

GRANTS AND AWARDS

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California Pre-Doctoral Program (Sally Casanova)

Application Period:

Start of the year.

The Pre-doctoral program is designed to increase the pool of potential university faculty by supporting the doctoral aspirations of individuals who are: current upper division or graduate students in the CSU system; economically and educationally disadvantaged, and U.S. citizens or permanent residents. The grant provides up to \$3,000 for students to use for: exposure to research in their chosen fields; visits to doctoral-granting institutions, national symposiums or professional meetings; membership in professional organizations; subscriptions to academic journals; graduate school application fees; graduate examination fees, books and materials.

To apply, you will need a completed application, short essay responses, copy of your undergraduate and graduate transcripts, a student budget plan, and a letter of recommendation from your faculty mentor.

Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program (CDIP)

Application Period:

Start of the year.

This program is designed to increase the diversity of persons qualified to fill instructional faculty positions at campuses in the CSU system. This is a competitive program directed by the CSU system, but it is open to doctoral students at accredited universities across the country. Once awarded, students can receive loans of up to \$10,000 per year up to a total of \$30,000 within five years for students enrolling in doctoral programs. Applicants must be applying to a doctoral program, obtain sponsorship from a CSU faculty member, and have aspirations of returning to teach in the CSU system.

To apply, you will need a curriculum vitae, qualifications and motivation statement, faculty mentor collaborative plan of support, three letters of recommendation, and a CSU faculty position announcement.

Graduate Equity Fellowship

Application Period:

Spring

A grant offered to graduate students who have experienced economic and educational disadvantages. Students must meet financial and academic requirements and be classified or conditionally classified in a graduate program at Sacramento State. Once awarded, the grant can be received for up to four (4) semesters. The amount of the grant award varies with each semester.

To apply you will need a completed application, a copy of all college transcripts, two letters of recommendation (CSUS faculty preferred), and proof of eligibility for financial aid.

For more information on the applications and for current due dates, please visit the [Office of Graduate Diversity website](#).

