



## 2020 David R. Scott Graduate Fellowship Guidelines for the 2020-2021 Fellowship Year

**Applications due Monday, March 16th, 2020, 11:59 pm**

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 of \$23, 250 with a health insurance subsidy for the 20-21 year and is expected to fulfill the responsibilities of the fellowship below. The first payment will be at the end of September and the final payment will be at the end of May.

### Eligibility

To be considered for the fellowship, applicants must:

- be full time students in a doctoral program, in good standing both in the Laney Graduate School and in their programs
- be in candidacy at the time of application
- be in their 7<sup>th</sup> or earlier year of graduate study at the time of application. While students in their 7<sup>th</sup> year are eligible to apply for the fellowship, preference will be given to students in their 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> 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

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.

### 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 will include supporting the creation 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 an example of a unique human endeavor. Support duties may include data formatting and research, Omeka coding and configuration, possible creation, filming, and editing of oral histories, the integration of 3D technology-based media, testing and validation of the site functionality and content, 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.

### **Student Applications – to be submitted by the student**

Each student should submit a full application as one pdf to Jay Hughes, containing the following items:

- 1) **A one-page application describing your work and why this fellowship is a good fit**
- 2) **A short memo of support from your advisor**
- 3) **A current CV**

**Note that this application must be in ONE pdf document.** There are a number of ways to produce pdf files, including scanning. To help keep file sizes to a minimum, please treat scanning as the method of last resort, to be used only for items that exist only on paper. -- You'll find some helpful information about producing pdf documents on our website.

Please submit a complete application to Dr. James Hughes at [jlhughe@emory.edu](mailto:jlhughe@emory.edu)

**Partial or incomplete applications will not be considered. Applications which are not submitted as one PDF will not be considered.**

### **Questions?**

Contact James Hughes at [jlhughe@emory.edu](mailto:jlhughe@emory.edu)