**Obtaining Outside Funding for Graduate Studies at Loyola in**

**Psychology, Pastoral Counseling, Computer Science, Education, and Business**

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Loyola students in professional studies often inquire about how to find outside funding. Unfortunately many philanthropies and organizations assume that most students in professional studies (business, education, and speech pathology, for example) will have their needs meet through either workplace sponsorship or the ability to self-finance. Even so, scholarships or fellowships are obtainable for the diligent and persistent. These are often found by searching databases and reference guides. A list of these is attached to this handout. On the national level, three of the largest and most prestigious awards are the Fulbright, the Javits, and the Boren.

**The Fulbright Student Program** offers over 1,200 post-baccalaureate fellowships each year for study, research, or teaching assistantship experience in more than 140 countries. Grants are awarded in all fields of study. Recent BA/BS graduates, master's, and doctoral candidates are eligible. The purpose of the grants is to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and other countries through the exchange of persons, knowledge, and skills.

Candidates can design their own programs, including any combination formal coursework, library or field research, independent projects, professional training in the arts, and/or teaching assistantships in English. Projects may include university course work, independent library or field research, or professional training in the arts. Fulbright awards generally cover tuition, maintenance, and travel between home and the host country. The amount may vary according to the cost of living in the host country.

Preference is generally given to those who have not lived abroad for an extended period of time, although junior year abroad or a similar program as part of one’s college program is not an impediment to receiving a Fulbright Grant. An applicant must have proficiency in the written and spoken language of the host country, however certain countries require more or less fluency. The Loyola deadline is the end of August.

[www.fulbrightonline.org](http://www.fulbrightonline.org)

**Javits Fellowships** may be awarded to undergraduate students who are about to enter graduate school and graduate students who have not yet completed their first year of graduate study.  These are awarded to students pursuing doctorate degrees or students pursuing masters degrees if the masters degree is the highest degree offered in the approved field of study.  Approved fields of study include social sciences, the arts, and humanities.  Students must demonstrate (1) superior ability and achievement, (2) exceptional promise, and (3) financial need.

The Fellowship offers up to $30,000 per year consisting of an institutional payment (accepted by the institution of higher education in lieu of all tuition and fees for the fellow) and a stipend (based on the fellow's financial need). The national deadline for applications is early October.

[www.ed.gov/programs/jacobjavits/index.htm](http://www.ed.gov/programs/jacobjavits/index.htm)

**The** **Boren Fellowship** was established in 1991 and is regulated by the National Security Education Program (NSEP). The fellowship provides funding for graduate study in a number of targeted countries and fields.

The sponsor provides American graduate students, both at the master's and the doctoral level, with the resources and encouragement they need to acquire skills and experiences in areas of the world critical to the future security of our nation, in exchange for their commitment to seek work in the federal government. Only U.S. Citizens/Permanent Residents are eligible. The NSEP Service Requirement stipulates that an award recipient work in the Federal Government in a position with national security responsibilities. The Departments of Defense, Homeland Security, State, or any element of the Intelligence Community are priority agencies.

Boren Fellows must begin fulfilling the service requirement within two years of graduation. Boren Fellowships provide support for overseas or domestic study, or a combination of both. The maximum level of support for a combined overseas and domestic program is $30,000 over 24 months. The national deadline is in early February.

[www.borenawards.org/program](http://www.borenawards.org/program)

**Selected Scholarships, Fellowships, and Grants for**

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Information about eligibility requirements, deadlines, and the application process for these scholarships or fellowships is easily located by a simple Google search.

## Business

## American Association of University Women

## American Business Women’s Association

## Business and Professional Women’s Foundation: Career Advancement Scholarships

## C200 Scholars

## Chela Financial

## Daniel B. Goldberg Scholarship

## Defense Acquisition Scholarship Program

## Ethel Louise Armstrong Foundation Scholarship

## George A. Nielsen Public Investor Scholarship

## Institute for Humane Studies

## National Black MBA Association

National Environmental Health Association

## National Society of Hispanic MBA’s

## Robert Bosch Foundation Fellowship Program

## The Educational Foundation of the National Restaurant Association

## The John Gyles Education Fund

**Computer Science**

AFCEA Fellowship

American Society for Engineering Education-National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship

AT&T Labs Fellowship Program (ALFP)

Chateaubriand Fellowship Program - Sciences

CHF- Long-term fellowships-Dissertation Fellowships

Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Scholarship Program

Department of Defence Science, Mathematics And Research for Transformation (SMART) Scholarship

Department of Energy Computational Science Graduate Fellowship

Department of Energy Office of Science Graduate Fellowship (DOE SCGF)

Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowships

Ford Foundation Fellowship Program-Predoctoral Fellowships

GEM MS Engineering Fellowship Program

GEM Ph.D. Engineering Fellowship Program

Hertz Graduate Fellowships

Hispanic Scholarship Fund-Qualcomm Q Awards Scholarship

HORIZONS Scholarship

Hughes (Howard) Medical Institute International Student Research Fellowships

IBM Ph.D. Fellowship Awards Program

Knowles Science Teaching Foundation -Teaching Fellowships (KSTF)

Microsoft Research Graduate Women’s Scholarship

Microsoft Research PhD Fellowship

National Academies-Mirzayan (Christine) Science & Technology Policy Graduate Fellowship

National Academy of Sciences - NRC Research Associateship Programs (RAP)

National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship

National Physical Science Consortium Fellowships

NSF East Asia and Pacific Summer Institutes for US Graduate Students (EAPSI)

NSF Graduate Research Fellowship (GRFP)

Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) Nuclear Education Program Fellowship

Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE)

Ralph W. Shrader Scholarships

Sigma Xi Grants in Aid of Research ((GIAR) Program

Society of Women Engineers

UNCF-Harriett Jenkins Pre-Doctoral Fellowship Program

University of Central Florida-Advanced Simulation and Training Fellowships

US Israel Binational Science Foundation-Travel Grants for Young Scientists

Washington Internships for Students of Engineering (WISE)

Xerox Minority Scholarship

## Education

## American Educational Research Association

## Edward G. Begle Grant for Classroom-Based Research

## Ethel Louise Armstrong Foundation Scholarship

## International Reading Association

## Knowles Science Teaching Foundation

## National AMBUCS Scholarships for Therapists

## **National Council of Teachers of Mathematics**

## National Science Foundation Graduate Fellowships

**Psychology/Pastoral Counseling**

American Association of University Women - American Fellowships (AAUW)

American Psychological Foundation (APF) Fellowships

American Psychological Foundation (APF/COGDOP) Graduate Research Scholarships

APA Deborah Partridge Wolfe International Fellowship

Center for Khmer Studies - Fellowships

Chateaubriand Fellowship Program - Humanities or Social Sciences

DAAD Research Grants

Donald E. Super Fellowship for the Support of Dissertation Research on Career Development

Fellowship on Women & Public Policy

Ford Foundation Dissertation Fellowships

Ford Foundation Fellowship Program-Predoctoral Fellowships

Guggenheim (Harry Frank) Foundation (HFG) Dissertation Fellowships

Institute of International Education (IIE) Fellowships

Jacob K. Javits Fellowships Program

Knowles Science Teaching Foundation -Teaching Fellowships (KSTF)

Mellon/ACLS Dissertation Completion Fellowships

National Academies-Mirzayan (Christine) Science & Technology Policy Graduate Fellowship

NSF-SBE Minority Postdoctoral Research Fellowships

Reed Foundation - Ruth Landes Memorial Research Fund

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Awards for Individual Predoctoral Fellows

Ruth L. Kirschstein National Research Service Awards, Individual Predoc. Fellowships to Promote Diversity

Sigma Xi Grants in Aid of Research (GIAR) Program

Social Science Research Council (SSRC) Dissertation Proposal Development Fellowship (DPDF)

Title VIII Research Scholar Program

US Holocaust Memorial Museum Fellowships

**Speech Pathology**

## American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation Graduate Scholarship

## American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation Research Grant for New Investigators

## American Speech-Language-Hearing Foundation Student Research Grant in Audiology

## ASHF Graduate Student Scholarship for Minority Students

## ASHF Leslie Isenburg Graduate Scholarship for Students with a Disability

## ASHF Student Research Grant in Early Childhood Language Development

## Kala Singh Graduate Scholarship for International Students

## National AMBUCS Scholarships for Therapists

## New Century Scholars Program Doctoral Scholarship Competition

## New Century Scholars Program Research Grant Competition

**Reference Books on Scholarships and Grants**

*Annual Register of Grant Support*. Wilmette, Ill.: National Register Publishing Company. REF.AS911.A2A67.

A comprehensive guide to fellowships, grant support programs or government agencies, foundations, business, and professional organizations.

*College Blue Book*. (annual). v. 5. ***Scholarships,* *fellowships,* *grants,* *and* *loans.*** New York: Macmillan. REF LA226.C685 v.5

*College Money Handbook*. Princeton, N.J.: Peterson’s Guides. REF LB2337.4 .C66

*Directory of Financial Aids for Women.* Redwood City, California: Reference Service Press. REF.LB2338.S342.

*Directory of Financial Aids for Minorities*. Santa Barbara: ABC Clio Information Services. REF.LB.2338.D56

*Directory of Research Grants*. REF LB2338 .W55 (annual) Phoenix: Oryx Press.

*Financial Aid Book: the Insider’s Guide to Private Grants and Fellowships*. Seattle, WA: Perpetual Press. REF [LB2337.3 .F56 1996](http://voyager.lndl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?SC=CallNumber&SEQ=20040225133555&PID=806&SA=LB2337.3+.F56+1996)

*Financial Assistance by Geographical Area.* Rockville, MD: Dept. of Health and Human Services. REF LB2342.F48

*The Foundation Directory*. New York: Foundation Center. REF.AS911.ASF771.

Annual listing of foundations, arranged geographically, many of which award grants or fellowships.

*The Grants Register*. New York: St. Martin’s Press. (annual). REF.LB2338.G7.

International directory of fellowships, grants and financial aids available to graduate students and advanced scholars throughout the English-speaking world.

*Harvard College Guide to Grants*. Harvard: Office of Career Services. REF LB2338. 12th ed. (order pending 02-23-04)

*National Directory of Scholarships, Internships and Fellowships for Latino Students*. Washington, D.C.: Congressional Hispanic Caucus Institute. REF LB2338.D57

*Scholarships, Fellowships, and Loans.* Boston, Mass: Bellman Pub. Co. REF LB2338.S35

**Related Reference Books**

***Peterson’s graduate programs in the biological sciences. (annual)*** Princeton, N.J.: Peterson’s**REF** [L901 .P4574](http://voyager.lndl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?SC=CallNumber&SEQ=20040225140707&PID=1901&SA=L901+.P4574)

*Peterson’s graduate programs in business, education, health, information studies, law & social work.* (annual) Princeton, N.J.: Peterson’s. REF [L901 .P459](http://voyager.lndl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?SC=CallNumber&SEQ=20040225140955&PID=1901&SA=L901+.P459)

*Peterson’s graduate programs in engineering & applied sciences*. (annual) Princeton, N.J.: Peterson’s REF [L901 .P446](http://voyager.lndl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?SC=CallNumber&SEQ=20040225140916&PID=1901&SA=L901+.P446)

***Peterson’s graduate programs in the humanities, arts & social sciences*. (annual)**Princeton, N.J.: Peterson’s REF [L901 .P443](http://voyager.lndl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?SC=CallNumber&SEQ=20040225140750&PID=1901&SA=L901+.P443)

*Peterson’s graduate programs in the physical sciences, mathematics, agricultural sciences, the environment & natural resources*. (annual) REF [L901 .P445](http://voyager.lndl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?SC=CallNumber&SEQ=20040225140812&PID=1901&SA=L901+.P445)

*World of Learning*. (annual).London: Europe Publications, Ltd. REF.A52.W6.

Data on international universities, colleges, libraries, museums, art galleries, learned societies, research institutes.

Note: For additions to this list, check the library catalog (SHARC) on the library’s Web site at [www.loyola.edu/library](http://www.loyola.edu/library) or contact the reference librarians at the Loyola/Notre Dame Library.

**Web resources**

Electronic Databases: available from the library’s Web site at [www.loyola.edu/library](http://www.loyola.edu/library) or from the links listed below.

Associations Unlimited (<http://www.loyola.edu/library/database_a.htm>)

Profiles of organizations & associations world-wide, plus IRS data on over 300,000 nonprofit organizations.

College Source Online (http://www.loyola.edu/library/database\_c.htm)

Over 27,000 college catalogs including graduate programs

**Additional Websites**

FastWeb: (www.[fastweb.monster.com/](http://fastweb.monster.com/))

Search for U.S. scholarships, fellowships, internships, grants, and loans.

[FinAid: The SmartStudent Guide to Financial Aid](http://www.finaid.org/) (finaid.org)

Topics include loans, scholarships, military aid, fellowships, grants, study abroad, and resources for specific populations and programs of study.

SRA International GrantsWeb ([www.srainternational.org/newweb/grantsweb/index.cfm](http://www.srainternational.org/newweb/grantsweb/index.cfm))

U.S. Department of Education ([www.ed.gov](http://www.ed.gov))

Links to government and private sources for scholarships and grants.

**Searchable Databases for Research and Fellowship Funding**

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| [GENIUS/SMARTS/SPIN](http://www.rochester.edu/ORPA/INFOED/) | Primary source profiles of scholars and researchers and an electronic matching and funding opportunities notification system.  <http://www.rochester.edu/ORPA/INFOED/> |
| [SPIN](http://spin2000.infoed.org/new_spin/spinmain.asp) | Detailed and current information about government and private funding opportunities.  <http://spin2000.infoed.org/new_spin/spinmain.asp> |
| [University of Rochester ORPA](http://www.rochester.edu/orpa) | UR Office of Research Projects Administration (ORPA) offers a host of information concerning regulations and policies, publications and reports, and funding opportunities  <http://www.rochester.edu/orpa> |
| [Duke](http://researchfunding.duke.edu/) | Duke University online database for funding options for researchers.  <http://researchfunding.duke.edu/> |
| [Columbia](http://www.ais.columbia.edu/sws/gsas/list.php?cat=4.0) | Columbia University Graduate School of Arts and Sciences online database for funding options.  <http://www.ais.columbia.edu/sws/gsas/list.php?cat=4.0> |
| [UCLA](http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/asis/grapes/results.asp) | UCLA Graduate Division online database for funding options.  <http://www.gdnet.ucla.edu/asis/grapes/results.asp> |
| [Grants.gov](http://www.grants.gov/search/category.do) | Search all federal grants by category, keyword, CFDA number or agency.  <http://www.grants.gov/search/category.do> |
| [FedConnect—searchable public opportunities](https://www.fedconnect.net) | Web portal that offers bi-directional communication between government and the vendor and grants communities.  <https://www.fedconnect.net/> |
| [AAAS GrantsNet](http://sciencecareers.sciencemag.org/funding?global_indv_key=&global_indv_type=&global_pgm_levl=&global_session_id=) | The American Association for the Advancement of Science hosts an online database for funding.  <http://sciencecareers.sciencemag.org/funding?global_indv_key=&global_indv_type=&global_pgm_levl=&global_session_id>= |
| [Humanities and Social Sciences Online](http://www.h-net.org/announce/group.cgi?type=Funding) | Database of funding opportunities for Humanities and Social Sciences.  <http://www.h-net.org/announce/group.cgi?type=Funding> |
| [Philanthropy News Digest](http://foundationcenter.org/pnd/) | Latest Philanthropy News.  <http://foundationcenter.org/pnd/> |