



The Graduate School

2019-2020 FAMU Feeder Fellowship Guidelines

Florida State University's Graduate School has partnered with the Graduate Feeders Scholars Program at Florida A&M University to provide FAMU students the opportunity to pursue advanced study in graduate programs traditionally not available at FAMU.

Duration of Award:

- ☐ Four years for doctoral degree-seeking students
- ☐ Two years for master's degree-seeking students

Amount of Award Annually:

- ☐ *\$7,250 stipend for each semester (Fall and Spring)
- ☐ Tuition waivers up to 12 credit hours for each semester (Fall and Spring)
- ☐ Health insurance subsidy (subject to change, and given as a payroll supplement unless there is a graduate appointment, in which case it will be payroll deducted for the subsidy amount based on the FTE of the appointment and a payroll supplement (post tax) for the differential, if the FTE is less than .5)

*May supplement a departmental offer. FAMU Feeder Fellows may not receive more than one fellowship from or administered by The Graduate School at any one time.

Eligibility:

- ☐ Successfully complete the Graduate Feeder Scholars Program (GFSP) at Florida A&M University prior to submitting an application to this fellowship program
- ☐ Meet minimum standards for admission
- ☐ Be admitted to FSU admissions systems as a NEW full-time masters or doctoral student by an academic program for the Fall 2019 semester by March 1st. Special, part-time, or provisional students will not be considered for the fellowship.
- ☐ U.S. citizens must qualify for need-based funding as determined by the federal government and the Florida State University Office of Financial Aid for the amounts provided by this award. **NOTE: FAFSA must be submitted and need determined prior to the submission of the fellowship application.** International students will also be considered for the FAMU Feeder Fellowship, however, they must qualify by the federal government to receive payments and adhere to international payment guidelines for FSU.
- ☐ May not hold this fellowship in conjunction with any other Graduate School-administered fellowship.

Application Deadline:

- ☐ February 8, 2019 (11:59pm EST) – submit graduate application to Florida State for Fall 2019
- ☐ February 22, 2019 (11:59pm EST) - submission of fellowship essay found in the graduate application online checklist

Application Submission Instructions: The Graduate Schools' online application system will be used for this fellowship.

Step 1. Interested students must apply to the desired graduate program with FSU.

Step 2. The student will be sent an instructional email prompting them to apply through a form in their graduate application online checklist.

Note: A one page essay on what you hope to gain from the FAMU Feeder Fellowship and how it fits into your academic plan to pursue a graduate degree is needed to complete the application form:

The deadline for submission of the fellowship application is February 22, 2019 at 11:59pm. The Graduate School will review applications and make offers in early to mid-March.

For questions regarding this fellowship, please contact The Graduate School:

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