

*Grant Funded Opportunities for
Graduate Students*

**FUTURE FACULTY
INTERNSHIP PROGRAM**

The Future Faculty Internship Program (FFIP) is a joint training and development program of Chicago State University (CSU) and Malcolm X College (MXC) for Future Community College Faculty.

FFIP features accessible, high quality learning and development opportunities for minority graduate students enrolled at Chicago State University, who wish to develop the skills necessary to successfully compete for tenure-track positions at the community college level. Interns will receive onsite training at Malcolm X College from tenured faculty in the discipline. A stipend is included.

To qualify, graduate students must be

- Illinois residents;
- have completed at least 50% of their program;
- be a member of an underrepresented group;
- have interest in a career in community college teaching; and
- be enrolled in a master's program in a subject area where there are employment opportunities in a community college system.



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**GRADUATE STUDENT
FUNDING AND
FELLOWSHIPS**

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL



GETTING MONEY FOR GRADUATE SCHOOL

Graduate students at Chicago State University can offset educational costs in a number of ways. In addition to university resources, many public, community and private agencies provide assistance in the form of scholarships, fellowships, grants, loans and campus student employment. The information provided in this publication is by no means comprehensive, but it is provided to give basic information about some of the financial resources that might be available for graduate study. However, the best source of information about financing your graduate education is the CSU Office of Financial Aid. It can provide financial assistance to students, many of whom might otherwise be unable to attend the university

GRADUATE SCHOOL CONTACT INFORMATION

Call 773.995-2404 or via email
at G-Studies1@csu.edu

All students receiving university or non-university sponsored financial support must have a completed FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) on file in the Financial Aid Office before any funds can be disbursed.

CAMPUS RESOURCES

Office of Financial Aid – Located in the Cook Administration Building, this office maintains a limited number of publications regarding financial assistance for all students. Call 773.995.2304 or CSU-finaid@csu.edu for more information.

The Financial Aid Outreach Center – The Center provides information to students about financial aid resources. Outreach counselors discuss the various components of financial assistance, the correct way to complete financial aid applications, and any new developments in financial aid. Call 773.995.3880 for more information.

Academic Departments – program-specific institutional waivers, scholarships, fellowships and graduate assistantships are obtained through the department supervising the degree program.

International Students – information regarding private scholarships, fellowships or assistantships can be obtained from the Office of International Studies by calling 773.995.2582 or via email at oip@csu.edu.

INTERNET RESOURCES

The astute student can optimize her or his search by learning to use various Internet search engines and visiting some of the key website listed below. This material is provided as informational resource only.

www.scholarships.salliemae.com
www.ets.org/aid.html
www.fastweb.com
www.freschinfo.org/index.html
www.ed.gov/thinkcollege/early
www.collegequest.com
www.finaid.org/otheraid/grad.phtml
www.gradloans.com/

STATE SPONSORED PROGRAMS

Illinois Consortium Educational Opportunities Program (ICEOP)– designed to increase the number of underrepresented faculty and staff in Illinois institutions of higher education and higher education governing boards. Fellowship includes a tuition waiver and an annual stipend of \$12,500. Information online at <http://www.imgip.siu.edu>.

Illinois Minority Graduate Incentive Program (IMGIP)– designed to increase the number of underrepresented members of the faculties and professional staffs at Illinois institutions of higher education, where there is severe underrepresentation of minorities. Fellowship includes a full tuition waiver plus an annual stipend of no less than \$17,500. Information online at <http://www.imgip.siu.edu>.