



TO BE YOUNG, GIFTED AND BLACK



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Blythe Danner

TO BE YOUNG, GIFTED AND BLACK

Lorraine Hansberry in her own words

Stage Play & Book* by: Robert Nemiroff

... Lorraine made no bones about asserting that art has a purpose, and that its purpose was action: that it contained the "energy which could change things."

James Baldwin

A cast starring Ruby Dee, Al Freeman, Jr., Claudia McNeil, Barbara Barrie, Lauren Jones, Roy Scheider, and Blythe Danner pay tribute to Lorraine Hansberry in this play depicting the life and works of the late black playwright. Her most famous play, "A Raisin in the Sun," made her the youngest American and the first black playwright to win the New York Drama Critics Circle Award. TO BE YOUNG, GIFTED AND BLACK portrays Lorraine Hansberry's experiences as a black artist in America, from her first visit to the South, to the streets of Harlem. Much of the script is in her own words drawn from plays, letters, and diaries written prior to her premature death from cancer at the age of 34. Blue Ribbon, 1973 American Film Festival. Produced in 1972 by WNET/13.

For use in: Black Studies; Drama; English; Public libraries; Theatre; Women's Studies

Level: Secondary, College, Adult

*A Signet Book, "To Be Young, Gifted and Black," adapted by Robert Nemiroff, is available at book stores nationally.

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TO: Dr. Larry Clark - Office of Provost

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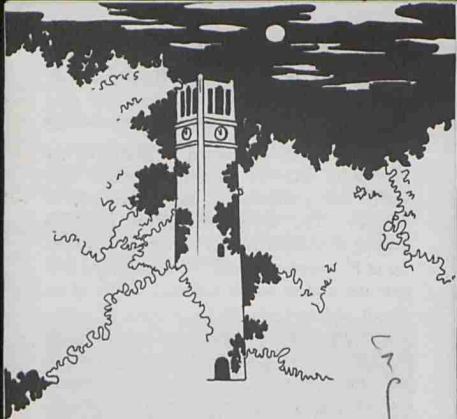
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Graduate Opportunities
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Minorities in Zoology

North Carolina State University

GRADUATE OPPORTUNITIES FOR MINORITY STUDENTS IN ZOOLOGY

at

North Carolina State University at Raleigh

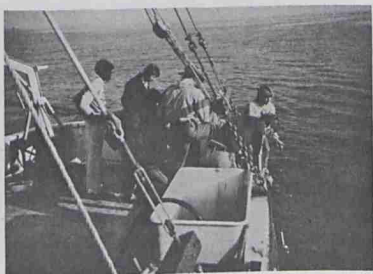
We are firmly committed to increasing the number of minority students recruited, educated, and graduated in the Department of Zoology. The department offers programs leading to both the Master of Science and Doctor of Philosophy degrees. These programs prepare the student for an academic career of research and teaching, or for a research career in industry or governmental research institutes. Students may specialize in many areas including: animal behavior, cell physiology, comparative physiology, ecology, limnology, endocrinology, fishery science, parasitology, physiology, protozoology, and vertebrate or invertebrate zoology.



**Dr. J. G. Vandenberg, Head, Zoology Dept. with
Dr. A. M. Witherspoon, Asst. Dean, Graduate
School.**

North Carolina State University offers many opportunities unique to land-grant institutions. Considerable emphasis is placed on the application of basic research findings to agricultural science, food production, and conservation of natural resources. Increasing populations and diminishing resources demand new approaches to the solution of problems related

to food production, health care, and environmental quality. These problems have significant impact upon and are of vital interest to minorities who, historically, have been denied a meaningful role in decision-making. The Department of Zoology recognizes the desirability of increasing the number of minority graduate students and scientists who can contribute new ideas and techniques to address these crucial problems.



Students engaged in Research in Aquatic Biology.

Research Facilities

The department is well equipped to conduct research in all areas of zoology. Specialized equipment for biochemical and physiological research is available including both transmission and scanning electron microscopes. Excellent computer facilities are available for students interested in mathematical modeling and statistical techniques. The department uses facilities at the National Marine Fisheries Laboratory (Beaufort, N. C.) for marine research and has a large natural area near campus for both aquatic and terrestrial ecological studies. The department also has access to the Highlands Biological Station located in the Appalachian Mountains. Additionally, arrangements can be made to use the facilities of the

Environmental Protection Agency and National Institutes of Environmental Health Sciences located in the nearby Research Triangle.

Other sites for research include the North Carolina Natural History Museum and facilities of the North Carolina Wildlife Resources Commission. Cooperative arrangements exist with investigators at other institutions including the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Duke University, Durham, N. C. Several graduate students in the department have participated in programs of the organization of Tropical Studies, based in Costa Rica.



The University

North Carolina State University was established as a land-grant college in 1887. The main campus and adjoining research areas cover 2,500 acres and contain over 120 buildings. Historically, the University has maintained strong scientific and technical departments supported by a comprehensive library with extensive scientific holdings.

The enrollment at North Carolina State University is over 19,000, of whom more than 2,600 are graduate students. Currently there are about 100 graduate students in the Department of Zoology.

OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO BLACK STUDENTS

During the Fall Semester 1979 there were 20 Black graduate students of the 735 graduate students in the School of Agriculture and Life Sciences, and 73 Black undergraduate students of the 2389 undergraduate students in the School of Agriculture and Life Sciences. The total University enrollment was 19,597. There are six Black faculty members engaged in research and teaching in the School of Agriculture and Life Sciences. In addition, five Black professors are involved in agricultural extension activities.

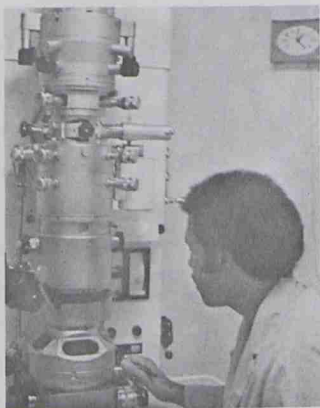
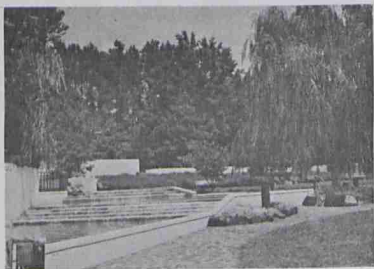
Currently the enrollment of Black graduate students in the Department of Zoology is about four percent. There is one Black faculty member in the Department.

There is an active organization of Black graduate students called ACBaGS (Association for the Concerns of Black Graduate Students). The Association deals with various aspects of graduate education and campus life.

There are also several predominantly Black institutions of higher learning in Raleigh and the vicinity. These include Saint Augustine's College, Shaw University, and North Carolina Central University.

The population of the city of Raleigh is about 30% Black.





Use of the electron microscope by a student in Cell Biology.

The Community

Raleigh, the capital of North Carolina, has a population of over 150,000 and forms part of the rapidly growing Research Triangle Triangle area. The city serves as the cultural and entertainment center of the area. Music, drama, and art programs are available throughout the year. The climate is very mild and opportunities for outdoor recreation are exceptional. The Great Smoky Mountains and seashore areas are within easy driving distance.

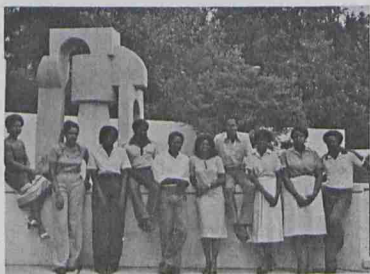
Costs

Tuition and fees for full-time study are currently \$291.00 per semester for North Carolina residents and \$1,147 for nonresidents. Fellowships include tuition and fees. Students with assistantships may pay only resident tuition rates if recruited for special talents.

Dormitories are provided on campus for students with rooms costing about \$275 per semester. A limited number of University apartments are available for married students. Off-campus housing may be obtained at a wide range of prices. All costs are subject to change and rates should be verified in a current catalogue.

Financial Aid

For several years, the Department of Zoology has provided financial support for all its full-time graduate students. Research and teaching assistantships, fellowships, and traineeships are available with stipends currently ranging from \$4500 to \$5500. Other fellowships, including NSF traineeships, and NIH-PHS awards, provide similar stipends. Appointments are made for 9-month or 12-month periods. In addition to the above stipends, Minority Presence Scholarships are available on a competitive basis.



Some members of ACBaGS (Association for the Concerns of Black Graduate Students)



APPLICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

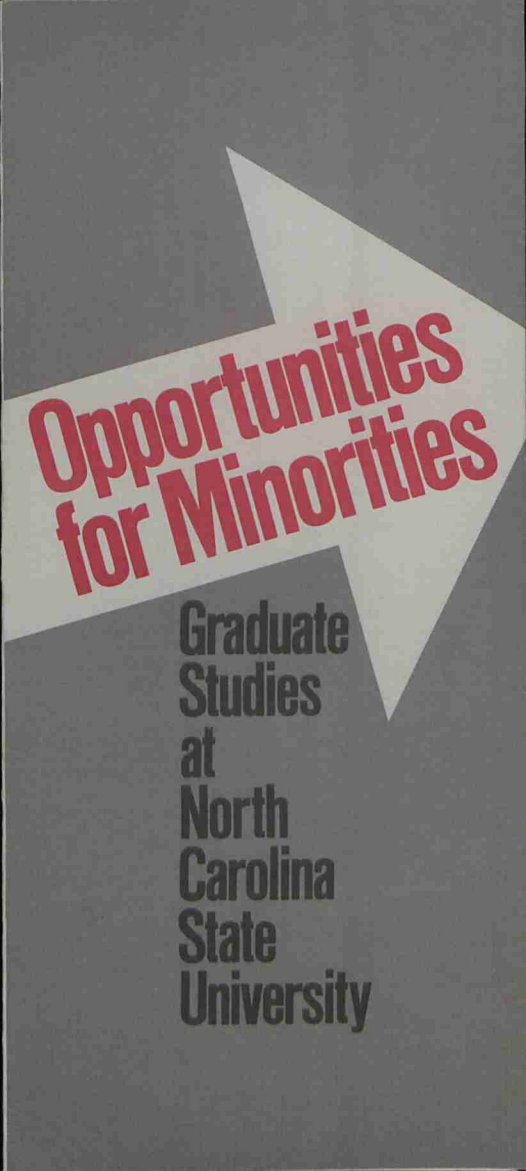
The department invites applications from minority students and assures that each minority applicant will be given every consideration. Applicants for graduate study should apply before February 15 although later applications will be considered. Notices of financial awards are generally made prior to April 1.

Admission to graduate study in Zoology requires: 1) a Bachelor of Science degree, 2) Completion of several courses in each of the following areas: biology, chemistry, physics, and mathematics, 3) Satisfactory scores on the Graduate Record Examination, including the advanced test in biology, 4) Three letters of recommendation.

In selecting candidates, the department reviews several indicators of future success. Consideration is given to demonstrated interest and motivation as well as prior academic performance.

Prospective students may secure a catalog and application forms from the Graduate School or by writing to the address below.

Graduate Admissions Committee
Att. Affirmative Action Committee
Department of Zoology
North Carolina State University
Raleigh, N. C. 27650



Opportunities for Minorities

**Graduate
Studies
at
North
Carolina
State
University**

The Graduate School

North Carolina State University is organized into nine schools and the Graduate School. The nine schools are: Agriculture and Life Sciences, Design, Education, Engineering, Forest Resources, Humanities and Social Sciences, Physical and Mathematical Sciences, Textiles, and Veterinary Medicine.

Application for graduate admission is completed directly through the department of interest. To obtain application materials, return the form at the end of this brochure. Be sure to specify your area of interest, to receive information about that program.

Requirements for Admission to the Graduate School

Application materials and requirements include:

- Two official transcripts from all schools previously attended.
- References from at least three people who know the student's academic record.
- A nonrefundable application fee of \$15.00.
- In some cases, an official statement of the student's Graduate Record Examination scores.

Criteria and procedures for evaluating applications vary among the departments and schools. All evaluations are based on the applicant's potential for success in graduate work and the capacity of the department to accommodate additional students.

University Policy

North Carolina State University is committed to equality of educational opportunity and does not discriminate against applicants, students, or employees based on race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, or handicap. Moreover, North Carolina State University is open to people of all races and actively seeks to promote racial integration by recruiting and enrolling a larger number of black students.

Tuition and Fees (Per Semester)

Full-time North Carolina Resident	\$ 335.00
Full-time Non-Resident	\$1,247.00
(Subject to Change)	

Special Financial Assistance

The Graduate School offers special assistance to minority students. The Assistant Graduate Dean, Dr. A.M. (Gus) Witherspoon, recruits for the University, assists with minority admissions, and administers special financial assistance for minorities.

Prospective students are encouraged to make initial contact with this office through Dr. Witherspoon. You may contact the Assistant Dean at the following address:

A.M. Witherspoon
Assistant Graduate Dean
The Graduate School
Box 5335
North Carolina State University
Raleigh, NC 27650
(919) 737-2873

Minority Presence Scholarships

The Minority Presence Scholarship program is funded by the General Administration of the University of North Carolina System. The awards are made to black students who are residents of North Carolina and who have received baccalaureate or master's degrees. Recipients must be enrolled as full-time graduate students as defined by the institution.

Each award provides a stipend of \$4,000 for the academic year, with an option of \$500 additional support

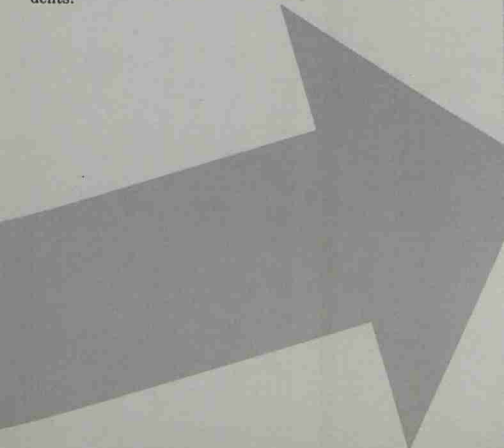
for study in the summer. The awards may be supplemented with up to one-quarter time teaching or research assistantship. Priority in awarding these fellowships will be given to new graduate students pursuing degrees in fields of study where black participation has been particularly low.

University Research Assistantships for Minorities

Funds for research or teaching assistantships are available on a matching basis with departments. The departmental appointment plus the University Research Assistantship appointment should not amount to less than other research or teaching assistantships in the department. Appropriate duties should be assigned to the student based on the one-quarter time appointment. There are no restrictions with respect to the student's residency status.

Special Talent Funds

A limited amount of Special Talent funds for tuition remission purposes is available for out-of-state students.



Applying for Assistance

Requests for Minority Presence Scholarships and University Research Assistantships for Minorities are initiated through the department. However, if you would like financial aid information prior to application, contact Dr. A.M. Witherspoon in the Graduate School.

All interested students are encouraged to apply as early as possible since funds are committed in the spring for most of the available financial aid.

INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

I am interested in receiving the following information about graduate study at North Carolina State University:

☐ Application Materials ☐ Catalog ☐ Departmental Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Social Security No. _____ Telephone _____

Undergraduate Institution _____

Degree _____ Major/Minor _____

Grade Point Average _____ Graduation Date _____

Graduate Degree Sought (Area of Interest) _____

Proposed Entrance Date: _____

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The Graduate School
North Carolina State University
Post Office Box 5335
Raleigh, North Carolina 27650

The Graduate School

School of Agriculture and Life Sciences

Animal Science	Horticultural Science
Biochemistry	Microbiology
Biological and Agricultural Engineering	Nutrition Program
Botany	Physiology
Crop Science	Plant Pathology
Ecology Program	Poultry Science
Entomology	Soil Science
Food Science	Toxicology Program
Genetics	Zoology

School of Design

Architecture Program	Product Design Program
Landscape Architecture	

School of Education

Adult and Community College Education	Industrial Arts Education Program
Agricultural Education	Mathematics and Science Education
Counselor Education	Occupational Education
Curriculum and Instruction	Psychology
Educational Administration and Supervision	Vocational and Industrial Education Program

School of Engineering

Chemical Engineering	Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Civil Engineering	Nuclear Engineering
Computer Studies Program	Operations Research Program
Electrical Engineering	
Industrial Engineering	
Materials Engineering	

School of Forest Resources

Forestry	Wood and Paper Science
Recreation Resources Administration	

School of Humanities and Social Sciences

Economics	Management Program
English	Political Science
History	Sociology and Anthropology

School of Physical and Mathematical Sciences

Biomathematics Program	Mathematics
Chemistry	Physics
Marine, Earth and Atmospheric Sciences	Statistics

School of Textiles

Fiber and Polymer Science	Textile Materials and Management
Textile Chemistry	

School of Veterinary Medicine

**The Graduate School
North Carolina State University
Post Office Box 5335
Raleigh, North Carolina 27650**

NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL
COMMISSION ON HUMAN RESOURCES

2101 Constitution Avenue Washington, D. C. 20418

FELLOWSHIP OFFICE

NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION MINORITY GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS

1979-1980

This year the National Research Council will advise the National Science Foundation in the selection of candidates for the Foundation's program of Minority Graduate Fellowships. Panels of scientists and engineers are appointed by the National Research Council to nominate candidates to the Foundation after a careful review of each applicant's qualifications. The Foundation expects to award approximately 50 new Minority Graduate Fellowships for the 1979-1980 academic year.

The NSF Minority Graduate Fellowship Program is open only to persons who are citizens or nationals of the United States as of the time of application, and who are members of an ethnic minority group underrepresented in the advanced levels of the Nation's science talent pool -- i.e., American Indian, Alaskan Native (Eskimo or Aleut), Black, Mexican American/Chicano, or Puerto Rican.

Initial Minority Graduate Fellowship awards are intended for students at or near the beginning of their graduate study. Eligibility is limited to those individuals who, as of the time of application, have not completed postbaccalaureate study in excess of 30 semester hours/45 quarter hours, or equivalent, in any field of science, engineering, social science, or mathematics. Subject to the availability of funds, new fellowships awarded in the spring of 1979 will be for periods of three years, the second and third years on certification by the fellowship institution of the student's satisfactory progress toward an advanced degree in science. Minority Graduate Fellowships are awarded for study or work leading to master's or doctoral degrees in the mathematical, physical, medical, biological, engineering, and social sciences, and in the history and philosophy of science. Awards are not made in clinical, education, or business fields, in history or social work, for work leading to medical, dental, law, or public health degrees, or for study in joint science-professional degree programs. The deadline date for submission of NSF Minority Graduate Fellowship applications is December 8, 1978.

We would be grateful if you would bring these fellowships to the attention of persons who would profit intellectually from these opportunities. The enclosed program announcement, which contains detailed information about the scope of the program and the terms of the awards, may be used to publicize the competition. We are sending copies of the announcement to other officers of your institution. Application materials are available upon request from the Fellowship Office, National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Avenue, Washington, D. C. 20418.

Your interest and assistance in enabling qualified individuals to take advantage of these opportunities will help greatly in assuring that the best qualified persons will be recognized with consequent benefits to science.

Frank D. Hansing
Frank D. Hansing
Director of Fellowships

September 1978

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APPLY TO:
THE FELLOWSHIP OFFICE
NATIONAL RESEARCH COUNCIL
2101 CONSTITUTION AVENUE, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20418

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS:

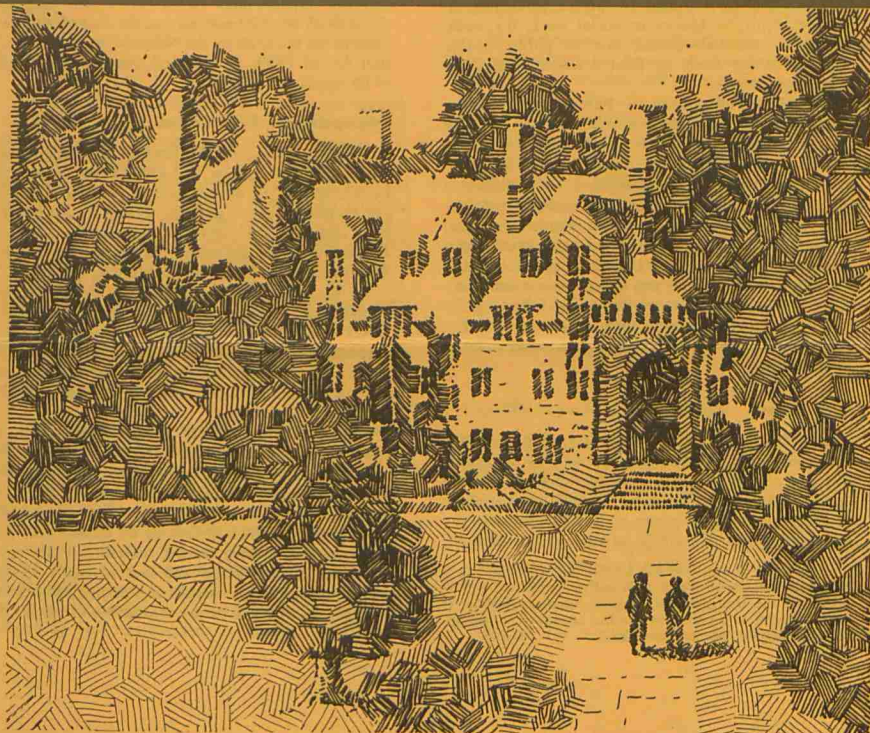
DECEMBER 8, 1978

ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARDS:

MARCH 15, 1979

1979 ANNOUNCEMENT

MINORITY GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS



**ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE
NATIONAL SCIENCE FOUNDATION
MINORITY GRADUATE FELLOWSHIPS
FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 1979-1980**

As one means of increasing the number of practicing scientists who are members of ethnic minority groups which traditionally have been underrepresented in the advanced levels of the Nation's science talent pool, the National Science Foundation plans to award approximately 50 new three-year Minority Graduate Fellowships. These fellowships will be awarded to minority individuals who have demonstrated ability and special aptitude for advanced training in the sciences. In addition, approximately 43 individuals will be supported on continuations of Minority Graduate Fellowships awarded in Fiscal Year 1978.

National Science Foundation Minority Graduate Fellowships are awarded for study or work leading to master's or doctoral degrees in the mathematical, physical, medical, biological, engineering, and social sciences, and in the history and philosophy of science. Awards are not made in clinical, education, or business fields, in history or social work, for work leading to medical, dental, law or public health degrees, or for study in joint science-professional degree programs.

NSF Minority Graduate Fellowships will be awarded subject to the availability of funds. New fellowships to be awarded in Spring 1979 will be for periods of three years, the second and third years to be approved by the Foundation on certification by the fellowship institution of the student's satisfactory progress toward an advanced degree in science.

Recipients of new three-year awards must begin fellowship tenure not later than the beginning of the 1979 Fall term, but may use the remaining two years of support within the four-year period following the first year. This will enable them to engage in other institutionally-approved activities that contribute to their training.

Eligibility

The National Science Foundation Minority Graduate Fellowship Program is open only to applicants who are citizens or nationals¹ of the United States as of the time of application, and who are members of an ethnic minority group underrepresented in the advanced levels of the U.S. science personnel pool.

¹The term "national of the United States" designates a citizen of the United States or a native resident of a possession of the United States, such as American Samoa. It does not refer to a citizen of another country who has applied for United States citizenship.

i.e., American Indian, Alaskan Native (Eskimo or Aleut), Black, Mexican American/Chicano, or Puerto Rican.

The three-year awards offered in this program are intended for students at or near the beginning of their graduate study. Eligibility is limited to those individuals who, as of the time of application, have not completed postbaccalaureate study in excess of 30 semester hours/45 quarter hours, or equivalent, in any field of science, engineering, social science, or mathematics. This guideline is applied regardless of whether credit for those hours is available for study toward an advanced degree. The last year of a joint baccalaureate-master's degree program is considered to be postbaccalaureate study.

No student will be eligible for more than three years of any NSF Graduate Fellowship support.

Application

Each applicant must submit a *signed Application* form. In addition, other supplementary forms including transcripts of college and university records, a proposed plan for graduate study or research, and reference reports must be submitted. The duly executed *Oath or Affirmation* and the *Supplementary Statement* required by the National Science Foundation Act of 1950, as amended, must constitute part of the application.

Stipends and Allowances

Minority Graduate Fellowship stipends during 1979-1980 for all new and continuing Fellows will be \$3,900 for 12-month tenures, prorated at \$325 per month for lesser periods. There are no dependency allowances. However, a limited allowance may be paid to aid in defraying the cost of the Fellow's first travel to the fellowship institution.

At its discretion, the fellowship institution may supplement a Fellow's stipend from institutional funds in hardship cases or for a limited amount of teaching and/or for other reasons it considers appropriate, in such amounts as are in accordance with the supplementation policy of the fellowship institution.

Acting for the National Science Foundation, fellowship institutions will pay stipends directly to Fellows in attendance. In addition to funds for such payments, the Foundation will provide these institutions, on behalf of each Fellow, a cost-of-education allowance (\$3,400) in lieu of all tuition costs and assessed fees. During tenure, therefore, Fellows will not have to pay tuition and fees normally charged to students of similar academic standing, unless such charges are optional or are refundable in whole or in part.

Tenure

The normal tenure of a Minority Graduate Fellowship is 12 months each fellowship year. Fellows may reduce the tenure of any year to no less than 9 months without jeopardizing any future support to which they may otherwise be entitled. Fellows who remain on tenure during the summer and who attend institutions having no formal summer sessions must make institutionally-approved arrangements for supervised study or research toward their advanced degree during that period.

Minority Graduate Fellows may begin their tenures with the first academic term following announcement of awards, but must enter on tenure no later than the beginning of the 1979-1980 academic year at their fellowship institutions.

The availability of the second and third years of a three-year award is contingent upon (1) certification to the Foundation by the Graduate Dean of the fellowship institution that satisfactory academic progress toward an advanced degree in one of the sciences is being made by the Fellow, and (2) the availability of appropriated funds for such continued support.

Location of Work

NSF Minority Graduate Fellowships are tenable at any nonprofit United States institution of higher education. The Foundation does not require that Fellows be physically located at their institutions at all times. Thus, a Fellow may study or engage in research or field work elsewhere during part (in rare cases, during all) of his or her tenure if, in the judgment of the faculty of the fellowship institution, such procedures will further the Fellow's education. Irrespective of physical location, the Fellow will be regarded by the Foundation as being affiliated with his or her fellowship institution and studying under the direction of its faculty.

Evaluation and Selection

Minority Graduate Fellowships are awarded on the basis of ability in accordance with Section 10 of the National Science Foundation Act of 1950, as amended. The evaluation of applicants will be based on all available evidence of ability, including academic records, recommendations regarding each applicant's qualifications, and scores attained in the Graduate Record Examinations (GRE). The GRE is designed to test the aptitude and scientific achievement of the candidate. The Analytical section of the Aptitude Test was initiated in October 1977; appli-

cants who have taken the Aptitude Test prior to October 1977 will not be required to retake the Aptitude Test in order to provide an Analytical test score. In addition to the Quantitative and Verbal portions of the GRE, all applicants should take the GRE Advanced Test in that area most likely to demonstrate their academic strength relevant to their chosen area of graduate study. The GRE is administered by the Educational Testing Service. Applicants will be responsible for all GRE examination fees.

Registration forms and information concerning the GRE (instructions, deadline dates, etc.) are available from four-year colleges and universities or the Educational Testing Service, Princeton, New Jersey 08540. All applicants who will not have taken the required examinations since October 1, 1976 should register for the examinations scheduled for December 9, 1978. Scores from January 1979 administrations will not be accepted for use in the current program unless the applicant has registered for the December 1978 tests and for unforeseeable and sufficient reasons is unable to take them. Applicants' scores for all GRE tests taken since October 1, 1976 will be automatically reported to the Foundation.

The review of each applicant's qualifications will be carried out by panels of competent scientists. Selection of awardees will be made by the National Science Foundation. As a part of the evaluation and selection process, consideration will be given to the applicant's potential ability to make significant contributions over an extended period of time to the sciences in the United States.

In the final decisions on applications to be supported, selection will be made in merit order, except that in the case of applications of substantially equal merit (as determined by the merit review process) use may be made of other criteria such as geographical or disciplinary distribution of funds, or others determined to be consistent with Foundation policy and legislative intent.

Conditions of Appointment

National Science Foundation Minority Graduate Fellows will be required to enroll in **full-time** programs leading to graduate degrees in fields supported in this program. They may include a reasonable amount of such teaching or similar activities as are, in the institution's opinion, **contributory** to their academic progress. Scholarly development of the Fellows, not service to the institutions, will govern the assignment of these activities.

Except for supplementation as explained under

Stipends and Allowances a Fellow may not accept additional remuneration from another fellowship, assistantship, scholarship or similar award. By virtue of the enactment of Public Law 91-219, effective March 26, 1970, educational benefits from the Veterans Administration may be received concurrently with NSF support.

After an award is made, a major change in course of study, or institution to be attended by a Fellow, requires the prior approval of the National Science Foundation. Requests to change institutions after beginning tenure will be considered only in those special or unusual cases where compelling reasons are given.

The results of research carried out by a Fellow may be made available to the public without restriction except as is required in the interest of national security.

All fellowship awards are made subject to the provisions in the booklet entitled *Information for Graduate Fellows* (and any subsequent amendment thereto) which will be mailed to successful applicants. This Announcement sets forth the most basic information contained in the booklet.

Application Materials

Application materials may be obtained from the Fellowship Office, National Research Council, 2101 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20418.

Application forms of an earlier year or those used in other National Science Foundation fellowship programs must not be used.

Application and Award Dates

The *deadline* for filing applications for Minority Graduate Fellowships is **December 8, 1978**; an *Application* form received in an envelope postmarked after that date will not be accepted. All inquiries concerning applications should be directed to the National Research Council at the address indicated above. On March 15, 1979, the National Science Foundation will notify all applicants by letter of the outcome of their applications. Those applicants who are considered worthy of receiving Minority Graduate Fellowships, but to whom awards can not be made, will be accorded Honorable Mention.