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Apply for NIJ's Graduate Research Fellowship (GRF). By supporting outstanding graduate research, NIJ is expanding the pool of young investigators whose work has the potential to affect issues of crime and the fair and impartial administration of criminal justice in the United States.

Eligibility

Students must (1) be enrolled full time in a Ph.D. program in a science or engineering field and (2) propose dissertation research relevant to improving criminal justice practice or policy in the United States.

Applications are submitted by the university, which must be an accredited academic institution in the United States or its territories.

Benefits

- \$35,000 annual student salary
- \$12,000 annually for tuition, fees, and administrative costs
- \$3,000 annually for research expenses
- Up to three years of funding, usable over a five-year period.

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Disciplines include, but are not limited to:

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- Information Sciences
- Materials Science
- Mathematics
- Neuroscience
- Pathology
- Physics
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Public Administration
- Public Health
- Public Policy
- Sociology

Deadline: April 15, 2020

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