



PROGRAM NOMINATIONS DUE MARCH 15

The Summer Mentoring Fellowship is one of several UCF graduate awards available to underrepresented students. If you are a new incoming student interested in doing research with a faculty mentor, the Summer Mentoring Fellowship can help support this endeavor.

Here's how to apply:

Eligibility

- Available to incoming underrepresented graduate students who have been accepted to a graduate degree program (provisional acceptance is acceptable) for the Summer or following Fall semester. Fall admits who participate in the program will have their admission term changed to Summer.
- Students must be United States citizens or permanent resident aliens.
- Students must have a completed bachelor's degree by the start of the Summer C semester.
- A competitive GRE or GMAT score for your program and a 3.0 GPA for the last 60 hours of undergraduate study.
- Students can be awarded the fellowship only once in their graduate academic careers.

Requirements

- If you are interested in this fellowship program, talk with your graduate program director. Also, contact the UCF College of Graduate Studies fellowship office (gradfellowship@ucf.edu) for the details of the program.
- Students selected for this fellowship must complete a Summer Mentoring Research Agreement (please visit funding.graduate.ucf.edu/fellowships to download the form).
- Summer Mentoring recipients work 20 hours a week with their mentors on their approved projects.

- Students must enroll in 6 graduate hours in Directed Research or Independent Study.
- Students are required to participate in a series of professional development workshops and give a final research presentation. Please note that the program will be held virtually in Summer 2021.

Financial Support

- Provides a \$4,500 fellowship for underrepresented graduate students to work closely with a faculty member on a research project during the summer term.
- UCF College of Graduate Studies pays the tuition charges for 6 graduate hours. The student is responsible for the payment of local fees (health fee, athletic fee, building fee, etc.).

Health Insurance:

A UCF Student Health Insurance Policy through UnitedHealthcare and Serviced by Gallagher Student Health & Special Risk will be provided for your individual coverage for the duration of the award.

More Information

For UCF fellowship applications, go to funding.graduate.ucf.edu/fellowships.
If you have questions about UCF fellowships, contact us at gradfellowship@ucf.edu or call 407-823-2766.



Graduate Studies Summer Mentoring Fellowship Application

Required for the College of Graduate Studies Mentoring Fellowship only.

Student / Mentee Information

Student/Mentee Name : _____ **Empl ID:** _____

Please note that both mentor and mentee are required to participate virtually for the duration of the Summer C term.

Mentors will be required to submit progress reports (at midterm and end of term) on their mentee's achievements. UCF College of Graduate Studies will request these progress reports from mentors.

In the space below, please provide a brief explanation of your planned research.

Adviser / Mentor Information

Adviser/Mentor Name : _____

College: _____ Dept: _____

Title/Position: _____ Office Location: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

To be completed by Adviser/Mentor:

Describe your expectations for this student (hours per week of research/study, meeting schedule, weekly updates on progress, mid semester reports, etc.)

Mentor / Mentee Signature

Adviser/Mentor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Student/Mentee:

I agree to perform up to the described expectations of my mentor.

Student/Mentee Signature: _____ Date: _____