

Northwestern
OFFICE OF FELLOWSHIPS

Fellowship Winners 2020–21





Welcome to Northwestern University's Office of Fellowships!

You may wonder what a fellowship is. A fellowship can be

- a **grant** for a creative or research project
- a **scholarship** for an academic qualification
- an **internship** for professional development

What makes a grant, scholarship, or internship a **fellowship** is the cohort of people chosen to develop their talents together with guidance from mentors, through group activities, and in support of a larger goal.

This booklet lists the hundreds of Northwestern students and alumni who secured external funding during the 2020–21 academic year to create, research, study, and intern through fellowships across the country and around the globe. Because of the coronavirus pandemic, recipients may have been unable to use their awards in summer 2021 or during the academic year; to honor the achievement of their having been selected, we have announced awards regardless of postponements or cancellations.

Fellowships are listed in four categories:

- those requiring students to apply first to Northwestern for endorsement before filing an application to a national competition
- those offering international experiences by taking recipients outside the United States
- those taking recipients off campus to destinations within the United States
- those funding student activities on campus

We want you to join these fellowship winners and help us paint the world purple, one Wildcat at a time!

Elizabeth Lewis Pardoe, PhD
Director

*Year in parentheses after school name indicates date of receiving degree.
Abbreviated year after winner's name indicates current undergraduate class year.*

A sampling of this year's undergraduate winners



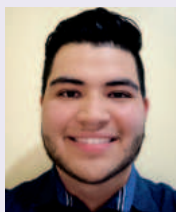
Biomedical engineering major **Catherine Chen** graduated from the McCormick School of Engineering this year and is headed to Greensboro, Alabama, for the *Project Horseshoe Farm Fellowship*, which works to build on the strengths of local communities, improve health and quality of life for vulnerable populations, and prepare citizen service leaders.



Raymonde Council, a third-year materials science and engineering major in McCormick, spent the summer in Freiburg, Germany, through the *Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst Research Internship in Science and Engineering* (DAAD RISE), which places US undergraduates as research assistants for German PhD candidates.



Orion Forowycz, an alumnus of the DAAD RISE program and a graduate of the Weinberg College of Arts and Sciences with a double major in the integrated sciences program and physics, will spend the next two years abroad earning a graduate degree with support from the *Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters* award. He will begin in L'Aquila, Italy.



Thanks to the *Expanding Diversity in Economics* program, Weinberg junior economics major **Saul Galvez** studied last summer at the University of Chicago's Becker Friedman Institute for Economics, where he learned from leading scholars in the field and expanded his network of mentors.



This year, **Keerti Gopal**, a 2021 Weinberg graduate in American studies, will travel to Taiwan through the *Fulbright US Student Program* to conduct an independent research project on youth climate activism. Gopal also belongs to a select group of Fulbrighters who received the *National Geographic Storytelling Fellowship*.



Wyatt Mosiman, a junior in the Medill School of Journalism, Media, Integrated Marketing Communications, had a year full of fellowship successes. Through the *National Science Foundation Research Experiences for Undergraduates* program, she spent the summer in Minnesota with the Echinacea Project; this year, she will receive tuition support and an internship through the *National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Ernest F. Hollings Undergraduate Scholarship*.



After winning multiple research grants from Northwestern, senior **Haley Wellman**, a chemistry major in Weinberg, looked abroad for her next opportunity and secured the *ThinkSwiss Research Scholarship*, which funded her summer work on the triaxial supramolecular weave with the Wennemers Group, based at ETH Zürich in Switzerland.

By Northwestern University Endorsement

Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst Research Grants

Eskil Elling
Philosophy, Graduate School
Research—Germany

Elizabeth Howell
History, Graduate School
Research—Germany

Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst Study Scholarship

Samuel Cole
Political Science and German, Weinberg (2020)
Study—Germany

Victoria Larsen
Anthropology and Biological Sciences, Weinberg (2015)
Study—Germany

Chuyue Liu
Statistics, Weinberg (2021)
Study—Germany

Fulbright US Student Program

Precious Akanyirige
Medical Scientist Training Program, Feinberg
Research—Ghana

Dominic Balestrieri-Fox (declined)
Political Science, Weinberg (2020)
Teaching—Turkey

Emma Brandt
Sociology, Graduate School
Research—Serbia

Adam Downing (declined)
Political Science and History, Weinberg (2021)
Teaching—Vietnam

Keerti Gopal
American Studies, Weinberg (2021)
Research—Taiwan

Mahika Gopalka
Cognitive Science, Weinberg (2021)
Teaching—Bulgaria

Liam Haller
Mathematics, Weinberg (2020)
Research—Germany

Erica Henschen
Neuroscience and German, Weinberg (2021)
Teaching—Germany

Christopher LaMountain
Music and Religious Studies, Bienen (2020)
Research—India

Julia Mann
Theater and Global Health Studies, Communication (2021)
Research—Hungary

Dara McGreal*
Social Policy and Psychology, Education and Social Policy
(2016)
Teaching—Netherlands

Jailene Ochoa*
Human Development and Psychological Services,
Education and Social Policy (2020)
Teaching—South Korea

Reem Rashid
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School
Research—Sweden

Andrea Rosengarten (declined)
History, Graduate School
Research—Switzerland

Daniel Rosenzweig-Ziff
Journalism and International Studies, Medill (2021)
Research—Germany

Claudia Sierra
Political Science, Weinberg (2020)
Teaching—Spain

Jaclyn Skurie
Journalism and International Studies, Medill (2014)
Research—Germany

Rebecca Smith
Communication Studies and Spanish, Communication
(2016)
Study—Spain

Titobioluwa Williams
Legal Studies, Weinberg (2021)
Study—United Kingdom

Tara Wu
Journalism and Environmental Sciences, Medill (2021)
Teaching—Taiwan

Goldwater Scholarship

Amil Dravid '23

Statistics and Computer Science, McCormick
Study

Andrew Laeuger '23

Integrated Science Program and Physics, Weinberg
Study

Madelyn Moy '22

Integrated Science Program, Anthropology, and
Biological Sciences, Weinberg
Study

Marshall Scholarship

Claire Petersen

Environmental Engineering and Economics, McCormick
(2020)
Study—United Kingdom

**Mellon/American Council of Learned Societies
Dissertation Completion Fellowship**

Ashley Dennis

African American Studies, Graduate School
Study

Hayana Kim

Theater and Drama, Graduate School
Study

Andrea Rosengarten

History, Graduate School
Study

Azadeh Safaeian

Comparative Literary Studies, Graduate School
Study

Paul and Daisy Soros Fellowship for New Americans

Holly Ekas

Chemical Engineering, Graduate School
Study

Projects for Peace

Julia Borland '22

Social Policy, Education and Social Policy
Study—Sheldon, Illinois

Emma Ringstad '22

Economics, Weinberg
Study—Evanston, Illinois

Schmidt Science Fellows

Austin Evans

Chemistry, Graduate School (2020)
Study—New York, New York

Schwarzman Scholars

Sophie Jiang

Radio/Television/Film and Asian Languages and Cultures,
Communication (2021)
Study—China

Courtney Zhu

Journalism, Medill (2019)
Study—China

Truman Scholarship

Abigail Roston '22

History and Legal Studies, Weinberg
Study

Yenching Scholars

Joshua Henderson

String Instruments, Asian Studies, and Economics,
Bienen/Weinberg (2020)
Study—China

International Fellowships

7th Crystal Ruth Bell Residency

Jiayu Yang
Documentary Media, Graduate School (2019)
Study—China

Ailsa Mellon Bruce Predoctoral Fellowships for Historians of American Art to Travel Abroad

Emma Kennedy
Art History, Graduate School
Research—Denmark and France

American Academy in Rome: Rome Prize

Anna Dumont*
Art History, Graduate School
Research—Italy

American-Scandinavian Fellowships

Reem Rashid
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School
Research—Sweden

Armenian Studies Scholarship

Bogdan Pavlish
History, Graduate School
Research—Italy, Poland, and Ukraine

Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies Dissertation Research Grant

Jessy Bell
Art History, Graduate School
Research—Serbia

Belgian American Educational Foundation Research Fellowships

Elsa Koninckx
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School
Research—Belgium

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship

Christina Carty '22
Earth and Planetary Sciences and Statistics, Weinberg
Study—Spain

Emily Ershtein '23
Integrated Science Program, Weinberg
Study—Russia

Michelle Kwan '22
Biological Sciences, Weinberg
Study—United Kingdom

Catie Moore '23
Radio/Television/Film, and Art Theory and Practice,
Communication
Study—Italy

Christiana Wang '23
Communication Studies, Communication
Study—Qatar

Mako Yamamoto '23
Theater, Communication
Study—Czech Republic

Chateaubriand Fellowship

Jessica Passos
French and Francophone Studies, Graduate School
Research—France

Dawa Seo*
Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School
Research—France

Katherine Warfel
Chemical and Biological Engineering, Graduate School
Research—France

Critical Language Scholarship

Brianna Bilter
Journalism and Political Science, Medill (2021)
Study (Arabic)

Joshua Bobbitt '24
Undeclared, Weinberg
Study (Chinese)

Michelle Guo
Asian Languages and Cultures, and Chemistry,
Weinberg (2021)
Study (Japanese)

Christopher LaMountain
Music and Religious Studies, Bienen (2020)
Study (Hindi)

Savir Maskara '24 (declined)
Economics and Mathematical Methods in the Social
Sciences, Weinberg
Study (Hindi)

Natalie Myren '22
Middle East and North African Studies, Weinberg
Study (Arabic)

Jillian Pignataro (declined)
Slavic Languages and Literature, Graduate School
Study (Russian)

Carol Silber
Political Science and International Studies, Weinberg (2021)
Study (Arabic)

Aryan Walia '23
Manufacturing and Design Engineering, McCormick
Study (Urdu)

Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst Research Internship in Science and Engineering

Kenya Alexander '22
Mechanical Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Germany

Matthew Bland '22
Materials Science and Engineering, and Physics,
McCormick
Internship—Germany

Raymonde Council '23
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Germany

Simona Fine '22
Materials Science and Engineering, and English,
McCormick
Internship—Germany

Eleanor Goes '22
String Instruments and Biological Sciences, Bienen
Internship—Germany

Johanna Kann '23
Chemical Engineering and Integrated Science Program,
McCormick
Internship—Germany

Christian Williams '22 (declined)
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Germany

Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst Short-Term Research Grants

Marzouq Alnusf (declined)
Philosophy, Graduate School
Research—Germany

Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst University Summer Course Grant

Enzo Vasquez Toral
Performance Studies, Graduate School
Study—Germany

Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degrees

Orion Forowycz
Integrated Science Program and Physics, Weinberg (2021)
Study—Italy and Germany

Freedman Classical Fellows

Richard Narroway
String Instruments, Bienen (2013)
Research—Australia

Getty/American Council of Learned Societies Postdoctoral Fellowships in the History of Art

Douglas Gabriel
Art History, Graduate School (2019)
Research—South Korea

Ikusmira Berriak Residencies

Mina Fitzpatrick
Documentary Media, Graduate School (2017)
Research—Spain

Japan Foundation Doctoral Fellowship

Yu Hirano
History, Graduate School
Research—Japan

Mellon International Dissertation Research Fellowship

Jessy Bell
Art History, Graduate School
Research—North Macedonia, Serbia, and Slovenia

ThinkSwiss Research Scholarship

Chaline Charoenwong '23
Economics and Statistics, Weinberg
Research—Switzerland

Haley Wellman '22
Chemistry, Weinberg
Research—Switzerland

Domestic Fellowships

American Association for the Advancement of Science Mass Media Science and Engineering Fellowship

Brittany Trang
Chemistry, Graduate School
Internship—Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Andrew W. Mellon Curatorial Research/Collections Specialist Fellowship

Scott Miller
Art History, Graduate School
Research—New York, New York

Andrew W. Mellon Scientific Research Fellowship

Alicia McGeachy*
Chemistry, Graduate School (2018)
Research—New York, New York

Bay Area Video Coalition MediaMaker Fellowship

Milton Guillen
Documentary Media, Graduate School
Research—San Francisco, California

Brown Girls Doc Mafia Sustainable Artist Grants

Mireya Guzman-Ortiz
Documentary Media, Graduate School
Research—New York, New York

Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning Predoctoral Research Fellow

Jessica Marshall
Learning Sciences, Graduate School
Research—Chicago, Illinois

Cushwa Center for the Study of American Catholicism Research Travel Grants

Carl Creason
History, Graduate School
Research—South Bend, Indiana

Department of Energy Science Undergraduate Laboratory Internships

Mia (Nhu) Tran
Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School
Internship—Lemont, Illinois

David Venator '23
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Oak Ridge, Tennessee

Expanding Diversity in Economics

Saul Galvez '23
Economics, Weinberg
Study—Chicago, Illinois

Ginny Lee '23
Radio/Television/Film and Environmental Sciences,
Communication
Study—Chicago, Illinois

Firelight Media Documentary Lab Fellowship

Brittany Shyne
Documentary Media, Graduate School (2016)
Study—Dayton, Ohio

Ford Foundation JustFilms Documentary Grant

Brittany Shyne*
Documentary Media, Graduate School (2016)
Study—Dayton, Ohio

Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowships

Stella Frentress*
Urban Sustainability, Weinberg (2021)
Study—New Orleans, Louisiana

Gretsch Fellowship in Children's Music

Cory Hills
Music Education, and Wind and Percussion Instruments,
Bienen (2003)
Research—Latrobe, Pennsylvania

Guggenheim Fellowship in Music Composition

Katherine Young
Composition, Bienen (2017)
Research—Atlanta, Georgia

Independent Television Service Diversity Development Fund

Brittany Shyne*
Documentary Media, Graduate School (2016)
Research—Dayton, Ohio

Knowles Teaching Fellows Program

Amber Luczak*
Education, Education and Social Policy (2020)
Internship—Chicago, Illinois

Emily Salzman
Education, Education and Social Policy
Internship—Chicago, Illinois

Luminarts Cultural Foundation Classical Music Fellowship

Zachary Good
Wind and Percussion Instruments, Bienen
Research—Chicago, Illinois

Saetbyeol Kim
Piano, Bienen
Research—Chicago, Illinois

Julian Velasco*
Wind and Percussion Instruments, Bienen
Research—Chicago, Illinois

Muzi Zhao
Piano, Bienen
Research—Chicago, Illinois

MacColl Johnson Fellowships

Adrienne Taylor
String Instruments, Bienen
Research—Providence, Rhode Island

Massachusetts Institute of Technology Diversity Predoctoral Fellowships

Safa Al-Saeedi
Political Science, Graduate School
Research—Cambridge, Massachusetts

Mellon Foundation Chicago Objects Study Initiative Fellow in European Painting and Sculpture

Sandra Racek
Art History, Graduate School
Internship—Chicago, Illinois

Mellon Foundation Chicago Objects Study Initiative Fellow in Photography

Sarah Estrela
Art History, Graduate School
Internship—Chicago, Illinois

Mellon Foundation Chicago Objects Study Initiative Fellow in Prints and Drawings

Olivia Dill
Art History, Graduate School
Internship—Chicago, Illinois

Mendenhall Postdoctoral Fellowship

Leah Salditch
Earth and Planetary Sciences, Graduate School
Research—Golden, Colorado

Middle East Initiative Research Fellowship Program

Safa Al-Saeedi
Political Science, Graduate School
Research—Cambridge, Massachusetts

Midwest Korean Speech Contest (Excellent Awards)

Sydney Smith
Computer Science, and Asian Languages and Cultures,
Weinberg
Study—Columbus, Ohio

Midwest Korean Speech Contest (Highest Standing Awards)

Monet Menard
Undeclared, Weinberg
Study—Columbus, Ohio

NASA Space Technology Graduate Research Opportunities

James Male
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School
Internship—Pasadena, California

National Cave and Karst Research Institute National Seed Grant Program

Matthew Selensky
Earth and Planetary Sciences, Graduate School
Research—Mammoth Cave National Park, Kentucky

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Climate and Global Change Postdoctoral Program

Laura Larocca
Earth and Planetary Sciences, Graduate School
Research—Flagstaff, Arizona

National Science Foundation Quantitative Biology Undergraduate Summer Research Program

Karan Gowda '22*
Biological Sciences, Weinberg
Research—Evanston, Illinois

Quynh-May Nguyen '23
Statistics and Biological Sciences, Weinberg
Research—Evanston, Illinois

Gabriel Petersen '22*
Mathematics, Weinberg
Research—Evanston, Illinois

National Science Foundation Research Experiences for Undergraduates

Hannah Boruchov '23
Mechanical Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Evanston, Illinois

Bradley Goedde '22
Mechanical Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Evanston, Illinois

Jeffrey He '22
Mechanical Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Evanston, Illinois

Minjee Jung '23
Environmental Sciences and Global Health Studies,
Weinberg
Internship—Edgewater, Maryland

Kyra Lin '22
Environmental Sciences, International Studies,
and French, Weinberg
Internship—Newark, Delaware

Sean Morton '23
Mechanical Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Evanston, Illinois

Wyatt Mosiman '23
Journalism and Environmental Sciences, Medill
Internship—Solemn Township, Minnesota

Tessa Seifried '23
Environmental Sciences, Weinberg
Internship—Manhattan, Kansas

Diana Velazquez
Environmental Sciences, Weinberg (2021)
Internship—Cambridge, Massachusetts

Christian Williams '22
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick
Internship—Ithaca, New York

Nief-Norf Summer Festival Call for Scores

Yi-Ting Lu
Music Composition, Bienen
Research—Knoxville, Tennessee

Ohio Arts Council Media Arts Grant

Jessica Simmons
Documentary Media, Graduate School (2016)
Research—Columbus, Ohio

Project Horseshoe Farm Fellowship

Catherine Chen
Biomedical Engineering, McCormick (2021)
Internship—Greensboro, Alabama

Raleigh and Clara Miller Memorial Scholarship Award

Stephanie Ribet
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School
Research—Milwaukee, Wisconsin

San Francisco Fellows

Jamila Wilson
Psychology, Weinberg (2021)
Internship—San Francisco, California

SculptureCenter Curatorial Fellow

Katherine Reynolds
Art Theory and Practice, Graduate School
Internship—Long Island City, New York

Seismological Society of America Student Presentation Awards

James Neely*
Earth and Planetary Sciences, Graduate School
Research—Seattle, Washington

Summer Institute on Sustainability and Energy Fellowship

Timothy Ellis '21
Voice and Opera, and Earth and Planetary Sciences,
Bienen/Weinberg
Study—Chicago, Illinois

Symposium on Research in Child Language Disorders Student Award

Olufemi Nyabingi
Neuroscience and Spanish, Weinberg (2021)
Research—Madison, Wisconsin

University of Texas Division of Diversity and Community Engagement Visiting Scholar Research Grant

Julissa Muñiz*
Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School
Research—Austin, Texas

Venture for America Fellowship

David Hofferber
Computer Science, McCormick (2020)
Internship—St. Louis, Missouri

Jair Rojas
Computer Science, McCormick (2020)
Internship—New Orleans, Louisiana

Emily Schram
Manufacturing and Design Engineering, McCormick (2020)
Internship—Columbus, Ohio

On-Campus Fellowships

Ada Lovelace Fellowship

Stefany Cruz

Computer Engineering, Graduate School

American Association of University Women American Dissertation Fellowship

Addie Shrodes

Learning Sciences, Graduate School

American Association of University Women American Fellowship

Nina Moon

English, Graduate School

American Association of University Women International Fellowship

Yara Rodriguez

Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

American Bar Foundation/Northwestern University Doctoral Fellowship in Law and Social Science

Brandon Alston

Sociology, Graduate School

Arielle Tolman*

Sociology, Graduate School

American Educational Research Association Special Interest Groups Advanced Technologies for Learning and Learning Sciences Best Student Paper Award

Sugat Dabholkar

Learning Sciences, Graduate School (2021)

American Epilepsy Society Predoctoral Research Fellowships

Jennifer Cheng*

Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

American Heart Association Predoctoral Fellowship

Vanessa Hayashi

Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Miranda Jacobs

Interdisciplinary Biological Sciences, Graduate School

American Institute of Chemical Engineers Student Competition in Bio-Sensors (First Place)

Sasha Ebrahimi

Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

American Political Science Association Diversity Fellowship Program

Michelle Bueno Vasquez*

Political Science, Graduate School

American Political Science Association Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grants

Safa Al-Saeedi

Political Science, Graduate School

American Political Science Association First Generation Scholars in the Profession

Justin Zimmerman

Political Science, Graduate School

American Political Science Association Public Scholarship Program

Kumar Ramanathan*

Political Science, Graduate School

American Society for Legal History Small Grants for Legal History Research

Melody Shum

History, Graduate School

American Society of Biomechanics Graduate Student Grant-in-Aid Program

Margaret Coats-Thomas

Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Bonaldo Stringher Scholarship

Federico Crippa

Economics, Graduate School

Cristoforo Pizzimenti

Economics, Graduate School

Charlotte W. Newcombe Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship

Marzouq Alnusf

Philosophy, Graduate School

Clearway Community Solar Essay Contest Scholarship (Second Place)

Sadie Bernstein '23

Computer Science, Weinberg

Crivelli Europe Scholarships

Filip Obradovic*

Economics, Graduate School

David L. Clark National Graduate Student Research Seminar in Educational Administration and Policy

Xiao Bohannon

Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School

Jennifer Cowhy

Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School

Dedalus Foundation Dissertation Fellowship

Brian Leahy

Art History, Graduate School

Department of Defense Horizon Award

Triet Bui*

Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Department of Energy Office of Science Graduate Student Research Awards

Waleed Helweh*

Chemistry, Graduate School

Elie Wiesel Foundation Prize in Ethics Essay Contest (First Prize)

Alexandra Lang '22

Philosophy, Weinberg

Elsevier/Vision Research Travel Awards

Cristina Ceja

Psychology, Graduate School

Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship

Teresa Alvarado-Patlan

History, Graduate School

Fotios Litsas Scholarship

Michael Evangelopoulos

Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

GEM Associate Fellow

Isaiah Duplessis

Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Adrian Hernandez

Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School

GEM Full Fellow

Carolina Alvarez

Mechanical Engineering, Graduate School

Annmarie Dominguez

Interdisciplinary Biological Sciences, Graduate School

Rebecca Goncalves

Chemistry, Graduate School

John Misiaszek

Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Michael Smith

Computer Science and Learning Sciences, Graduate School

JaCoya Thompson

Computer Science, Graduate School

Geo-Institute Scholarship

Zhefei Jin*

Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School

Andony Landivar Macias

Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School

Dawa Seo

Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School

Pang Shen '22*

Civil Engineering, McCormick

Giorgio Mortara Scholarship

Valerio Di Tommaso

Economics, Graduate School

Government of Saudi Arabia Scholarship

Hannah Mubarak

Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Heiwa Nakajima Foundation Overseas Scholarship

Kyohei Okumura

Economics, Graduate School

Henry Luce Foundation/American Council of Learned Societies Leading Edge Fellowship

Aisha Motlani*

Art History, Graduate School

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Magnetics Society and Nanotechnology Council Chicago Section Best Poster

Arthur McCray*

Applied Physics, Graduate School

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers VIS 2020 Inclusivity and Diversity Scholarship

Cristina Ceja

Psychology, Graduate School

Japan-International Monetary Fund Scholarship Program for Advanced Studies

Ryunosuke Matsuura

Economics, Graduate School

Journeyman Fellowship

Tobias Martin
Mechanical Engineering, Graduate School

Kate B. and Hall J. Peterson Fellowship

Nina Moon
English, Graduate School

**Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association
Chan Il and Young Hee Chung Scholarship**

Sally Shin*
Neuroscience and Global Health Studies, Weinberg (2020)

**Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association
Hyundai Scholarship**

Jane Choi*
Biomedical Engineering, McCormick (2020)

**Korean-American Scientists and Engineers Association
Korea-US Science Cooperation Center Scholarships**

Soojin Kim*
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Dawa Seo*
Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School

Leopold and Elizabeth Marmet Scholarship

Catherine Walker
Chemistry, Weinberg (2021)

L'Oréal Paris Women of Worth Honoree

Shanté Elliott*
Learning Sciences, Graduate School

Ludo Frevel Crystallography Scholarship

Peter Winegar
Chemistry, Graduate School

Marco Fanno Scholarships

Matteo Ruzzante*
Economics, Graduate School

**Materials Research Society Graduate Student Awards
(Gold)**

Matthias Agne*
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Megan Beck*
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

**Materials Research Society Graduate Student Awards
(Silver)**

Jingshan Du
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Megan Hill*
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Xiaotong Li*
Chemistry, Graduate School

Xuezheng Lu*
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Mayo Clinic Dependent Scholarship

Laura Caride
Environmental Sciences, Weinberg (2021)

Metropolitan Museum of Art Predoctoral Fellowship

Adrienn Kácsor
Art History, Graduate School

**NASA Space Technology Graduate Research
Opportunities**

James Male
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

**National Academy of Education/Spencer Foundation
Dissertation Fellowship Program**

Sebastián Kiguel
Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School

Heather McCambly (declined)
Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School

Nikki McDaid-Morgan
Learning Sciences, Graduate School

**National Defense Science and Engineering
Graduate Fellowship**

Chloe Archuleta
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Andrew Curtis
Mechanical Engineering, Graduate School

Lele Mathis
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Joel Meyer
Mechanical Engineering, Graduate School

Nicholas Miller
Physics, Graduate School

James O'Connor
Chemistry, Graduate School

Thomas Sheridan
Chemistry, Graduate School

Florencia Son
Chemistry, Graduate School

Matthew Sweers
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

National Hellenic Student Association Scholarships

Michael Evangelopoulos
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

**National Institute on Deafness and Other
Communication Disorders Research Dissertation
Fellowship for AuD Audiologists (F32)**

Courtney Glavin
Communication Sciences and Disorders, Graduate School

**National Institutes of Health Ruth L. Kirschstein
Individual Predoctoral National Research Service
Award for MD/PhD and Other Dual Degree Fellowships
(F30)**

Zachary Chalmers
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Michael Drumm
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Cooper Hayes
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Radhika Rawat
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Mihai Truica
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Karthik Vasan
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

**National Institutes of Health Ruth L. Kirschstein
Predoctoral Individual National Research Service
Award (F31)**

Hany Arafa
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

James Beauchamp
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Jose Canton-Josh
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Margaret Coats-Thomas
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Stephenie Droll
Biological Sciences, Graduate School

Zachary Gaertner
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Rogan Grant
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Marihan Hegazy
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Kristen Jakubowski
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Andrew Jo
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Timothy Kountz
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Ada Kwong
Chemistry, Graduate School

John McGee
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Miranda Munoz
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Kenneth Osborne
Psychology, Graduate School

Madeline Rollins
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Joseph Sombeck
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Alexander Telenson
Neuroscience, Graduate School

Allison Wang
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Sophia Wienbar
Neuroscience, Graduate School

**National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
Ernest F. Hollings Undergraduate Scholarship**

Wyatt Mosiman '23
Journalism and Environmental Sciences, Medill

**National Science Foundation Doctoral Dissertation
Research Improvement Grants**

Safa Al-Saeedi
Political Science, Graduate School

Samuel Gubitz
Political Science, Graduate School

Melissa Manus
Anthropology, Graduate School

National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program

Eric Anderson
Materials Science and Engineering and Physics,
McCormick (2018)

Jack Arnold
Chemical Engineering, McCormick (2019)
(held at University of Chicago)

Bobbie Benavidez
Anthropology, Graduate School

Erik Bidstrup
Chemical Engineering, McCormick (2020)
(held at Cornell University)

Sarah Bier
Biological Sciences, Weinberg (2019)
(held at Harvard University)

Paul Brown
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick (2021)
(held at Columbia University)

Matthew Brucks
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Jorie Budzikowski
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Chloe Calderon
Physics, Graduate School

Nikhil Chellam
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Matthew Coile
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Caitlin Coplan
Chemistry, Graduate School

Eleanor Degen
Biological Sciences, Graduate School

Omar Ebrahim
Chemistry, Graduate School

Adam Farsheed
Mechanical Engineering, McCormick (2017)
(held at Rice University)

Logan Fenimore
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Jared Fernandez
Electrical Engineering and Computer Science,
McCormick (2019)
(held at Carnegie Mellon University)

Taylor Gunnels
Biomedical Engineering, Graduate School

Binghao Guo
Materials Science and Engineering, and Physics,
McCormick (2019)
(held at University of California, Santa Barbara)

Stefanie Huttelmaier
Civil and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School

Harrison Kwik
Technology and Social Behavior, Graduate School

Maura Lally
Physics and Legal Studies, Weinberg (2021)
(held at Cornell University)

Claire Lee
Computer Engineering, Graduate School

Sarah Lim
Computer Science, Weinberg (2018)
(held at University of California, Berkeley)

Jaron Ma
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Hannah Mangum
Sociology, Graduate School

Emma McDonnell
Computer Science, McCormick (2019)
(held at University of Washington)

Yakira Mirabito
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick (2018)
(held at University of California, Berkeley)

Tara Mittelberg
Environmental Sciences and International Studies,
Weinberg (2017)
(held at University of Wisconsin-Madison)

Nicholas Omahen
Astronomy, Graduate School

David Pe
Chemistry, Weinberg (2020)
(held at University of California, Los Angeles)

Peter Puleo
Earth and Planetary Sciences, Graduate School

Eric Riesel
Chemistry, Graduate School

Joshua Roan
Materials Science and Engineering, McCormick (2020)
(held at University of California, Berkeley)

Celeste Rosencrance
Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences,
Graduate School

Paul Salamanca
Sociology and Mathematical Methods in the Social
Sciences, Weinberg (2018)
(held at University of California, Berkeley)

Zachary Schroeder
Theater and Psychology, Communication (2018)

David Silverman
Psychology, Graduate School

Lauren Simitz
Chemical Engineering, and Earth and Planetary Sciences,
McCormick (2021)
(held at Stanford University)

Elijah Taylor
Interdisciplinary Biological Sciences, Graduate School

Cory Thomas West
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Samuel Varner
Chemical Engineering, McCormick (2020)
(held at California Institute of Technology)

Diana Velazquez
Environmental Sciences, Weinberg (2021)
(held at University of Michigan)

Brenda Wang
Chemical Engineering, Graduate School

Mauying Wong
Chemistry, Graduate School

**National Water Research Institute-American
Membrane Technology Association Graduate
Fellowships for Membrane Technology**
Stephanie Ribet
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

**Philanthropic Educational Organization International
Peace Scholarship**
Lily Freeston
Documentary Media, Graduate School

Raleigh and Clara Miller Memorial Scholarship Award
Stephanie Ribet
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Renate Voris Fellowship
Jessica Friedman
Theater and Drama, Graduate School

**Robert F. Tinker American Educational Research
Association Scholarship**
Sugat Dabholkar
Learning Sciences, Graduate School (2021)

Robert P. Apkarian Memorial Scholarship
Yue Li
Applied Physics, Graduate School

**Robert Wood Johnson Foundation COVID-19 and
Racism Grant**
Sheridan Fuller
Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School

**Samuel Fletcher Tapman American Society of Civil
Engineers Student Chapter Scholarship**
Jessica Lee '22
Civil Engineering, McCormick

SPIE Optics and Photonics Education Scholarships
Jingshan Du
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

Stephen L. Suckle Israeli Scholarship
Maayan Abouzaglo '23
Social Policy and Legal Studies, Education and Social Policy

**Student Experience Research Network Data Archive
for Interdisciplinary Research on Learning Grant**
Amanda Cook
Human Development and Social Policy, Graduate School

**Symposium F.EL04—Beyond Graphene 2D Materials—
Synthesis, Properties, and Device Applications Best
Poster**
Zhehao Zhu
Materials Science and Engineering, Graduate School

**Wenner-Gren Foundation Dissertation Fieldwork
Grant**
Melissa Manus
Anthropology, Graduate School
Mahmure Özkan
Anthropology, Graduate School
Sari Ratri
Anthropology, Graduate School
Mariam Taher
Anthropology, Graduate School

A sampling of this year's graduate student winners



Stephenie Droll, a member of professor Xiaomin Bao's lab and a PhD student in biological sciences, is one of Northwestern's many recipients this year of the *Ruth L. Kirschstein Predoctoral Individual National Research Service Award*. The award will help fund Droll's research, which seeks to characterize two putative tumor suppressors in epidermal homeostasis and cancer progression.



Omar Ebrahim is a PhD student in chemistry and a member of the Gianneschi research group. He is one of several Northwestern students who received support this year from the *National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship Program*, which funds graduate students across STEM and social science disciplines.



Hailing from the United Kingdom, filmmaker **Lily Freeston** won the *Philanthropic Educational Organization International Peace Scholarship* this year for her commitment to service. The award will support her pursuit of an MFA in the School of Communication's documentary media program. Freeston aspires to make films that shine light on women who have been silenced.



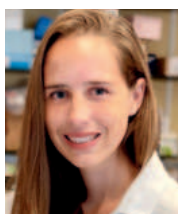
In addition to securing Northwestern's prestigious Presidential Fellowship, **Sheridan Fuller**, a PhD candidate in the School of Education and Social Policy's human development and social policy program, won funding from the *Robert Wood Johnson Foundation COVID-19 and Racism Grant* for his research on the American social safety net's potential to promote families' well-being.



Multi-instrumentalist **Zachary Good** approaches music-making from a variety of perspectives, from historically informed to experimental, while working across a spectrum of genres and techniques. As a DMA student in the Bienen School of Music, Good won support this year from the *Luminarts Cultural Foundation Classical Music Fellowship* for his research on the phenomena and functionality of dyad multiphonics on the soprano clarinet.



As a learning sciences PhD candidate in the School of Education and Social Policy, **Nikki McDaid-Morgan**, of the Shoshone-Bannock tribe, researches informal and formal learning environments at the intersection of land-based education and Indigenous resurgence. This year she secured funding for her research from the *National Academy of Education/Spencer Foundation Dissertation Fellowship Program*.



In her home country of Bolivia, **Yara Rodriguez**, a PhD candidate in the Driskill Graduate Program in Life Sciences, founded a support network for young women interested in STEM careers. For her research at Northwestern on drug resistance in cancer patients, Rodriguez was awarded the *American Association of University Women International Fellowship*.



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