



NSF EPSCoR Graduate Fellowship Program (EGFP)

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PI Institutions Step 1: Submit a Proposal

- **Meet the eligibility criteria** outlined in the program solicitation (NSF 24-588) which includes being in an **NSF designated EPSCoR jurisdiction**
- Institutions **can be new to NSF** and without a current association with any NSF program
- Submit proposal via Research.gov or Grants.gov by **Oct 2, 2024, 5 p.m. local time**

Step 2: Register in ETAP

- Funded institutions, **register** in ETAP <https://etap.nsf.gov/>
- If declined, read through reviews and available information, contact EGFP (egfp@nsf.gov) with any questions
- EGFP Institutions will be listed in ETAP early Spring 2025

Step 3: Reply to applicants

- **Reply** to student applications in ETAP
- NSF confirms applicant HM eligibility
- **Admit students** to EGFP funded programs through ETAP, **institutions may have additional admission criteria**
- Potential Fellows **need not** have current institution affiliation
- **Institutions receive** \$37,000 for stipends and \$16,000 for tuition and fees for 3 funded years and Fellows have 5 years to utilize the funding

Potential Fellows Step 1: Confirm Eligibility

- **Meet Fellow requirements** in the solicitation (NSF 24-588), including GRFP HM designation in 2022, 2023, 2024, or 2025
- Eligibility is **not** related to current graduate program acceptance, **nor** enrollment in a graduate degree program, **nor** years of graduate study
- **Neither previously** chosen field of study **nor** current year factor into eligibility

Step 2: Register in NSF ETAP

- Education & Training Application, <https://etap.nsf.gov/>
- Applicants are **not required** to be in grad school **nor** to be associated with an EGFP institution before registration
- EGFP Institutions will be listed in ETAP early Spring 2025

Step 3: Apply to Institutions through ETAP

- **Become familiar with EGFP institutions** and their available resources, then **apply** to EGFP institutions through ETAP
- Applicants **must be accepted** by an EGFP institution and designated program to become a Fellow
- Fellows receive **\$37,000 for stipend** and **\$16,000 for tuition and fees** for 3 funded years and have 5 years to utilize the funding

For additional details & office hours visit: <https://new.nsf.gov/funding/opportunities/nsf-epscor-graduate-fellowship-program-egfp>

For a list of NSF EPSCoR Jurisdictions visit: <https://new.nsf.gov/funding/initiatives/epscor>