

**OGFA Services and Resources**

* Funding search database
* One-on-one advising
* Document review/feedback
* Additional audience (internal review committee)
* Blackboard Announcements
* Fellowship Workshops
* Newsletter

**OGFA’s Mission**

The Office of Graduate Fellowships and Awards (OGFA) assists currently enrolled FSU graduate students in identifying and obtaining external fellowships, grants, scholarships, and awards.

**International Students   
External Funding Opportunities**

**(See the website for details/deadlines of each award)**

**Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship for Dissertation Completion**

http://www.acls.org/programs/dcf/  
Supports advanced graduate students in the humanities and related social sciences in the last year of PhD dissertation writing.  
 **American Educational Research Association Dissertation Grants**  
http://www.aera.net/ProfessionalOpportunitiesFunding/FundingOpportunities/AERAGrantsProgram/DissertationGrants/tabid/12812/Default.aspx  
Supports doctoral students writing dissertations focusing on U.S. education issues using quantitative data from national data sets.  
 **American Heart Association Predoctoral Fellowship**http://my.americanheart.org/professional/Research/FundingOpportunities/ForScientists/Summer-2013---Predoctoral-Fellowship\_UCM\_443316\_Article.jsp  
Supports research broadly related to cardiovascular function and disease and stroke, or to related clinical, basic science, bioengineering or biotechnology and public health problems.  
 **PEO International Peace Fellowships**www.peointernational.org  
Need based scholarship for citizens of a country other than the US or Canada. In order to qualify for her first scholarship, an applicant must have a full year of coursework remaining and be enrolled and in residence for the entire school year.  
 **Florida Gubernatorial Fellows**http://floridafellows.com/about/program-overview/ A non-partisan program that immerses students from universities in key areas of state government. During their nine-month tenure in Tallahassee, Fellows receive advanced on-the-job training as well as an invaluable front-line view of the inner workings of government.  
Application process scheduled to open in October, deadline is usually in March.  
 **Eisenhower Transportation Fellowship Program**  
http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/tpp/ddetfp.htm   
Funding for graduate students in transportation related fields (see website for transportation-related academic disciplines). Maximum of $10,000 in tuition  
Deadline is usually in February  
 **Golden Key Graduate Scholar Scholarship Award**   
https://www.goldenkey.org/scholarships-awards/scholarship-frame/?scholarship={A0015195-3067-E311-A46F-000C29098C9F}   
Supports members’ post-baccalaureate study at accredited universities anywhere in the world.  
Deadline: December 15, 2015  
 **AAUW Fellowships and Grants**

http://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/   
Fellowships and Grants offered to advance educational and professional opportunities for women in the United States and around the globe. Awards include American Fellowships, Career Development Grants, International Fellowships, Selected Professions Fellowships and Community Action Grants.

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| **Time Prior to Deadline** | **Task to Complete** |
| Anytime | Preliminary meeting with OGFA to discuss options and strategy |
| 3 months | Application components outline |
| 3 months | Contact Sponsored Research Services (SRS) for IDs (if necessary) |
| 2 months | Submit initial draft of documents to OGFA for structure and content review |
| 1.5 months | Submit draft of documents to Writing Center for Additional Audience review |
| 1 month | Submit draft of documents to Major Professor for review (if necessary) |
| 3 weeks | Submit revised drafts of documents to OGFA/Writing Center |
| 2 weeks | Proposal transmittal form signed by Major Professor, Dean & Chair (if necessary) |
| 10 days | Upload documents & submit to SRS (if necessary) |
| 2 days | Submit Final Draft to Fellowship/Award Sponsor |

**Fall 2015 Workshops**

**General Guide to External Funding**   
Thursday, August 27th

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Funding Your Research Abroad**  
Monday, August 31st

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

**Humanities and Social Sciences Dissertation Completion Fellowships**   
Tuesday, September 1st

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

**Opportunities for Women and Minorities**   
Thursday, September 3rd

11:00 am – 12:00 pm

**PREPARING YOUR FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION *(series)***

**CV and Resume**Thursday, September 3rd

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

**Personal Statement**Thursday, September 10th

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm  
 **Research Statements and Proposals**Thursday, September 17th

2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

*All workshops are held in room 3009 in the Honors, Scholars, and Fellows House located at 127 Honors Way. This building is also called the Johnston Annex on the campus map, and it has a Chick Fil A and Rising Roll on the bottom floor.*

**Application Completion Time Table**

**Office of Graduate**

**Fellowships & Awards**

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**Other Funding Resources**

For other types of funding information, please consult the following resources.

* **Internal Fellowships & Awards:** Visit The Graduate School’s website: http://www.gradschool.fsu.edu/Funding-Awards
* **Assistantships:** Contact your department
* **Congress of Graduate Students:** http://sga.fsu.edu/?page\_id=236
* **Employment:** http://www.career.fsu.edu
* **Financial Aid:** http://financialaid.fsu.edu