

**2021 GRADUATE  
FELLOWSHIPS THAT DON'T  
REQUIRE PROOF OF U.S.  
CITIZENSHIP OR LEGAL  
PERMANENT RESIDENCY**

**IMMIGRANTS  
RISING**

TRANSFORMING LIVES THROUGH EDUCATION

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# GETTING STARTED WITH SCHOLARSHIPS & FELLOWSHIPS

Scholarships and fellowships are excellent ways to pay for college tuition and other expenses. You might wonder, what's the difference between scholarships and fellowships? Scholarships are generally funds for students attending educational institutions for the purpose of the study; they can be awarded based on financial need, grades, community service, major, class level, city or county of residence, and more. Fellowships are generally funds for students (or non-students) for the purpose of professional or career development; they can support a variety of things, including study in a specific field, research to advance work on a particular issue, development of a new community-based organization or initiative, training to support a fellow's growth, opportunities to further explore a particular field of work, and more.

## IMMIGRANTS RISING SCHOLARSHIP & FELLOWSHIP LISTS

We offer four different scholarship and fellowship lists:

Undergraduate Scholarship List: [immigrantsrising.org/resource/undergraduate-scholarships/](https://immigrantsrising.org/resource/undergraduate-scholarships/)

Undergraduate Fellowship List: [immigrantsrising.org/resource/undergraduate-fellowships/](https://immigrantsrising.org/resource/undergraduate-fellowships/)

Graduate Scholarship List: [immigrantsrising.org/resource/graduate-scholarships/](https://immigrantsrising.org/resource/graduate-scholarships/)

Graduate Fellowship List: [immigrantsrising.org/resource/graduate-fellowships/](https://immigrantsrising.org/resource/graduate-fellowships/)

## ADDITIONAL DATABASES

Check out these additional databases of scholarships and fellowships available for undocumented young people:

Dreamers Roadmap: [www.dreamersroadmap.com/scholarships/](http://www.dreamersroadmap.com/scholarships/)

Geneseo Migrant Center: [migrant.net/scholarships/](http://migrant.net/scholarships/)

MALDEF: [www.maldef.org/resources/scholarship-resources/](http://www.maldef.org/resources/scholarship-resources/)

My Undocumented Life: [mydocumentedlife.org](http://mydocumentedlife.org)

Scholarships A-Z: [www.scholarshipsaz.org](http://www.scholarshipsaz.org)

Silicon Valley Community Foundation: [www.siliconvalleycf.org/scholarships](http://www.siliconvalleycf.org/scholarships)

The College Expo: [www.thecollegeexpo.org/resources/scholarships](http://www.thecollegeexpo.org/resources/scholarships)

## EXPAND ACCESS

Have you found other scholarships and fellowships that do require proof of citizenship or residency? Let scholarship and fellowship providers know that they are not required to ask applicants for proof of citizenship, residency, SSN, or work authorization. You can find out more information in Immigrants Rising's [Overview of Grants to Individuals](#).

**CAUTION:** Scholarship requirements and deadlines often change from year to year. Please double-check all information listed below with the scholarship directly. If you find any errors, please email us at [communications@immigrantsrising.org](mailto:communications@immigrantsrising.org) so we can update the list.

## AAAS Mass Media Science & Engineering Fellowship

**Due:** January 1, 2021

**Award:** \$6,000

**Academic Level:** College Junior or Senior, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** STEM

### Eligibility:

- Applicant must be in the life, physical, health, engineering, computer or social sciences, mathematics or related fields
- Must attend orientation at the beginning of the summer and a wrap-up session at the end of the summer
- Students enrolled in English, journalism, science journalism or other non-technical fields are not eligible for the AAAS Mass Media Fellowship
- Must be DACA-eligible or authorized to work in the U.S.

**Link:** [aaas.org/programs/mass-media-fellowship](https://aaas.org/programs/mass-media-fellowship)

## CHCI Graduate Fellowship

**Due:** January 15, 2021

**Award:** \$29,700

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Public Policy or related field

### Eligibility:

- Have completed a master's degree or J.D. prior to the program start date
- Evidence of leadership skills and commitment to public service-oriented activities
- Identify as Latinx/Hispanic
- Must be DACA-recipient

**Link:** [chci.org/programs/graduate-fellowship-program](https://chci.org/programs/graduate-fellowship-program)

## Switzer Environmental Fellowship

**Due:** January 8, 2021

**Award:** \$15,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** California (enrolled in an accredited graduate institution), Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont

**Field of Study:** Environmentalism

### Eligibility:

- Planning to enroll as a full-time student for the entire 2020-2021 academic year
- Have very strong academic qualifications, with academic and career goals focused on environmental improvement
- Must be DACA-eligible

**Link:** [switzernetwork.org/become-fellow/how-apply](https://switzernetwork.org/become-fellow/how-apply)

## Peggy Browning Labor Fellowship

**Due:** January 15, 2021

**Award:** \$6,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

### Eligibility:

- 1st or 2nd year student in good standing at one of the participating law schools

**Link:** [peggybrowningfund.org/fellowships/for-law-students](https://peggybrowningfund.org/fellowships/for-law-students)

## UC Berkeley Labor Summer Program

**Due:** January 29, 2021

**Award:** \$4,800 - \$5,800

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Graduate Student

**Region:** California

**Field of Study:** Any

### Eligibility:

- Interest in working on social and economic justice issues with unions or community-based organizations with a worker-organizing component
- Currently a student and at least 18 years old at the beginning of the internship placement
- Interns must be available for the entire length of the internship to be eligible for participation
- GPA requirement: 3.0 for graduate student

**Link:** [laborcenter.berkeley.edu/labor-summer-internship-program/](http://laborcenter.berkeley.edu/labor-summer-internship-program/)

## Josephine de Karman Fellowship

**Due:** January 31, 2021

**Award:** \$25,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Any

### Eligibility:

- PhD candidate who will defend their dissertation around June 2021
- PhD students who are not citizens of the U.S. may apply for the fellowship if they are enrolled in a university in the U.S.

**Link:** [dekarman.org/qualifications/](http://dekarman.org/qualifications/)

## Helsell Fetterman Richard S. White Fellowship

**Due:** January

**Award:** \$7,500

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

### Eligibility:

- 2nd year law student in good standing and pursuing a law degree at an ABA-accredited law school; (\*third year if pursuing a LL.M.)
- Possess an academic record, leadership abilities and a commitment to personal and professional initiatives
- Demonstrate an interest in furthering diversity within the community and the profession

**Link:** [helsell.com/scholarship/](http://helsell.com/scholarship/)

## Manufacturing Futures Initiative Postdoctoral Fellowship

**Due:** January

**Award:** \$60,000

**Academic Level:** Student who completed PhD/ScD Program

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Manufacturing Engineering

### Eligibility:

- No more than two years past the date of the doctoral degree at the time of appointment
- Must have confirmed commitment from a CMU faculty mentor to be considered
- Must be DACA-eligible

**Link:** [engineering.cmu.edu/mfi/opportunities/postdoctoral-fellowship-program.html](http://engineering.cmu.edu/mfi/opportunities/postdoctoral-fellowship-program.html)

## Sibling Rivalry Press Undocupoets Fellowship

**Due:** January

**Award:** \$500

**Academic Level:** Any Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Must be an undocumented or previously undocumented poet

**Link:** [siblingrivalrypress.com/undocupoets-fellowship](http://siblingrivalrypress.com/undocupoets-fellowship)

## Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship

**Due:** February 1, 2021

**Award:** \$4,000, on-campus housing, optional GRE preparation course, \$500 for travel costs

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Irvine, UC Berkeley, Stanford University, Yale University and other campuses with SURF

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Undergraduate sophomore, junior or senior or master's student with interest in pursuing a PhD
- Enrolled or planning to enroll full-time at a college or university during the next academic year
- From educationally disadvantaged or underserved background encouraged to apply
- Must be AB 540-eligible
- GPA requirement: 3.0

**Link:** [grad.uci.edu/about-us/diversity/grad-prep-programs/surf.php](http://grad.uci.edu/about-us/diversity/grad-prep-programs/surf.php)

## NAPABA 1L Summer Internship Program

**Due:** February 3, 2021

**Award:** \$10,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

**Eligibility:**

- Rising 2nd or 3rd year law student
- Interest in event management and/or public policy
- Contact scholarship program for immigration status eligibility

**Link:** [napaba.org/page/internshipprogram](http://napaba.org/page/internshipprogram)

## NMF Primary Care Leadership Program

**Due:** February 5, 2021

**Award:** \$5,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** Check website for partner sites

**Field of Study:** Medicine or Nursing

**Eligibility:**

- Enrolled in an accredited medical school or graduate-level nursing or physician assistant program located in the U.S.
- Identify as underrepresented minority student in healthcare or socioeconomically disadvantaged student
- Demonstrate leadership early in career and commitment to serving medically underserved communities
- Must be DACA-eligible

**Link:** [nmfonline.org/about-our-scholarships-and-awards/programs/](http://nmfonline.org/about-our-scholarships-and-awards/programs/)

## UCLA Immigrant Justice Fellowship

**Due:** February 7, 2021

**Award:** \$44,000

**Academic Level:** College Senior, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Any

### Eligibility:

- Commit full-time during the duration of the fellowship
- Check website for specific eligibility criteria from partner organizations

**Link:** [labor.ucla.edu/what-we-do/dream-resource-center/immigrant-justice/](http://labor.ucla.edu/what-we-do/dream-resource-center/immigrant-justice/)

## Michael Maggio Immigrants' Rights Summer Fellowship Program

**Due:** February 12, 2021

**Award:** \$4,000

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

### Eligibility:

- Law student enrolled in law school program
- Host organization must be willing to host the student for 10 weeks and provide a \$1,500 stipend
- Letter of support from host organization, information about organization, work of the fellow and name of person supervising

**Link:** [maggiofellowship.org/application.html](http://maggiofellowship.org/application.html)

## Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Fellowship Program

**Due:** February 15, 2021

**Award:** \$7,793, allowance for travel expenses in the U.S.

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Fluid Dynamics

### Eligibility:

- Graduate student in any field sharing a common interest in the nonlinear dynamics of rotating, stratified fluids
- Preference to women and members of underrepresented groups

**Link:** [gfd.whoi.edu/gfd-fellowships/application-materials/](http://gfd.whoi.edu/gfd-fellowships/application-materials/)

## UCLA Dream Summer Fellowship

**Due:** February 19, 2021

**Award:** \$5,000

**Academic Level:** College or university enrollment not required

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Any

### Eligibility:

- Be at least 18 years old by June of fellowship year
- Have interest and commitment to social justice
- Available full-time from June to August of application year

**Link:** [labor.ucla.edu/what-we-do/dream-resource-center/dream-summer/](http://labor.ucla.edu/what-we-do/dream-resource-center/dream-summer/)

## Goodwin Law Diversity Fellowship

**Due:** February 28, 2021

**Award:** \$10,000 - \$15,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

**Eligibility:**

- Exceptional academic performance
- Outstanding leadership abilities and involvement in diversity organizations
- Strong interpersonal skills

**Link:** [goodwinlaw.com/careers/diversity-fellowships#1L](http://goodwinlaw.com/careers/diversity-fellowships#1L)

## Bay Area Schweitzer Fellows Program

**Due:** February

**Award:** \$2,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** California (San Francisco Bay Area)

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Enrolled in graduate or professional degree-granting programs from any accredited academic institution in the San Francisco Bay Area

**Link:** [sfbayareaschweitzerfellowship.org/become-a-fellow/](http://sfbayareaschweitzerfellowship.org/become-a-fellow/)

## Thomas J. O'Bryant Fellowship

**Due:** March 6, 2021

**Award:** \$2,250

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Transportation, Engineering, Housing, Urban Planning or related field

**Eligibility:**

- Current student pursuing bachelor's, master's or PhD in transportation, engineering, housing, urban planning or related degrees
- Have already developed research skills and a strong writing ability

**Link:** [enotrans.org/?s=O%E2%80%99Bryant+Fellowship](http://enotrans.org/?s=O%E2%80%99Bryant+Fellowship)

## SEO Law Fellowship

**Due:** March 7, 2021

**Award:** \$15,000

**Academic Level:** Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

**Eligibility:**

- Incoming law school students of color

**Link:** [law.seo-usa.org/our-program/apply/](http://law.seo-usa.org/our-program/apply/)



## David C. Lizárraga Fellowship

**Due:** March

**Award:** \$3,000 - \$5,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** California (Los Angeles, Orange or San Bernardino County), Illinois, Texas, New York

**Field of Study:** Preference to Business and Engineering

### Eligibility:

- 1st generation college student
- Enrolled full-time in a graduate program for the entire academic year
- Demonstrate financial need
- GPA requirement: 2.5

**Link:** [telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/graduate-school-support/david-c-lizarraga-fellowship/](https://telacu.com/telacu-education-foundation/graduate-school-support/david-c-lizarraga-fellowship/)

## The Greenlining Institute Legal Fellowship

**Due:** March

**Award:** \$60,000 - \$62,000

**Academic Level:** Recent Graduate

**Region:** California (Oakland)

**Field of Study:** Legal

### Eligibility:

- At least one year of relevant work experience required
- Committed to championing causes that serve low-income communities and communities of color
- Bachelor's degree from an accredited undergraduate institution preferred
- Must be DACA-eligible or authorized to work in the U.S.

**Link:** [greenlining.org/leadership-academy/programs/](https://greenlining.org/leadership-academy/programs/)

## The Greenlining Policy Fellowship

**Due:** March

**Award:** \$55,000 - \$60,000

**Academic Level:** Recent Graduate

**Region:** California (Oakland)

**Field of Study:** Public Policy

### Eligibility:

- At least one year of relevant work experience required
- Committed to championing causes that serve low-income communities and communities of color
- Bachelor's degree from an accredited undergraduate institution preferred
- Must be DACA-eligible or authorized to work in the U.S.

**Link:** [greenlining.org/leadership-academy/programs/](https://greenlining.org/leadership-academy/programs/)

## DreamSF Fellowship

**Due:** April

**Award:** \$8,500 - \$17,000

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student, Community College Student, Technical Student

**Region:** San Francisco Bay Area

**Field of Study:** Any

### Eligibility:

- Enrolled, planning to enroll or recently graduated from an educational program
- At least 18 years of age
- Available 20 hours a week and 9:30 am to 12:30 pm every Friday

**Link:** [dreamsfellows.org/apply](https://dreamsfellows.org/apply)

## Fletcher Jones Fellowship

**Due:** April

**Award:** \$10,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student, PhD Student

**Region:** UC San Francisco

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- PhD student who are advanced to candidacy and entering their 2nd to fifth year of study in any academic program
- Selection is based on research accomplishments and potential for future contributions to the health science field
- GPA requirement: 3.0

**Link:** [graduate.ucsf.edu/fletcher-jones-fellowship](https://graduate.ucsf.edu/fletcher-jones-fellowship)

## Fred T. Korematsu Summer Fellowship

**Due:** April

**Award:** \$6,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

**Eligibility:**

- Rising 2L or 3 L law student with a history and interest in civil rights activism
- Participate in a 10 week fellowship program in partnership with the host organization

**Link:** [napabalawfoundation.org/internships](https://napabalawfoundation.org/internships)

## Lloyd Kozloff Fellowship

**Due:** April

**Award:** \$10,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC San Francisco

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- PhD student (up to their fifth year of study) in any graduate academic program
- Prior academic achievements and potential for future contributions to the health science field considered
- This fellowship rewards excellence in research

**Link:** [graduate.ucsf.edu/kozloff-fellowship](https://graduate.ucsf.edu/kozloff-fellowship)

## Ralph Kellogg Endowed Chancellor's Fellowship

**Due:** April

**Award:** \$25,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC San Francisco

**Field of Study:** Biomedicine

**Eligibility:**

- 1st year PhD student
- Enrolled in qualifying program
- Show outstanding promise for research in the biological and biomedical sciences

**Link:** [graduate.ucsf.edu/kellogg-fellowship](https://graduate.ucsf.edu/kellogg-fellowship)

## Rosenberg-Hill Graduate Research Fellowship

**Due:** April

**Award:** \$40,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC San Francisco

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Year 3-5 PhD student in the social and populational sciences
- Enrolled in one of the following programs: Global Health Sciences, History of Health Sciences, Medical Anthropology, Nursing and Sociology

**Link:** [graduate.ucsf.edu/rosenberg-hill-fellowship](http://graduate.ucsf.edu/rosenberg-hill-fellowship)

## Steinbrenner Institute for Environmental Education and Research

**Due:** April

**Award:** Full tuition

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** Carnegie Mellon University

**Field of Study:** Environmental Sciences

**Eligibility:**

- 2nd year of PhD student at Carnegie Mellon University who is involved in an ongoing research project
- Students receiving support must present a poster at the annual Steinbrenner Institute Environmental Research Poster Session
- Faculty advisor must submit the proposal on behalf of their advisee

**Link:** [cmu.edu/steinbrenner/people/research-fellows/index.html](http://cmu.edu/steinbrenner/people/research-fellows/index.html)

## Byron Hanke Fellowship

**Due:** May 1, 2021

**Award:** \$3,000 - \$5,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Enrolled in a graduate level program (masters, doctoral, legal) at accredited higher education institution in the U.S.
- Have a research project that relates to community associations and/or common interest communities
- Check website for areas and topics of study

**Link:** [foundation.caionline.org/scholarships/hanke/](http://foundation.caionline.org/scholarships/hanke/)

## BLF Phoenix Fellowship

**Due:** May 11, 2021

**Award:** \$5,000 - \$9,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Berkeley School of Law

**Field of Study:** Law

**Eligibility:**

- Demonstrate commitment to public interest work

**Link:** [berkeleylawfoundation.org/phoenix-fellowship](http://berkeleylawfoundation.org/phoenix-fellowship)

## Julius and Patricia Krevans Fellowship

**Due:** May

**Award:** \$10,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC San Francisco

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- PhD student (up to their fifth year of study) in any graduate academic program
- Prior academic achievements and potential for future contributions to the health science field considered

**Link:** [graduate.ucsf.edu/krevans-fellowship](http://graduate.ucsf.edu/krevans-fellowship)

## Shinnyo-en Fellowship

**Due:** May

**Award:** \$30,000

**Academic Level:** Recent Graduate

**Region:** UC Berkeley

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Graduate student at UC Berkeley
- Must participate in a 10-month fellowship

**Link:** [publicservice.berkeley.edu/programs/shinnyo-fellowship](http://publicservice.berkeley.edu/programs/shinnyo-fellowship)

## Snell & Wilmer FAR

**Due:** June 1, 2021

**Award:** Varies

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Law

**Eligibility:**

- Aspiring lawyers of diverse backgrounds across the country
- Maintain contact with the assigned mentor by telephone and/or email at least once a month

**Link:** [swlaw.com/diversity/go-far](http://swlaw.com/diversity/go-far)

## UCSF Chuan Lyu Chancellor's Fellowship

**Due:** June

**Award:** \$40,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC San Francisco

**Field of Study:** Biological or Biomedical Science

**Eligibility:**

- Entering graduate student on their 1st year of graduate study in the biological and biomedical sciences

**Link:** [graduate.ucsf.edu/discovery-fellows-program](http://graduate.ucsf.edu/discovery-fellows-program)

## UC Berkeley Doctoral Completion Fellowship Program

**Due:** August 1, 2021

**Award:** Varies

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Berkeley

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Check with your graduate department at UC Berkeley

**Link:** [grad.berkeley.edu/financial/fellowships/](http://grad.berkeley.edu/financial/fellowships/)

## UCLA Graduate Division AB540 Fellowship

**Due:** August

**Award:** \$25,000

**Academic Level:** Recent Graduate, Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Los Angeles

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Incoming or current UCLA master's or doctoral student (including in-absentia status)
- Continuous undocumented AB540 status during period(s) of funding
- Preference given to non-DACA students

**Link:** [grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/fellowships-grants/](http://grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/fellowships-grants/)

## BELDON® Scholarship

**Due:** September 1, 2021

**Award:** \$1,000

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Business, Communications, Management, Marketing or related field

**Eligibility:**

- Enrolled and seeking a degree in business, management, communications, marketing or related field
- GPA requirement: 3.5

**Link:** [beldon.com/scholarship](http://beldon.com/scholarship)

## Gillam Fellowship for Advanced Study

**Due:** September 14, 2021

**Award:** \$33,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Biomedical or Life Science

**Eligibility:**

- 2nd or 3rd year PhD student
- Must be an adviser-student pair from eligible disciplines and nominated by the HHMI-designated institutional representative
- Students enrolled in an MD/PhD or other dual-degree program are not eligible
- Must be DACA-eligible

**Link:** [hhmi.org/science-education/programs/gilliam-fellowships-advanced-study](http://hhmi.org/science-education/programs/gilliam-fellowships-advanced-study)

## Sloan Research Fellowships

**Due:** September 15, 2021

**Award:** \$75,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student, Early Career Faculty with PhD

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Chemistry, Economics, Physics, STEM or a related field

### Eligibility:

- Member of the faculty of a college, university or other degree-granting institution in the U.S. or Canada
- Candidates must be in track of tenure as of September 16, 2019
- Candidate's faculty position must carry a regular teaching obligation

**Link:** [sloan.org/fellowships](https://sloan.org/fellowships)

## United Health Foundation/NMF Diverse Medical Scholars Program

**Due:** September

**Award:** \$7,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Medicine

### Eligibility:

- 2nd, 3rd or 4th year medical student in an accredited MD/DO school in the U.S.
- Identify with one of the following minority groups: African American, Latino, Native American, Vietnamese American or Cambodian American
- Demonstrate leadership early in career and commitment to serving medically underserved communities
- Must be DACA-eligible

**Link:** [nmfonline.org/about-our-scholarships-and-awards/programs/](https://nmfonline.org/about-our-scholarships-and-awards/programs/)

## Facebook Fellowship

**Due:** October 1, 2021

**Award:** \$37,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Computer Science or Engineering

### Eligibility:

- Full-time PhD student currently involved in on-going research and enrolled in an accredited university
- Student's work must be related applied statistics, AR/VR, blockchain, cryptocurrency, computer graphics or related field
- Students must be enrolled during the academic year(s) the Fellowship is awarded

**Link:** [research.fb.com/programs/fellowship](https://research.fb.com/programs/fellowship)

## UCLA Law Fellowship

**Due:** October

**Award:** Varies, scholarship for LSAT preparation

**Academic Level:** Undergraduate Student, Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Los Angeles

**Field of Study:** Law

### Eligibility:

- Undergraduate and graduate students with career interest in law
- Fellows must attend all five Saturday Academies in order to successfully complete the program
- GPA requirement: 3.3

**Link:** [law.ucla.edu/admissions/outreach/](https://law.ucla.edu/admissions/outreach/)

## Graduate Opportunity Fellowship Program

**Due:** November

**Award:** \$20,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Los Angeles

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Entering student pursuing terminal or professional master's degrees or the JD
- Students from cultural, racial, linguistic, geographic and socioeconomic backgrounds that are currently underrepresented in graduate education are encouraged to apply
- Applicants must be nominated by their home department
- Must be AB 540-eligible

**Link:** [grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/graduate-opportunity-fellowship-program-gofp/](http://grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/graduate-opportunity-fellowship-program-gofp/)

## UC Berkeley Graduate Division Awards for Entering Students

**Due:** November

**Award:** \$18,500 - \$30,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Berkeley

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Offered to doctoral students with outstanding achievements
- Submit application for admission and fellowships by the departmental deadline

**Link:** [grad.berkeley.edu/admissions/apply/fellowships-entering/](http://grad.berkeley.edu/admissions/apply/fellowships-entering/)

## AASM Strategic Research Award

**Due:** December 7, 2021

**Award:** \$100,000 - \$250,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student, Post-Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Sleep Medicine

**Eligibility:**

- Student with master's level degree or higher with interest in conducting a research in the field of sleep medicine
- Applicant must have access to resources and facilities necessary to conduct the proposed research
- Letter of Intent (LOI) must be submitted prior to full application

**Link:** [foundation.aasm.org/strategic-research-award/](http://foundation.aasm.org/strategic-research-award/)

## Ford Foundation Fellowship Programs

**Due:** December 10, 2021

**Award:** \$24,000 - \$50,000

**Academic Level:** College Senior, Recent Graduate, Graduate Student, Postdoctoral Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Superior academic achievement
- Committed to a career in teaching and research at the college or university level
- Check website for eligible field of study and fellowship-specific requirements
- Must be Political Asylee, Refugee, TPS-holder or DACA-holder

**Link:** [sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships](http://sites.nationalacademies.org/PGA/FordFellowships)

## CES Dissertation Fellowship

**Due:** December 15, 2021

**Award:** \$25,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** National

**Field of Study:** Anthropology, Economics, Geography, History, Political Science, Social Psychology or Sociology

**Eligibility:**

- Completed all departmental and institutional requirements for the PhD degree, including approval of the dissertation proposal
- Enrolled in a PhD program in the U.S.

**Link:** [cescholar.org/application-process](https://cescholar.org/application-process)

## Eugene V. Cota-Robles Fellowship

**Due:** December

**Award:** \$25,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Los Angeles

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Rising doctoral students with interest in a career in college/university teaching and research
- Applicants must be nominated by their home department
- Must be AB 540-eligible

**Link:** [grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/eugene-v-cota-robles-fellowship/](https://grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/eugene-v-cota-robles-fellowship/)

## Will Rogers Memorial Fellowship

**Due:** December

**Award:** \$10,000

**Academic Level:** Graduate Student

**Region:** UC Los Angeles

**Field of Study:** Any

**Eligibility:**

- Graduate student in any field of study with physical disabilities
- Must submit verification of their physical disability

**Link:** [grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/fellowships-grants/](https://grad.ucla.edu/funding/financial-aid/funding-for-entering-students/fellowships-grants/)



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