Selected Major Fellowships Opportunities for Domestic Students Interested in Research or Study Abroad

**American Philosophical Society Lewis and Clark Fund for Exploration and Field Research**
Encourages exploratory field studies and field-based data collection providing $5,000 in funding for research expenses.
Website: [https://www.amphilsoc.org/grants/lewis-and-clark-fund-exploration-and-field-research](https://www.amphilsoc.org/grants/lewis-and-clark-fund-exploration-and-field-research)

**Boren Graduate Fellowships**
Boren Fellowships provide up to $24,000 to U.S. graduate students to add an important international and language component to their graduate education through specialization in area study, language study, or increased language proficiency. Boren Fellowships support study and research in areas of the world that are critical to U.S. interests, including Africa, Asia, Central & Eastern Europe, Latin America, and the Middle East.
Eligibility: Must be US citizen
Deadline: January 26, 2022
UArizona contact: Valeria Quijada, valeriaq@arizona.edu
Website: [https://www.borenawards.org/](https://www.borenawards.org/)

**Catholic Relief Services International Development Services**
Catholic Relief Services' International Development Fellows Program prepares dedicated global citizens to pursue a career in international relief & development work. CRS empowers Fellows to hone their skills and gain practical field experience while contributing to impactful work. Each Fellow works alongside experienced CRS staff to address critical issues facing developing countries today. CRS invites applicants of diverse backgrounds who are committed to our agency mission and strategy.
Citizenship: Unspecified
Deadline: Will reopen fall 2022
Website: [http://www.crs.org/about/careers/fellowships/](http://www.crs.org/about/careers/fellowships/)

**Chateaubriand Fellowship**
The Chateaubriand Fellowship program, organized by the Office for Science and Technology of the Embassy of France in Washington, finances the stay in France of American PhD students for a period ranging from 4 to 9 months, as part of a co-supervised research project, and possibly the joint supervision ("cotutelle") of their thesis leading to a dual PhD diploma.
Eligibility: You must be a student in an American university (U.S. citizenship is not required)
Deadline: January 2022 (will reopen fall 2022)
Website: [http://chateaubriand-fellowship.org/](http://chateaubriand-fellowship.org/)

**Council of American Overseas Research Centers**
The Council of American Overseas Research Centers offers a focused regional fellowship program enabling pre- and early postdoctoral scholars to carry out research in the humanities and related social sciences in countries bordering the Mediterranean and served by American overseas research centers.
Eligibility: U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident
Critical Language Scholarship
The CLS Program is part of a U.S. government effort to expand dramatically the number of Americans studying and mastering critical foreign languages. Students of diverse disciplines and majors are encouraged to apply. Participants are expected to continue their language study beyond the scholarship period, and later apply their critical language skills in their future professional careers.
Website: https://clscholarship.org/apply

DAAD Research Grants
Research grants are awarded primarily to highly qualified PhD candidates who are early in their academic/professional careers or to individuals wishing to earn a doctoral degree in Germany. Funding may also be granted to recent PhDs who would like to conduct research.” DAAD has both long-term and short-term research grants.
https://www.daad.org/en/find-funding/graduate-opportunities/

Foreign Language and Area Studies Program (FLAS) – Title VI –
The program funds centers around the country that provide fellowships to promote foreign language competencies. The UArizona is home a program in the Center for Middle Eastern Studies (http://cmes.arizona.edu/FLAS) and Latin American Studies (https://las.arizona.edu/flas). Some other FLAS programs at other institutions are open for all students. Institutions compete every four years for the program. A list of currently funded institutions is at: http://www2.ed.gov/programs/iegpsflasf/awards.html

Fulbright Student Program – Institute of International Education (IIE)
Fulbright administers several fellowships for US students – research, arts, English teaching assistantships, and others.
Eligibility: must be US citizen or permanent resident
Deadline: Fall 2022
Website: http://www.iie.org/fulbright
UArizona contact: Valeria Quijada (it is a good idea to contact her now!), valeriaq@arizona.edu

Fulbright Canada – The U.S.-Canada Fulbright Program
Traditional Fulbright Student Awards are available for recent undergraduates, graduate students, and junior faculty who wish to pursue graduate study or independent research in Canada.
Eligibility: Must be citizen of either Canada or the U.S.
Website: http://www.fulbright.ca/programs/american-students.html

Fulbright Hays – Doctoral Dissertation Research Abroad
Funded by the Department of Education, these fellowships support individual doctoral students who conduct dissertation research in non-western countries for six to twelve months. Must have proficiency in the language of research. Contact Shelley Hawthorne Smith (shellh@arizona.edu) for information.
Eligibility: Must be US citizen or permanent resident
Deadline: TBA
Website: [http://www2.ed.gov/programs/iegpsddrap/index.html](http://www2.ed.gov/programs/iegpsddrap/index.html)

**Mellon International Dissertation Research Fellowship (IDRF)**
The Social Science Research Council Mellon International Dissertation Research Fellowship (IDRF) offers nine to twelve months of support to graduate students in the humanities and humanistic social sciences who are enrolled in PhD programs in the United States and conducting dissertation research on non-US topics. Eighty fellowships are awarded annually.
Eligibility: Open to any student enrolled in a PhD program in the US
Deadline: Fall 2022
Website: [https://www.ssrc.org/programs/idrf/international-dissertation-research-fellowship/](https://www.ssrc.org/programs/idrf/international-dissertation-research-fellowship/)

**National Geographic Society Level 1 Grants**
Level 1 grants receive funding up to $20,000 and offer unique opportunities for training, networking, coaching, mentorship, and more from fellow National Geographic Explorers, experts, staff, partners, and forums.
Website: [https://www.nationalgeographic.org/society/grants-and-investments/](https://www.nationalgeographic.org/society/grants-and-investments/)

DDIGs are intended to improve dissertations and can be used for overseas research. Not all directorates offer DDIGs or DDRIGS, but check on the website below.
Eligibility: The PI for a DDIG is a student’s advisor, so international students are eligible
Deadlines: Vary by discipline

**Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education (ORISE)**
ORISE provides fellowships, scholarships, research experiences, and internships to graduate students in science and engineering fields. Some programs have locations outside of the US.
Eligibility: Varies with program
Deadlines: Vary with program

**Smithsonian Fellowships and Internships**
Hundreds of graduate students and holders of doctorates come to the Smithsonian to do independent research under the guidance of a member of our world-class research staff. Fellows study and work intensively with Smithsonian collections and experts in their fields and beyond.
In addition, more than 1,500 students pursue internships offered across the organization.
Website: [https://www.si.edu/ofii](https://www.si.edu/ofii)

**Social Science Research Council (SSRC)**
The SSRC supports several fellowships that fund research abroad. Eligibility and deadlines vary among programs. See the website for more details.
Website: [http://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/](http://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/)
**Tinker Field Research Grants** (competition is held just for UArizona students)
These pre-doctoral research grants provide graduate students regardless of discipline funds to travel to and within Latin America in order to conduct preliminary investigations or gain a comprehensive knowledge of language and culture.
Eligibility: Unrestricted
Deadline: Competition usually opens in January or February
Website: [https://las.arizona.edu/tinker](https://las.arizona.edu/tinker)

**University of Arizona Graduate and Professional Student Council (GPSC) Travel Awards**
The GPSC awards grants for graduate student travel for professional development or fieldwork purposes. Awards range from $750 (domestic) to $1,000 (international). Website: [https://gpsc.arizona.edu/travel-grants](https://gpsc.arizona.edu/travel-grants)

**University of Arizona Graduate and Professional Student Council (GPSC) Research Awards**
GPSC offers research grants of up to $1,500 to fund research projects for graduate students. Website: [https://gpsc.arizona.edu/research-grants](https://gpsc.arizona.edu/research-grants)

**University of Arizona Graduate College Funding:**
The list includes some travel funding for students in GIDP programs [https://grad.arizona.edu/funding/opportunities](https://grad.arizona.edu/funding/opportunities)

**University of Arizona Institutes for Resilience (AIR)**
Links to internal as well as external opportunities for graduate student.
Website: [https://www.environment.arizona.edu/students/scholarships-funding](https://www.environment.arizona.edu/students/scholarships-funding)

**University of Arizona Social & Behavioral Sciences Research Institute (SBSRI)**
- Pre-Doctoral Research Grants: Provides up to $500 for PhD and Master's research activities. Allowable expenses include research-related travel and expenses, subject payment, supplies, and small equipment.
- Dissertation Research Grants: Provides up to $2,000 for graduate students who have advanced to PhD candidacy and who require funding to conduct their dissertation research.
- Website: [https://sbsri.sbs.arizona.edu/sbsri-funding](https://sbsri.sbs.arizona.edu/sbsri-funding)

*This is just a few! We encourage you to do your own search as well:*
[https://gradcenter.arizona.edu/gcof/tags/finding-funding](https://gradcenter.arizona.edu/gcof/tags/finding-funding)