

The Graduate Association of Students in Public Policy and Administration (GASPPA) is honored to present its first **Diversity**, **Equity**, **and Inclusion Scholarship** (**DEIS**) during the 2021-22 school year. The DEIS was created by the 2020-21 GASPPA Board in their commitment towards positive social change, and will be executed by this year's board in partnership with Sacramento State Public Policy & Administration (PPA) faculty.

Mission: The mission of this scholarship is to encourage the study of subjects that empower future leaders to imagine and build diverse, equitable, and inclusive policies through problem solving and analysis.

The award(s) are intended to recognize that a diverse campus community enhances our institutional excellence by broadening and strengthening the university's mission and vision.

Criteria: The DEIS will recognize PPA students who demonstrate experience and/or motivation to advance social and racial justice through the study and practice of public policy and administration. Scholarship applications should demonstrate a commitment to providing leadership through public service, public administration, and/or scholarly research.

All Sac State PPA students enrolled in at least one PPA class are eligible to apply. First-year students shall receive priority selection.

Deadline: Late fall semester (To Be Announced)

Awards: Awards may vary and depend on the number of recipients. Our goal is to distribute three \$250 awards each year, depending on the availability of funds.

Selection Committee: The DEIS selection committee will consist of the PPA Department Chair, a PPA faculty member, and a member of the GASPPA board.

If you wish to contribute to our scholarship fund, please visit www.csus.edu/give. Thank you for your support.