

## Gevirtz Graduate School of Education (GGSE)

### PRIVATELY FUNDED FELLOWSHIPS

Fellowship Name	Fellowship Description
Dorman L. Commons Fund	<p>Fund established through a generous gift from the California Commission on the Teaching Profession. The Commission was established in 1984 to study the state of the teaching profession in public schools and to recommend action to improve it. The Commission was dissolved in 1987. Fund is named after the Chairman of the Commission and past president of the California Board of Education, Dorman L. Commons.</p> <p>The purpose of the fund is to provide financial support to graduate students of education who are classroom teachers or professional educators returning to work on advanced degrees. All GGSE students may apply.</p>
Gale and Richard Morrison Fellowship	<p>The Gale and Richard Morrison fellowship established through generous donations from Dr. Gale Morrison, previous Professor in the Department of Counseling, Clinical and School Psychology as well as Dean of UCSB's Graduate Division for seven years, and Richard Morrison, previous school psychologist and school district administrator.</p> <p>This fellowship shall be used to support qualified graduate students in GGSE. Funding preferences for (1) recruitment of top applicants to GGSE to pursue a PhD or (2) dissertation-year students who have advanced to PhD candidacy and are working on their dissertation.</p>
Thomas G. Haring Memorial Fellowship	<p>The Thomas G. Haring Memorial fellowship has been established in the memory of Thomas G. Haring, a member of the GGSE faculty and renowned researcher and teacher. His research and teaching focused on individuals with severe disabilities. He was committed to improving the lives of individuals with special needs in education and throughout the community.</p> <p>The fellowship will be awarded to a student or students whose academic and/or professional studies focus on the education of individuals with special needs, preferably with attention to social and applied cognitive behavior analysis in integrated educational and community settings. All GGSE students with a special education focus may apply.</p>
John Dewey Fellowship	<p>Fellowship open to Masters and PhD candidates within GGSE who are the first in their family to attend college and/or who have had to overcome person obstacles in order to pursue higher education.</p>
Spooner Family Education Fund	<p>Endowed fund established by Barbara and Dean Spooner for the benefit of the Gevirtz Graduate School of Education. Both Ms. Spooner and Dean were alumni of UCSB and strongly interested in education. Barbara Spooner received her undergraduate degree in Education and Dean was a career teacher and educator.</p>

**TIMING/PROCEDURES**

Fellowship application will be emailed from GGSE's Manager of Student and Academic Affairs to all GGSE graduate students at the beginning of Fall quarter. Award decisions will be made by mid-November and all recipients will be invited to attend GGSE's annual Fellowship Reception.