



Fellowships

The Nuclear Energy University Programs (NEUP) funds graduate fellowships as part of the U.S. Department of Energy's (DOE) ongoing commitment to educating the next generation of nuclear scientists and engineers.

Fellowship recipients receive up to \$155,000 over 3 years to help pay for their graduate studies and research. Fellows complete a 10-week, NEUP-approved internship as part of the award.

Applicants must:

- Be a U.S. citizen or legal permanent resident
- Attend a NEUP-designated college or university
- Be earning a master's degree or Ph.D. in a nuclear energy-related discipline
- Be entering their first or second year of graduate study
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Applicants must provide:

- College transcripts
- A personal statement describing their career goals
- An essay describing their previous research experience
- An essay describing proposed graduate research
- A program eligibility essay
- Three letters of reference.
- Additionally, GRE scores are highly encouraged.

Since FY09, the DOE has awarded 81 graduate fellowships to students from 32 U.S. universities and colleges.



In FY 2012, fellowships were awarded to students at the following universities:

- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Idaho State University
- Kansas State University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
- Texas A&M University
- The Ohio State University
- University of California, Berkeley
- University of Idaho
- University of Michigan
- University of New Mexico
- University of Pittsburgh
- University of South Carolina
- University of Tennessee
- University of Texas, Austin
- University of Wisconsin, Madison
- Utah State University