

NASA

Graduate Student Researchers Program

\$30,000 Fellowship

The NASA Graduate Student Researchers Program (GSRP) awards fellowships for graduate study leading to masters or doctoral degrees in the fields of science, technology, engineering, and mathematics related to NASA research and development. This twelve month award includes an internship at the NASA Center affiliated with the NASA sponsored research.

The goal of NASA's GSRP is to cultivate research ties to the academic community, to help to meet the continuing needs of the Nation's aeronautics and space requirements by increasing the number of highly trained scientists and engineers in aeronautics and space-related disciplines, and to broaden the base of students pursuing advanced degrees in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. Research opportunities described on the GSRP website, are assessed and updated annually to complement the mission requirements of NASA. Research areas are in disciplines that lead to aeronautics and space careers.

The program supports approximately 120 graduate students annually. NASA's discipline scientists and technologists evaluate applications based upon academic transcripts, research proposals, Faculty Research Adviser's recommendation, and the proposed utilization of NASA Center or university research facilities.

Mentoring and internships at NASA Centers are important aspects of the GSRP Fellowship. It is common practice for the Centers to host students during the summer months to fulfill this purpose; however, the schedule may vary depending on each Center's capacity. Recipients of the GSRP Training Grant must coordinate the schedule for the internship with the Center Technical Adviser and the Center GSRP Program Coordinator.

For more information please visit the GSRP website at:

<http://fellowships.hq.nasa.gov/gsrp/program/>

Application deadline: February 1, 2009