



MADISON & LILA SELF GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP

2022–2023 SELF GRADUATE FELLOWSHIP PROFILE

The Madison and Lila Self Graduate Fellowship offers a special opportunity for students pursuing a Ph.D. at the University of Kansas. The fellowship seeks students with attributes that will put them on track to make a difference in the world and in their professions.

Self Graduate Fellows for 2022–2023 will receive \$34,000 each year for four years. Payment is through appointment as a graduate research assistant. The fellowship covers tuition, fees, and the employer's share of student health insurance costs. Over the four years, fellows have access to a \$5,500 professional development award. All fellows also participate in the Fellow Development Program. The total value of the four-year doctoral fellowship exceeds \$200,000.

The Fellow Development Program is a distinctive feature of the fellowship. It provides education and training in communication, management, innovation, leadership, and policy to assist fellows in their preparation for future leadership roles, complementing the specialized education and training provided in Ph.D. programs.

This year 40 fellows are pursuing 22 Ph.D.'s in five schools at the University of Kansas. The current fellows are among 220 students who have benefited from the fellowship since it was established in 1989.

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences (15)

- Atmospheric Science (1)
- Chemistry (4)
- Computational Biology (1)
- Ecology and Evolutionary Biology (3)
- Economics (2)
- Geology (2)
- Molecular Biosciences (1)
- Physics and Astronomy (1)

School of Engineering (15)

- Aerospace Engineering (3)
- Bioengineering (5)
- Chemical and Petroleum Engineering (1)
- Civil, Environmental, and Architectural Engineering (2)
- Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (2)
- Mechanical Engineering (2)

School of Medicine (KU Medical Center) (7)

- Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (1)
- Cell Biology and Physiology (1)
- Interdisciplinary Graduate Program in Biomedical Sciences (1)
- Microbiology, Molecular Genetics, and Immunology (1)
- Molecular and Integrative Physiology (1)
- Neuroscience (2)

School of Pharmacy (3)

- Medicinal Chemistry (1)
- Pharmaceutical Chemistry (2)

The 40 current Self Graduate Fellows hold undergraduate and graduate degrees from 32 colleges and universities in 17 U.S. states, and one U.S. Territory.

- Bucknell University
- Butler University
- Case Western Reserve University
- Colorado College
- Florida Institute of Technology
- Haskell Indian Nations University
- Humboldt State University
- Hunter College
- Kansas State University
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- North Carolina State University

- Northern Illinois University
- Milwaukee School of Engineering
- Rice University
- Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology
- Southwest Baptist University
- U.S. Military Academy at West Point
- University of California, San Diego
- University of Central Arkansas
- University of Chicago
- University of Cincinnati
- University of Delaware

- University of Kansas
- University of Missouri
- University of Missouri-Kansas City
- University of New Mexico-Albuquerque
- University of Puerto Rico, Mayaguez
- University of Texas at Austin
- University of Texas at Tyler
- University of Wisconsin-Madison
- Washburn University
- Wichita State University