

CGCS Agenda

- > Chancellor's Distinguished Fellowship
- > Summer Graduate Research Fellowship
- > Reminder: Experience S&T and VIP Experience S&T
- > Request a speaker
- > Upcoming events and deadlines

Chancellor's Distinguished Fellowship (CDF)

- > Nomination window closed yesterday, February 15, 2018
- > 16 students nominated
 - Nominations received from
 - > Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
 - > Materials Science and Engineering
 - > Computer Science
 - > Engineering Management and Systems Engineering
 - > Geosciences and Geological and Petroleum Engineering
 - > Electrical and Computer Engineering
 - > Nuclear Engineering
 - > Physics
- > Up to 5 students may be awarded.
 - The number of awards reduced to offset the 4 CDFs that were used as match funds for the four GAANN projects.

CDF Eligibility

- > Newly admitted to a doctoral program at Missouri S&T.
- > Commitment of 50% FTE GRA/GTA/GA provided from the academic department or faculty (which includes full tuition and supplemental fees remittance from the campus).
- > Be a U.S. Citizen, Permanent Resident, or U.S. National.
- > Minimum 3.5/4.0 CGPA (undergrad or master's) upon application.
- > Nominated for CDF by an academic department at Missouri S&T.

CDF Nomination Process

- > Doctoral applicant applies for admission through Slate (no separate CDF application necessary from student).
- > Academic Program admits doctoral student with 50% FTE GRA/GTA/GA appointment.
- > Academic Department (department chair of designee) fills out nomination form to nominate up to six newly admitted domestic doctoral students.
 - The nomination form should be submitted by February 15.
- > **Selection Committee reviews applications.**
 - All the application materials for admission for applicants nominated by the department, along with academic department doctoral enrollment trends, demographic data, and additional information contributing to a holistic review of all applications will be considered.
- > Selection Committee makes award decisions by **early March**.
- > Student and academic department notified of award by **mid-March**.
- > Student accepts or declines CDF award by **April 15**; academic department notified of response.

Additional CDF Information

- > FAQs, expectations and guidelines, and more information can be found online at:
 - http://grad.mst.edu/futurestudents/funding/cd_fellowship/

Summer Graduate Research Fellowships (SGRF)

TIMETABLE AND WORKFLOW:

- > Students applied by February 15, 2018.
 - Approx. 50 applications received
- > Academic departments are notified of the student applications from their programs on February 19, 2018.
- > Academic departments are required to evaluate their student applications and send ONE nomination to the Office of Graduate Studies (gradfellowships@mst.edu) by March 1, 2018.
- > Selection committee will review and make selections by March 20, 2018.
 - Selection of awardees will be based on strength of research project proposal, intellectual merit, broader impact, student academic preparation, and research project intended outcomes.
- > Funds are paid out to the student account by June 1, 2018.

Summer Graduate Research Fellowships

- > 4 fellowships will be awarded (2 for Master's students, 2 for doctoral students) with the intention of awarding the following:
 - **1 Doctoral and 1 Master's in Area 1:** Mechanical Engineering, Aerospace Engineering, Manufacturing Engineering, Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Systems Engineering, Electrical Engineering, Computer Engineering, Petroleum Engineering, Geological Engineering, Mining Engineering, Nuclear Engineering, Explosives Engineering, Materials Science and Engineering, Ceramic Engineering, Metallurgical Engineering, Chemical Engineering
 - **1 Doctoral and 1 Master's in Area 2:** Business Administration, Information Science and Technology, Engineering Management, Geology and Geophysics, Geotechnics, Computer Science, Physics, Chemistry, Applied and Environmental Biology, Mathematics, Technical Communication, Industrial-Organizational Psychology

Summer Graduate Research Fellowships

> Eligibility:

- Must be a degree-seeking graduate student.
- Must be registered full-time (9 credit hours) in the spring semester prior to the Summer Graduate Research Fellowship.
- Summer enrollment requirements for awardees will be dictated as per Policy memo II-20.
- For Doctoral Students:
 - > Must have taken and passed the qualifying exam but not yet have taken the comprehensive exam.
- For Master's Students:
 - > Must be a thesis student and have completed at least 18 graduate credit hours by June 1 and have submitted the form 1 (plan of study) to the Office of Graduate Studies.
- All research proposals must align with thesis or dissertation projects. **Students can receive the SGRF only once for a given degree program.** If a student graduates after receiving a Research Fellowship and returns to Missouri S&T to complete another degree, he or she may be eligible for another Summer Graduate Research Fellowship in their new degree. [The Summer Graduate Research Fellowship is awarded for \\$1500.](#)
- Students on GRA, GTA, or GA FTE appointment, internship or co-op, or external support **ARE ELIGIBLE** to apply for the SGRF.



Reminder:

Experience S&T and VIP Experience S&T

- > Funded doctoral campus visit program (1:1 departmental match)
- > More info here:
http://grad.mst.edu/futurestudents/funding/experience_st/



Request a Speaker

- > Graduate Studies Recruiters available to come talk to an undergraduate class (ex: Senior Seminar) about why they may want to pursue graduate school, funding opportunities, career options upon graduation, etc.
- > Easy to request someone (even last minute!). Ready made presentation that can be easily “tweaked” for your class.
 - Email Erica Bay, Matt Vogeler, or Adrienne Neckermann directly (for a quick response)
 - > or <
 - Call x4141
- > Typically 30 minutes in length; can be longer or shorter, depending on your need

Spring 2018 Recent and Upcoming Events

February:

- **Creating a Presentation**
Mon, Feb. 5
– 31 attended
- **Writing Workshop: Parts of Speech**
Fri., Feb. 9
– 19 attended
- **Learning about EndNote**
Wed., Feb. 14
– 13 attended
- **MBTI**
Thurs., Feb 15
– 6 attended
- **Write-In**
Fri., Feb 23, 9am-12pm
203 Library
- **Graduate Fellows Poster Session**
Mon., Feb. 26, 9am-3pm
St. Pat's A&B, Havener
- **Formatting your Thesis/Dissertation**
Wed., Feb 28, 12-1pm
Meramec-Gasconade, Havener

March

Mini Thesis/Dissertation Boot Camp

Fri., March 2, 9am-4pm

140 Toomey

Registration Required

Learning about iThenticate

Mon., March 5

206 Comp Sci

Writing a Letter of Intent

Mon., March 12, 12-1pm

305 Norwood

Writing Workshop: Style

Wed., March 21, 12-1pm

208 Norwood Hall

Registration Required

More events online!

grad.mst.edu/events

Spring 2018 Events

April

- **Writing Workshop: Grammar**
Wed., Apr. 11, 12-1pm
208 Norwood
Registration Required
- **Submitting your Thesis/Dissertation to Scholars Mine**
Thurs., Apr. 19, 12-1pm
Location TBD
- **Writing Professional Emails**
Mon., Apr. 23, 12-1pm
305 Norwood
- **Proofreading with Grammarly**
Wed., Apr. 25, 12-1pm
140 Toomey

May

- **Stress Relief**
Thurs., May 10, 1-3pm
Norwood Ground Floor
- **Writing Workshop: Punctuation**
Wed., May 16, 12-1pm
208 Norwood
Registration Required.
- **Write-In**
Wed., May 23, 9am-12pm
203 Library

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Upcoming Deadlines

> March 9

- Form 1B
- Last day to submit thesis for technical editing services (optional)
- Notify Office of Graduate Studies if student will/will not be meeting spring semester deadlines

Thanks for attending!

Next meeting:
March 9, 2018
1-2pm
140 Toomey Hall

