellowships from those who will contribute to increasing the diversity of member colleges by increasing their ethnic and racial diversity, maximizing the educational benefits of diversity and/or increasing the number of professors who can and will use diversity as a resource for enriching the education of students.
Citizenship: Applicants must be able to provide evidence of U.S. citizenship or unconditional permanent resident status at the time of hire.
Deadline: rolling (before September 30 preferred)
**Fulbright U.S. Student Program**
The Fulbright U.S. Student Program offers opportunities for students and young professionals to undertake international graduate study, advanced research, university teaching, and primary and secondary school teaching worldwide. The program currently awards approximately 1,900 grants annually in all fields of study, to go to more than 140 countries worldwide.
If you are interested in applying or simply want more information, contact Emily Kotay, Scholarship Advisor in the Office of Nationally Competitive Scholarships. Students must apply through her office. Emily Kotay can be contacted at 520-621-0162 or emkotay@email.arizona.edu
Citizenship: USA
Campus Deadline: Sept 8
Website: [http://us.fulbrightonline.org/about/types-of-grants](http://us.fulbrightonline.org/about/types-of-grants)

**Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship Program in Entrepreneurship**
The Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship Program (KDFP) is an annual competitive program that awards up to 20 Dissertation Fellowship grants of $20,000 each to Ph.D., D.B.A., or other doctoral students at accredited U.S. universities to support dissertations in the area of entrepreneurship.
Citizenship: Unrestricted
Deadline: August 17, 2016

**Opportunities in the Humanities/Arts/Social Sciences**

**Alexander von Humboldt Foundation’s German Chancellor Fellowship Program**
The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation’s German Chancellor Fellowship Program is targeted at university graduates from the United States, Russia, China, Brazil and India who have an international outlook and initial leadership experience. It addresses prospective decision-makers, multipliers and thought leaders from a broad range of professional fields such as politics, public administration and business as well as society and culture. The fellowships give them the opportunity to spend a year in Germany networking with other prospective leaders from abroad, who are also sponsored by the Humboldt Foundation, and to explore new solutions to the global issues of our times. With this programme Germany once again presents itself as a destination of choice for intercultural dialogue and as a meeting place for the international leaders of tomorrow.
Citizenship: U.S., Russia, China, Brazil, and India
Deadline: September 15, 2017
Website: [www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/german-chancellor-fellowship.html](http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/german-chancellor-fellowship.html)

**American Educational Research Association Dissertation Grants**
With support from the National Science Foundation (NSF), the AERA Grants Program announces its Dissertation Grants competition. The program seeks to stimulate research on U.S. education issues using data from the large-scale, national and international data sets supported by the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), NSF, and other federal agencies, and to increase the number of education researchers using these data sets. The program supports research projects that are quantitative in nature, include the analysis of existing data from NCES, NSF or other federal agencies, and have U.S. education policy relevance. AERA invites education-related dissertation proposals using NCES, NSF, and other federal data bases. Dissertation Grants are available for advanced doctoral students and are intended to support the student while writing the doctoral dissertation. Applications are encouraged from a variety of disciplines, such as but not limited to, education, sociology, economics, psychology, demography, statistics, and psychometrics.

Citizenship: Applicants for Dissertation Grants may be U.S. citizens or U.S. permanent residents enrolled in a doctoral program. Non-U.S. citizens enrolled in a doctoral program at a U.S. institution are also eligible to apply.
Deadline: August 31, 2017
Website: [http://www.aera.net/ProfessionalOpportunitiesFunding/FundingOpportunities/AERAGrantsProgram/DissertationGrants/tabid/12812/Default.aspx](http://www.aera.net/ProfessionalOpportunitiesFunding/FundingOpportunities/AERAGrantsProgram/DissertationGrants/tabid/12812/Default.aspx)

**Charles Koch Foundation Dissertation Grants and Postdoctoral Fellowships**
The Foundation is accepting research grant proposals from individuals interested in writing dissertations that investigate the role of free societies in advancing well-being. Proposals will be considered for dissertations across a variety of disciplines that examine foundational, system-level, and applied research questions. Accepted dissertation proposals will receive funding and additional resources to expand educational opportunities and career development.

Citizenship: U.S.A.
Deadline: Rolling
Website: [http://www.charleskochfoundation.org/graduate-student-grant-information/](http://www.charleskochfoundation.org/graduate-student-grant-information/)

**Émigré Memorial German Internship Program (EMGIP)**
Émigré Memorial German Internship Program (EMGIP) offers internship opportunities for US and Canadian students in the German parliament, the Bundestag. The internships are two months long in positions matching the student’s interest and experience. Interns will be placed within the Verwaltung, preferably with a Sekretariat working for their preferred Ausschuss. In addition to contributing to the respective offices, interns have the opportunity to study legislative and administrative procedures in the German parliament.

Citizenship: U.S. and Canadian citizens and permanent residents are eligible to apply.

International students who are enrolled in a full time course of study in the US or Canada may also apply.
Deadline: September 15, 2017
Website: [https://www.daad.org/emgip](https://www.daad.org/emgip)
Huntington Research Fellowships
The Huntington is an independent research center with holdings in British and American history, literature, art history, and the history of science and medicine. The Library collections range chronologically from the eleventh century to the present and include seven million manuscripts, 420,000 rare books, 275,000 reference works, and 1.3 million photographs, prints, and ephemera. The Burndy Library consists of some 67,000 rare books and reference volumes in the history of science and technology, as well as an important collection of scientific instruments. Within the general fields listed above there are many areas of special strength, including: Middle Ages, Renaissance, 19th- and 20th-century literature, British drama, Colonial America, American Civil War, Western America, and California. The Art Collections contain notable British and American paintings, fine prints, photographs, and an art reference library. In the library of the Botanical Gardens is a broad collection of reference works in botany, horticulture, and gardening. The Huntington will award to scholars over 150 fellowships for the academic year 2017-2018. These fellowships derive from a variety of funding sources and have different terms. Recipients of all fellowships are expected to be in continuous residence at the Huntington and to participate in and make a contribution to its intellectual life. Fellowship tenure is one to five months and award amount is $3,000/month.
Citizenship: Unspecified
Deadline: Sept 1 – Nov 15
Website: http://www.huntington.org/fellowships/

John F. Kennedy Library Foundation Fellowships
The John F. Kennedy Library Foundation offers competitive research fellowships every year to scholars and students who wish to make use of the archival holdings (including audiovisual materials) of the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library. Topics include, but are not limited to, foreign intelligence and the presidency; research on immigration, naturalization, or refugee policy; and research on domestic policy, political journalism, polling, or press relations.
Citizenship: not specified
Deadline: August 15

Lilly Library Fellowships - Indiana University at Bloomington
The Lilly Library invites applications for visiting fellowships for research in residence in its collections. The Lilly Library is the principal rare book and manuscript library of Indiana University. Its holdings support research in British, French, and American literature and history; the literature of voyages and exploration, specifically the European expansion in the Americas; early printing, and the Church, children's literature, music; film, radio and television; medicine, science, and architecture; and food and drink. The Everett Helm Visiting Fellowship program supports research and provides access to the collections of the Lilly Library for scholars residing outside the Bloomington area. The Mendel Fellowships are intended to support research by scholars from around the world in areas of particular interest to the Mendels, including: the history of the Spanish Colonial Empire; Latin American independence movements; European
expansion in the Americas; voyages, travels and exploration; geography, navigation and cartography; German literature and history; and music, including sheet music.

Citizenship: unspecified
Deadline: September 30, 2017
Website: http://www.indiana.edu/~liblilly/fellowships.shtml

**NSF Doctoral Dissertation Improvement Grant – Political Science** (see NSF website for DDIGs under other directorates)
The program supports scientific research that advances knowledge and understanding of citizenship, government, and politics. Research proposals are expected to be theoretically motivated, conceptually precise, methodologically rigorous, and empirically oriented. Substantive areas include, but are not limited to, American government and politics, comparative government and politics, international relations, political behavior, political economy, and political institutions. In recent years, program awards have supported research projects on bargaining processes; campaigns and elections, electoral choice, and electoral systems; citizen support in emerging and established democracies; democratization, political change, and regime transitions; domestic and international conflict; international political economy; party activism; and political psychology and political tolerance. The program also has supported research experiences for undergraduate students and infrastructural activities, including methodological innovations, in the discipline.

Citizenship: see website
Deadline: August 15, 2017
Website: https://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5418

**Taiwan Foundation for Democracy Dissertation Fellowships**
The Taiwan Foundation for Democracy seeks to promote an understanding of Taiwan’s democracy and human rights development among the future generation of scholars and practitioners. To this end, Dissertation Fellows may reside in Taiwan for up to one year to carry out in-depth, relevant research. Applicants are encouraged to form relationships with organizations and institutions dealing with democracy and human rights issues based in Taiwan. The TFD hopes that through an active exchange of ideas and expertise, Dissertation Fellows may share their experience with Taiwanese academics, practitioners, NGOs, and think tanks to further encourage democracy and human rights in Taiwan and internationally.

Eligibility: Any except citizens of Taiwan
Deadline: See website
Website: http://www.tfd.org.tw/opencms/english/fellowships/dissertation/

**Society for Social Work and Research Doctoral Fellows Award**
SSWR established this award to recognize and support doctoral students whose proposed dissertation research reflects innovative ideas and rigorous methodologies related to social work research, policy, or practice. SSWR Doctoral Fellows will be considered exemplars of excellence in doctoral level social work research. Quantitative, qualitative, mixed methods or other approaches are welcome as long as they are appropriate to the study's goals.
Opportunities in Science, Technology, and Engineering

GEM Fellowship Program
The National GEM Consortium provides three Fellowship Program. The MS Engineering Fellowship Program provides practical engineering summer work experiences through an employer sponsor and a portable academic year fellowship. The Ph.D. Engineering Fellowships offer doctoral fellowships to underrepresented minority students who have either completed, are currently enrolled in a master’s in engineering program, or received admittance into a PhD program. The Ph.D. Science Fellowship aims to increase the number of minority students who pursue doctoral degrees in the natural science disciplines — chemistry, physics, earth sciences, mathematics, biological sciences, and computer science.
Citizenship: Applicants must be U.S. citizen or U.S. permanent resident at the time of application
Deadline: November 15
Website: http://www.gemfellowship.org/students/gem-fellowship-program/

Methane Hydrate Science Research Fellowship
The NRC, in association with the U.S. Department of Energy's National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL), administers a Research Fellowship Program designed to support the development of Methane Hydrate science and enable highly qualified graduate and postgraduate students to pursue advanced degrees and training in an area of increasing national interest. With respect to the energy production potential of gas hydrates, interest is in projects that will provide improved tools, methods, and information relative to the remote detection, characterization, and appraisal of production potential of Methane Hydrates. With respect to gas hydrates as a part of the global environment, interest is in projects that provide an improved understanding of the processes that control the distribution, occurrence, and stability of gas hydrates in marine and permafrost settings. The 2 or 3-year fellowships are available to support work towards the M.S. and Ph.D. degrees, or to support a Postdoctoral appointment. Research during the term of the fellowship can be performed at any federal lab or accredited university in the United States.
Citizenship: USA
Deadline: August 1 (and February 1)
Website: http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/RAP/PGA_050492

Microwave Engineering Fellowship/Microwave Engineering for Medical Applications Fellowship
The purpose of fellowship is to recognize and provide financial assistance to graduate students who show promise and interest in pursuing a graduate degree in applying microwave engineering to medical applications. The student must be actively pursuing a graduate degree in electrical engineering, applied physics, biomedical engineering or other appropriate field on a full-time basis at an accredited institution of higher learning. It is expected that the student will be
engaged in studies and research or thesis related activities for at least 12 months following the award. Research work must clearly involve the application of RF and microwave techniques to medical problems, supervised by a full-time faculty supervisor.
Citizenship: unrestricted
Deadline: October 15, 2017
Website: http://www.mtt.org/students.html

**Tylenol Future Care Scholarship**
An independent selection committee will evaluate the applications and select the recipients considering: college GPA; academic records in public health/health education, med school, nursing and/or pharmacy; community involvement/volunteer service; essay content.
• Up to 20 scholarships ranging from $500-$2500 will be awarded annually.
• 10 - $10,000 scholarships will be awarded annually.
• 30 - $5,000 scholarships will be awarded annually.
The scholarships will be applied to tuition, fees, books, supplies and equipment required for course load. If the applicant is a graduate student he or she must be able to provide proof of enrollment to a graduate program in public health/health education, med school, nursing and/or pharmacy degree program.
Citizenship: USA, Puerto Rico, or DC
Deadline: June 30
Website: http://www.tylenol.com/news/scholarship

**WateReuse Arizona Scholarships**
WateReuse Arizona will award two (2) scholarships of two-thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) each to Arizona university and college students. The purpose of this award is to encourage full-time students with a focus on wastewater reclamation, water reuse, and/or desalination. The scholarships will be awarded in September 2017 at the Water Reuse National Symposium in Phoenix, Arizona.
Citizenship: Unspecified
Deadline: June 15
Website: https://watereuse.org/sections/watereuse-arizona/

**Postdoctoral Opportunities**

**Fulbright Scholar Program**
The Fulbright Scholar Program offers teaching, research or combination teaching/research awards in over 125 countries. Opportunities are available for college and university faculty and administrators as well as for professionals, artists, journalists, scientists, lawyers, independent scholars and many others. In order to meet the changing needs of academia and develop new options to better accommodate the interests and commitments of today’s scholars, the program has introduced several innovations to the 2014-2015 program, including: Fulbright Flex Awards, Fulbright Postdoctoral/Early Career Awards, Salary Stipend Supplements, and Teaching English
as a Foreign Language Awards. Interested faculty and professionals are encouraged to learn more about these opportunities, and hundreds of others, by visiting the Catalog of Awards. Citizenship: U.S. citizenship
Deadline: August 1, 2016
Website: http://www.cies.org/program/postdoc
If you intend to apply for a Fulbright Scholar award, please notify Dale LaFleur, the UA Fulbright Scholar Campus Representative, at dlfleur@email.arizona.edu. (For information on the Fulbright U.S. Student Program, visit http://www.honors.arizona.edu/oncs)

**Human Frontier Science Program (HFSP) Postdoctoral Fellowships**

HFSP postdoctoral fellowships encourage early career scientists to broaden their research skills by moving into new areas for study while working in a new country. HFSP fellowships are for three years. Fellows may choose to stay for up to three years in the host country or use the last year of their fellowship to return to their home country or to move to another HFSP member country. Long-Term Fellowships (LTF) are for applicants with a Ph.D. in a biological discipline, who will broaden their expertise by proposing a project in the life sciences which is significantly different from their previous Ph.D. or postdoctoral work. Cross-Disciplinary Fellowships (CDF) are for applicants with a Ph.D. from outside the life sciences (e.g. in physics, chemistry, mathematics, engineering or computer sciences), who have had limited exposure to biology during their previous training.

Citizenship: unrestricted
Deadline: August 10, 2017
Website: http://www.hfsp.org/funding/postdoctoral-fellowships

**National Research Council Postdoctoral and Senior Research Awards**

The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine conducts the NRC Postdoctoral and Senior Awards program which offers competitive awards four times a year for postdoctoral and senior scientific research to be conducted in residence at participating US federal laboratories and affiliated institutions. Areas of research include infectious diseases, medical parasitology, epidemiology, malaria, enteric diseases, medical entomology, vaccine development and related diseases. Participating laboratories are:

- Walter Reed Army Institute of Research (WRAIR), Silver Spring, MD
- US Army Medical Research Unit, Nairobi, Kenya
- Armed Forces Research Institute of Medical Sciences, Bangkok, Thailand
- US Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases, Ft. Detrick, MD
- Naval Medical Research Center, Silver Spring, MD
- Naval Health Research Center, San Diego, CA
- Naval Health Research Center Detachment/Health Effects Laboratory, Wright Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio
- Naval Submarine Medical Research Laboratory, Groton, CT
- Chemical and Biological Defense Funded Laboratories, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD and Fort Detrick, MD
- Edgewood Chemical and Biological Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD
Award recipients design their own projects to be compatible with the research Interests of the sponsoring laboratory.
Deadlines: February 1, May 1, August 1, and November 1.
Citizenship: Restrictions vary according to position
Website: [http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/rap/](http://sites.nationalacademies.org/pga/rap/)

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