

Limited awards of up to \$1,000 are available each semester on a competitive basis to students in any academic area in the form of grants for special merit and quality scholarship of doctoral/graduate student research and creative activities associated with a dissertation, thesis, or project.

*Application/nomination forms are available at www.fresnostate.edu/academics/gradstudies under the “Financial Aid” link, then “Financial Opportunities” through the Division of Graduate Studies.

Graduate Student Travel Grants*

Travel grants are available to graduate students who have had papers and/or posters accepted for presentation at major, professional conferences or society meetings.

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California Graduate Equity Fellowship Program*

Fellowships of up to \$2,000 are available for underrepresented graduate students who qualify. The California Graduate Equity Fellowship Program seeks to increase the diversity of students completing graduate degree programs at California State University, Fresno and encourages continuation to doctoral programs and consideration of university faculty careers. It provides fellowships for economically disadvantaged graduate students (especially those from groups that are underrepresented among graduate degree recipients in their areas of study) and promotes faculty mentoring and research opportunities. Filing deadlines are in the spring for funding in the following academic year.

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Robert and Norma Craig Fellowship*

These fellowships, awarding student stipends of up to \$1,000 each, provide benefits for both graduate students and faculty. Eligible projects will include such mentored activities as research, instructional assistance, or other faculty-assigned duties. Nominations are due at the announced fall deadline, and must be jointly developed by the faculty member and the graduate student(s).

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California Pre-Doctoral Program for Undergraduate and Graduate Students*

The California Pre-Doctoral Program is designed to increase the pool of potential faculty by supporting the doctoral aspirations of California State University students who have experienced economic and educational disadvantages. The program provides travel funds for qualified students to visit institutions that grant the doctorate and/or attend professional meetings with a faculty sponsor. Students in the program may also be considered to participate in a summer research program at a UC or CSU campus.

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President's Graduate Scholars Scholarships*

Each year Fresno State awards entering graduate students President's Graduate Scholars scholarships of up to \$3,500 each. President's Graduate Scholars may obtain a second year of funding if satisfactory progress is maintained. Nominees must be incoming first-semester graduate degree or doctoral students for the fall semester.

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University Scholarships for Graduate Students

Scholarship applications and information for postbaccalaureate/graduate students for the current academic year will only be available and accepted online. Students may log on to <http://fresnostate.edu/studentaffairs/scholarships> and click on Scholarship Application.

The “priority application” period for “full consideration” of scholarship opportunities has been established as September 1 through February 28.

Definition of Full-Time Student