ALL GEVIRTZ SCHOOL STUDENTS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND

GRADUATE STUDENT FUNDING 103: EXTERNAL GRANT MECHANISMS FOR GRADUATE STUDENTS

TUESDAY, MAY 12  12 NOON - 1 PM

JOIN ZOOM MEETING
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With Guests Kaitlyn Ugoretz & Robby Nadler, Graduate Division

If you would like to learn more about student funding opportunities outside the GGSE, please attend the third meeting of a 3-part series on graduate student funding hosted by GGSE faculty, staff, and students.

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WHAT ROBBY CAN DO FOR YOU

Robby Nadler
Director of Academic, Professional, & Technical Graduate Writing Development
• Writing is literally not in your D.N.A.
• Despite being hard, writing is seen as intuitive skill
• A lone subject we often do not seek help with
• Common myths:
  ❖ Writing is a solo performance
  ❖ Writing is easy for good writers and does not take practice
  ❖ Writing help is for people who are failing
• One-on-one meetings for tailored feedback
• Any stage of the writing process
• Any writing genre
• Any discipline
• ~2-week wait
• One-hour, weekly appointments (when available)
• Fall: GRFP & Ford Success Series
• Winter: How to… Success Series
• Spring: Soft Skills & Mini GRFP Success Series
• Summer: Academic Job Market Success Series
• Year-round: Departmental & curricular support
• Fall: GRAD/WRIT 280: Intro to Graduate Writing
• Winter: GRAD/WRIT 281: Intro to Article Writing
• Spring:
  ❖ GRAD/WRIT 282: Thesis/Dissertation Writing
  Communities
  ❖ GRAD/WRIT 283: Preparing for the Academic Job Market
• All disciplines, 3 hours, 4 units, P/NP
• One-on-one sessions
• Can include faculty
• Discuss issues related to the writing process
• Work on strategies to become better writers
• One service not provided
• GradPost curates list of editors for hire
• Third-party, campus-related resource
• List of specialty, rates, and contact information
Overview

• Funding Timelines
• Types of Funding
• Ways to Find Funding
• Q & A
### MA/MS Graduate Funding Search Timeline

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Graduate Student Resource Center
# PhD Graduate Funding Search Timeline

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**FUNDING FOR ENTRY INTO GRAD SCHOOL**

- PREDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

**EARLY CAREER GRADUATE SCHOOL**

**CANDIDACY**

**DISSERTATION WRITING**

**POSTDOCTORATE**

- Or Enter Workforce

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*You may not be ABD – “All-But-Dissertation” yet. BUT you may have to apply the year before you become ABD = PhD Candidacy = Successful Proposal Defense*
## Seasonal Deadlines

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*On-going deadlines: Other employment, Research Grants, Travel Grants*
Points of Contact

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Individual Fellowship Applications usually Personal Statement, Research Statement, CV

Usually applications need Co-PI, Budget, Abstracts, Research Timelines, and to be submitted by UCSB

NOTE: There are different point persons or departments depending on funding questions.

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BASIC TYPES OF FUNDING
Basic Types of Funding

- **INTERNAL** - Department, University, UC System
- **EXTERNAL** – EXTRAMURAL Funding
External Funding: Types of Fellowships
Masters Fellowships

Examples:
- Fulbright Student Fellowship [US]
- AAUW International Women Fellowship [INTL]
- EPA Science to Achieve Results (STAR) Environmental Graduate Fellowship [US]
Predoctoral Fellowships (MA for PhD)

Usually apply the year before enrolling in a PhD program or first (sometimes second) year of PhD.

Examples:

- [Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship](https://www.fordfoundation.org) [US]
- [NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program](https://www.nsfgrfp.org) (NSF GRFP) [US]
- [AAUW International Women Fellowship](https://www.aauw.org) [INTL]
These fellowships typically fund a year of doctoral research/fieldwork. Apply the Fall before you advance to candidacy (ABD, P2 @ UCSB).

Examples:

- AERA Minority Dissertation Fellowship for Education Research [US]
- NAEd/Spencer Dissertation Fellowship [US + INTL]
- TIRF Dissertation Fellowship for Language Education [US + INTL]
- SSRC International Dissertation Research Fellowship [US + INTL]
- NSF Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (DDRIG) [US + INTL]
- Fulbright Student Fellowships [US]
- Fulbright-Hays (Foreign Language) [US]
Dissertation Writing Fellowships (PhD)

These fellowships typically fund a year of dissertation writing. Some require you to finish the dissertation within the award period. Apply the year you start your research and in following years.

Examples:

- Mellon/ACLS Dissertation Completion Fellowship [US + INTL]
- UCSB Interdisciplinary Humanities Center Dissertation Fellowship (1 quarter) [US + INTL]
- AAUW Women’s Dissertation Fellowship [US]
- Center for Engaged Scholarship Dissertation Fellowship [US + INTL]
- Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowship [US]
Grants are typically smaller funding opportunities available at various times of the year and for various purposes and points in your grad student career.

Examples:

• [AERA Large-Scale Datasets Research Grant](#) [Postdoc: US + INTL]
  
• [MPOWER Global Citizen Scholarship](#) [MA and PhD: INTL + DACA]
  
• [Lewis & Clarke Grant for Exploration and Field Research](#) [PhD: US + INTL]
  
• [UCSB Humanities and Social Sciences Research Grant](#) [PhD: US + INTL]
Ways to Find Graduate Funding

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Method #1: Funding Databases

- **PIVOT** – UCSB’s Funding Database
- **UCLA GRAPES** – Graduate and Postdoctoral Extramural Support
- **Cornell Fellowship Database**
- **Duke Research Funding Database**
- **University of Chicago Fellowship Database**
- **The Scholarship Connection UC Berkeley**
- **NSF Funding Opportunities** (STEM and non-STEM opportunities)
- **Pathways of Science Summer Research** (STEM and non-STEM opportunities)
Sample Funding Databases: International Students

• USE THE PREVIOUS FUNDING DATABASE LINKS AND FILTER SEARCH.

• External Funding Databases & Resources
  • Institute of International Education Funding for US Study
  • FastWeb
  • Mobility International USA (students with disabilities)
  • Internationals Student Voice Magazine
  • International Education Financial Aid (IEFA)
  • EduPass: SmartStudent Guide for Studying in the US

• NOTE: Resources for International Students keep changing
Resources for: AB540 (CA only) or DACA Students

- College Decision Headquarters
- UNIGO
- Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute Scholarship Database (includes Grad Fellowships)
- Dreamer’s Roadmap
- MALDEF Scholarship Resource Guide 2019-2020
- Know that you can go to college
- TheDream.US
Method #2: Research Centers or Institutes

Typically has a defined focused research area
Looking for people to support or join their research team

EXAMPLES AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA

- UC Berkeley - http://vcresearch.berkeley.edu/research-units/centers-and-institutes-by-subject-area
- UC Davis - http://www.caes.ucdavis.edu/research/centers
- UCI - http://research.uci.edu/centers-institutes/All-centers-and-institutes.html
- UCLA - http://www.ucla.edu/research/research-centers-and-institutes
- UC Merced - http://www.ucmerced.edu/research
- UC Riverside - https://www.ucr.edu/research/centers/
- UCSC https://www.ucsc.edu/research/
- UCSD https://healthsciences.ucsd.edu/research/Pages/research-centers.aspx
- UCSF https://medschool.ucsf.edu/departments-interdisciplinary-centers-and-organized-research-units
- UCSB - http://www.ucsb.edu/natl-centers
Method #3: Funding Listservs/Mailing Lists

- **GRAPES** “Grad Fellowships-L List Subscription”
- **H-Net Humanities and Social Sciences online**
- **Pathways to Science** Graduate STEM Funding and Research Opportunities
- **NSF Newsletter Subscription** (STEM and non-STEM)
- **Interdisciplinary Humanities Center** (IHC) Funding Opportunities
- **American Association of University Women** (AAUW) Funding for US and INT Women (STEM and non-STEM)
Method #4:
Professional Organizations (membership-based)

- Literacy Research Assoc (LRA): http://www.literacyresearchassociation.org
- Comparative International Education Society: http://www.cies.us/
- National Council of Teachers of English (NCTE): http://www.ncte.org/
- National Association of Bilingual Education (NABE): http://www.nabe.org/
- Association for the Study of Higher Education (ASHE): http://www.ashe.ws
- Council for Exceptional Children: https://www.cec.sped.org/

**NOTE:** MEMBERSHIP DUES generate INCOME to create FELLOWSHIPS and GRANTS.
INTERDISCIPLINARY EXAMPLES

• Researching refugees
  • International, human rights, political science
  • *Human Geography, Education*

• Research in weather conditions and warnings
  • Geography, meteorology, cartography
  • *Methodology – use of original sources*

• Research on classical music exposure to different audiences
  • Music, Ethnomusicology, Social Science
  • *Cultural Studies*
Method #5: GradPost

Winter 2018 Funding Forecast
By Norreen Biods, Funding Peer
Tuesday, January 16, 2018 10:20 AM

So is winter really a break? No time to hibernate! Keep updated on fellowship opportunities. The Winter Funding Forecast is a sampling of opportunities with deadlines scheduled soon or during the next three to four months. Reminder: scroll all the way through this list to see announcements for postdoctoral, doctoral, graduate, research, and other short-term, awards or travel grants. As always, go directly to website link for the most updated information on important dates and application processes. Good luck!
Method #5: GradPost

FUNDING RESOURCES

Finding funding for your research is an important part of being an academic. Developing the skills necessary to find, apply for, and receive grants will not only help you as a student but will also continue to be valuable as you embark on a career. It is also essential for graduate students to learn about how personal finance matters such as loans, credit, insurance, and taxes uniquely affect them as a student.

KEY PEOPLE TO KNOW
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Suggested Next Steps

1. Search Funding Databases
2. Create Login Profile on Databases
3. Subscribe to Listservs for Funding or by Field
4. Join Professional Associations in your field (national & International)
5. Enter Award Competitions
6. Update Standard Documents (CV, Personal & Research Statement etc.)
7. Practice Elevator Pitch – name, research, interests; get business cards
8. Talk to People and think interdisciplinarily – this opens doors!
9. Sign Up for Funding Webinars
10. Start early, plan your time, and be ready
Questions?

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Notes about Finding Funding

- TIPS: Always prepare and submit your application for a deadline a year ahead of when you need the funding.
- It takes a long time to craft an application so the more you can work on it ahead of time (think: summer) the better.
- GSRC has a Fellowship Library of successful applications you can review, generously donated by graduate students.

- Note: You likely cannot accept employment during a dissertation writing fellowship.
- You are likely ineligible for fellowship or dissertation funding during a paid internship year. In CCSP on a five-year plan, this means applying for dissertation writing fellowships during your third year for funding during your fourth year.
- You can apply for dissertation grants before you pass qualifying exams.
- TIP: Most large grants are due in the Fall and take a whole year to get the funding.
- Winter is a good time to complete FAFSA and apply for TA positions.
- Spring is when UC internal fellowships are awarded.
- Predoctoral doctoral fellowships are for early career graduate students (coursework)
Question: if you are a PhD student who is in a MA-PhD program, are we allowed to apply to MA scholarships or only PhD/pre-doc scholarships?

Answer: Usually it is dependent on the fellowships – some are only for MA, quickest way to find out (if it is not clear) is to ask the foundation. Usually people are super happy to answer questions. When in doubt send an email or call.

TIP: Be strategic when writing your grants. What does this foundation want to fund? Why would they want you in their funded portfolio? Tell a story about your work and how it fits with foundation goals.

2. GGSE:
   - ensure that all required documents are included
   - check sponsor requirements (e.g., formatting, page limits)
   - complete sponsor and campus administrative forms
   - submit proposal to Office of Research for official review

3. Office of Research (campus level) will:
   - review for compliance with UC and sponsor requirements
   - review for PI and institutional eligibility, cost sharing, indirect cost rates, terms and conditions, subcontracts, human subjects

4. GGSE:
   - make corrections based on OR review
   - obtain signatures as needed on proposal/disclosure forms etc.

5. Proposal is submitted!

Steps 1-2: Three Day Minimum
Steps 3-5: Seven Day Minimum
Check out: research.ucsb.edu
Contracts & Grants Office vs. Office of Research

**Contracts & Grants Office**
- Act as liaison with OR
- Assist with proposal and budget preparation
- Assist with interpretation of guidelines
- Complete administrative forms
- Manage award spending and closeout

**Office of Research**
- Authorized to submit proposals and accept awards – Faculty NOT authorized
- Ensures that proposals are consistent with University policy
- Negotiates acceptance of awards
- Ensures award compliance with policy