

Graduate Funding Opportunities

Fellowship	Deadline	Amount	Details/Requirements	URL/More Info
Fellowship/Scholarship Opportunities at Texas A&M				
TEES Fellowship for Spanish Speakers	Early January	\$1,000	Ph.D. Spanish-speaking students (speak, read, write fluently)	app sent to dept
Graduate Merit Fellowship*	Early January	\$25K/yr +in-state tuition+1 yr. insurance (Ph.D.) \$20K/yr+in-state tuition+1 yr. insurance (Master's)	Faculty nomination for grad student	http://ogs.tamu.edu/funding-information/fellowships/faculty-nominated-fellowships/
Florence Terry Griswold Scholarship I	Late January	at least \$2,500 for 1 yr	female grad from pan-american country (not US) planning to return to native country after grad	http://international.tamu.edu/iss/financial/available.asp#General_Application_Procedure
National Excellence Fellowship*	Early February	\$40K/yr; \$15K/yr	application to department (Ph.D.'s planning to pursue academic careers)	http://engineer.tamu.edu/graduate/nef/
Eppright Outstanding International Student Award	Early February	\$2,000 one-time (For Fall)	3.5 GPR,extracurricular/leadership involvement, enrolled at least 2 full semesters (not incl. current)	http://international.tamu.edu/iss/financial/available.asp#General_Application_Procedure

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Diversity Fellowship*	Early February	\$18K/yr for 3 yrs (Ph.D.); \$13,000/yr. for 2 yrs (Masters) +tuition+dept. assistantship	Faculty nomination for women/minority grad students	http://ogs.tamu.edu/funding-information/fellowships/faculty-nominated-fellowships/
Susan M. Arseven '75 "Make-A-Difference" Memorial Award	Early February	\$1,000	women, currently enrolled grads at TAMU, completed at least 1 sem	http://outreach.science.tamu.edu/arseven.asp
Phil Gramm Doctoral Fellowship	Mid-February	\$5K	doctoral student; teaching & research; 3.0 GPA	memo to department
George W. Kunze Prize	Early-mid April	\$1,000	doctoral student admitted to candidacy; at least 1 publication in a referred journal of nat'l or int'l sature	memo to department
Dissertation Fellowship Program	Mid June	\$15,000 + tuition	Ph.D. Candidacy	app sent to dept
Texas Aggie Graduate Grants	Early July	\$3K/yr (max)	need-based for Texas residents	https://financialaid.tamu.edu/Types/grants/tagg.aspx
Ethel Ashworth-Tsutsui Memorial Award for Research	Oct.-Nov.	\$500	women currently enrolled in TAMU graduate program; completed at least 2 semesters	http://outreach.science.tamu.edu/ethel.asp

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Pathways to Doctorate*	Early December	\$20K/1yr+tuition	Faculty proposal and mentorship plan; incoming students from TAMU system schools	http://ogs.tamu.edu/prospective/financial
GAANN- US DoE (Grad Assis. In Areas of Nat'l Need)	Mid-December	varies	Faculty nomination for grad program as a whole	http://www.ed.gov/programs/gaann/application.html
Texas/Mexico Education Scholarship	Multiple deadlines throughout the year	In-state tuition	from Mexico, financial need	http://international.tamu.edu/iss/financial/available.asp#General_Application_Procedure
Sloan Foundation	Awarded on rolling basis		Talk to Dr. Cote- underrepresented students	http://www.nacme.org/sloan/MPHDP/
Research and Presentation Grant	varies	varies	FT enrollment (HSC not eligible)	http://ogs.tamu.edu/current/researchpresgrant.html

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Other scholarships through Texas A&M	varies	varies	varies	https://scholarships.tamu.edu/tamu_scholarships/graduate.aspx
Other International Scholarships and Grants through TAMU	varies	varies	varies	http://international.tamu.edu/iss/financial/available.asp#General_Application_Procedure
Fellowship/Scholarship Opportunities Outside of TAMU				
NASA Aeronautics Scholarship Program	Early-mid January	\$35K/yr + tuition, summer internship	U.S. citizen or national; focused on aeronautical research and related degree programs (Materials Engineering, Electrical Eng, and more)	http://nasa.asee.org/about_the_program
SPIE- requires \$20 membership	Mid-January	\$2K-\$11K scholarships	optics, photonics, imaging or optoelectronics student; requires membership in SPIE (\$20)	http://spie.org/x1733.xml
US Dept. of Energy- Computational Science Fellowship	Mid-January	\$36,000K/yr, tuition/fees, \$1K allowance, matching funds available	US citizens in 1st or 2nd year of Ph.D. program	https://www.krellinst.org/doecsgf/application/

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American Heart Association Council-Sponsored Student Scholarships	Mid-March	\$2,000	research training in cardiovascular disease & stroke	http://www.americanheart.org/presenter.jhtml?identifier=3018378
NASA- Space Grant Consortium Fellowship	Mid-April	\$5000/yr	US citizen, registered FT in graduate program; must have financial support at TAMU; interest in space (ie- portable sensors for cell culture)	http://www.tsgc.utexas.edu/grants/2010/fellows_announcement.html
Sandia Laboratories/Texas A&M University Excellence in Engineering Fellowship	Mid-April	\$21,600/yr +tuition/fees, insurance, \$5K research allowance	doctoral student, interdisciplinary research, should be relevant to Sandia	memo to department
American Heart Association	Mid-July	varies	Predoctoral: basic or clinical biomedical sciences, social or behavioral sciences, epidemiology or public health. Postdoctoral: clinically active M.D., Ph.D. D.O., D.V.M. or equivalent degreed investigators pursuing clinically-oriented cardiovascular and stroke-related research	http://www.americanheart.org/presenter.jhtml?identifier=9713
Kauffman Dissertation Fellowship Program	Mid-September	\$20K/yr	doctoral student, supports dissertations in area of entrepreneurship	http://www.kauffman.org/kdfp/
Lawrence Scholar Program (Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory)	Early October	\$48K/yr	doctoral student; completed coursework; research is carried out at LLNL in California	https://internships.llnl.gov/lsp/selection.php

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Louis Stokes Alliances for Minority Participation	Early October	varies	historically underrepresented STEM students	http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13646&govDel=USNSF_39
LSAMP Educational Research Projects	Early October	varies	historically underrepresented STEM students	http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13646&govDel=USNSF_39
Hertz Foundation Fellowship	Late October	\$31-36K/yr + tuition up to 5 years	US citizen in biological and engineering sciences; must be in doctoral program Must be a new American	http://www.hertzfoundation.org/dx/fellowships/application.aspx
Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowship For New Americans	Early November	\$25K/yr for maintenance + \$20K tuition	(naturalized/green card or child of 2 immigrants) and in first 2 yrs of graduate study; must be younger than age 30	www.pdsoros.org
GEM Fellowship	Mid-November	see website	U.S. citizen/permanent resident, minority students, provides paid internship, apply during the summer	http://gemfellowship.org

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NSF- Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP)	Mid-November	\$30K/yr + tuition	applicant must submit a research proposal relevant to BME; must be in early stages of graduate study	http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=6201
Ford Fellowship Programs (Predoctoral, Dissertation, Postdoc)	Mid-November	\$20-21K/ + \$2K insitutional allowance	U.S. citizen/national; planning a career in teaching and research at the college/univ level in Science, Social Science, humanities	http://nationalacademies.org/ford
DOE Science Graduate Fellowship	Late November	\$35K/yr for 3 yrs; up to \$10.5K for tuition; \$5K research stipend	must be senior undergraduate or a 1st or 2nd year graduate student in a research focused MS or Ph.D. program in the U.S.; GPA 3.3 minimum; research should be in areas supported by the DOE Office of Science	http://scgf.ornl.gov/eligibility.html
Science, Mathematics, and Research For Transormation (SMART) scholarship-for-service Program	Mid-December	tuition, stipend based on level, books, insurance, summer internships	required to work at a Service (army, navy, air force) or DoD Agency lab; must be U.S. citizen (not permanent resident) & able to get security clearance	www.asee.org/SMART
P.E.O. International Peace Scholarship	Mid-December	\$10K scholarship	international women graduate students w/ at least 1 year of coursework remaining	http://www.peointernational.org/peo-projectsphilanthropies
National Defense Science & Engineering Graduate Fellowship	Mid-December	stipend for for 3 yrs +tuition/fees, \$1K insurance	U.S. citizens or nationals; near beginning of graduate program; must pursue FT graduate study at U.S. institution	http://ndseg.asee.org/about_ndseg/application_and_award_dates

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Other NASA Scholarships	varies	varies	varies	http://university.gsfc.nasa.gov/programs/jpfp.jsp
Pathways to Science	varies	varies	open to graduate students	http://www.pathwaystoscience.org/Grad.asp
Additional Opportunities may be listed	varies	varies	varies	http://ogs.tamu.edu/prospective/financial/large-national-graduate-fellowship-programs.html
National Research Council	Annual deadlines - Feb/May/Aug/Nov	\$30-35K/yr	U.S. citizens, permanent residents, foreign nationals (for some labs); research project selected from opps at sponsoring federal labs	http://www.nationalacademies.org/rap
Sigma Xi Grants-In-Aid of Research	March/October	\$100-\$1000	no citizenship restrictions; for equipment and travel; preference given to Sigma Xi members	http://www.sigmaxi.org/programs/giar/guide.shtml

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Bridge to the Doctorate	March/April/October	varies	historically underrepresented STEM students	http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=13646&govDel=USNSF_39
NIH Kirschstein National Research Service Award	Apr/Aug/Dec	varies	underrepresented groups; US citizen or national; currently enrolled in PhD program	http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-106.html
AAUW Selected Professions Fellowships	not available	\$5000-\$18,000	women graduate students; US citizens or permanent resident	http://www.aauw.org/learn/fellowships_grants/selected.cfm
Travel Grants at TAMU				
Bush Foundation Travel Grant	Mid-late October	\$500 max	for travel to conferences, research projects, study or internships in U.S. or abroad; must be FT student	memo to department, usually once a year
OGS Research and Presentation Grants	at least 1 month before travel	\$400 max	registered FT at time of application & reimbursement	http://ogs.tamu.edu/current/researchpresgrant.html

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GSC Travel Awards	mult. deadlines through yr	\$500/yr max	enrolled during semester conference is attended; avail to participate in Student Research Week	http://gsc.tamu.edu/travelawards
International Education Fee Study Grant/Scholarship	mult. deadlines through yr	\$500-1,000	Grad (recommened by dept.-Study Grant); Grad (general app-Scholarship)	http://international.tamu.edu/iss/financial/available.asp#International Education Fee Scholarship
Other Helpful Links/Resources				
http://opd.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/funding-opportunities-by-category/graduate-funding-opportunities				
http://opd.tamu.edu/proposal-resources/resources-for-graduate-fellowships-and-dissertation-grants.html				
http://opd.tamu.edu/funding-opportunities/funding-opportunities-by-category/programs-to-enhance-diversity				

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http://ogs.tamu.edu/prospective/financial/large-national-graduate-fellowship-programs.html				
http://ogs.tamu.edu/prospective/financial				
http://international.tamu.edu/iss/financial/available.asp#General_Application_Procedure				
Spreadsheet Notes:				
*For incoming students only				
In most cases where U.S. citizen is listed above, the application is also open to permanent residents.				
Check websites for full eligibility requirements.				
This list is also available in electronic format, so you can click on the URLs. Email mpate@bme.tamu.edu to obtain list.				
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