

# <u>David R. Scott Fellowship</u> Guidelines for the 2023-2024 Fellowship Year

Applications Due: November 21, 2022 (11:59pm)

The David R. Scott Graduate Fellowship Fund will be used for the purpose of providing support to Laney Graduate School students, with a primary preference for those who are sixth year Sociology students working in the Emory Center for Digital Scholarship (ECDS), or future equivalent. Secondary preference is for sixth year History students who are working in the ECDS, and a tertiary preference for any sixth-year students in social science or humanities disciplines. The fellow will receive a 9-month stipend (September - May) along with a 100% subsidy for the Emory University Student Health Insurance Plan (EUSHIP). The first stipend payment will be at the end of September and the final payment will be at the end of May. The stipend will be \$25,738 paid over 9-months.

When applicable, the David R. Scott Graduate Fellowship replaces other graduate school stipend and scholarship funding a student may have been scheduled to receive for the fellowship year, and the eligibility for that other funding cannot be reserved to be used in a subsequent year. Fellows are eligible for Professional Development Support funds subject to the usual criteria. Fellows who receive offers for other awards should contact the Laney Graduate School to determine whether the two awards may be held concurrently.

#### Eligibility:

To be considered for the fellowship, applicants must:

- be full time students in a doctoral program, in good standing;
- be in candidacy at the time of application;
- be in their 5th, 6th, or 7th year of graduate study at the time of application; while students in their 7th year are eligible to apply, preference will be given to students in their 5th or 6th year who show that they are likely to complete their dissertations during the fellowship year
- not have held an Emory completion fellowship in a previous year

## Role in ECDS

The Emory Center for Digital Scholarship (ECDS) provides consulting expertise, project coordination, and a technology-rich collaborative space for faculty, staff, and students to incorporate digital tools and methods into research, teaching, and publishing. The multidisciplinary ECDS staff of technologists, librarians, faculty, curriculum designers, and students work with scholars at Emory and partner institutions to create innovative and sustainable models of digital scholarship and pedagogy for academic and public use.

The fellow's responsibilities, which require 16 hours a week, will include supporting the development of the Apollo 15 Learning Hub, the objective of which is to assemble, preserve, and make available primary source records of Apollo for research, education, history, and as an example of a unique human endeavor. Support duties may include data formatting and research, testing and validation of the site functionality and content, and Omeka coding and configuration. Additional duties may include possible creation, filming, and editing of

oral histories, support or creation of companion websites, the integration of 3D technology-based media, assisting the Digital Visualization Lab in the development of 3D modeling projects, virtual or augmented reality projects, or mapping, and other duties as assigned. ECDS will guide the fellow through any needed training, providing the fellow with the opportunity to learn digital scholarship skills and an overview of digital scholarships.

## **Application Materials**

- 1. **A cover letter (uploaded as statement of purpose)** describing your work and why this fellowship is a good fit
- 2. A current CV
- 3. A letter of recommendation from your advisor

### **ADMIT Submission**

All nominations and applications, including supporting materials, will be uploaded using ADMIT.

- 1. Go to <a href="https://www.applyweb.com/emoryfel/index.ftl">https://www.applyweb.com/emoryfel/index.ftl</a> and log in using your regular ADMIT net ID and password.
- 2. Select your fellowship from the drop-down box and follow the upload fields. The application will not let you proceed until you upload all the necessary materials.
- 3. If you are applying for multiple fellowships, you must finish and submit one application before you can begin another.

If you have questions about using ADMIT, please contact <u>LGS.profdev@emory.edu</u>. You will need to upload the application items as <u>PDF</u> files.

## **Award Notifications**

Awardees will be notified by mid-December 2022.

### Questions?

Contact LGS.profdev@emory.edu.