

**GRADUATE DIVISION FELLOWSHIP
FOR UCLA UNDOCUMENTED AB540 GRADUATE STUDENTS**

The UCLA Graduate Division offers funding for UCLA graduate students with undocumented AB540 status. The current funding period is July 1, 2019–June 30, 2020.

Deadline	August 21, 2019 , and on a rolling basis throughout fiscal year 2019–20 and as funding is available.
Amount	<p><i>Doctoral students:</i> Partial funding available for stipend and/or standard tuition and fees. If your degree program has professional degree supplemental tuition, this funding will not cover that expense</p> <p><i>Master’s students:</i> Partial funding available for stipend and/or standard tuition and fees. If your degree program has professional degree supplemental tuition, this funding will not cover that expense.</p>
Eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incoming or current UCLA master’s or doctoral student (<i>in-absentia</i> status okay) • Continuous enrollment/registration in minimum of 8 units while funded • Continuous undocumented AB540 status during period(s) of funding (preference will be given to non-DACA [Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival] students) • Minimum cumulative GPA: 3.0 (other students are encouraged to apply once this minimum is met) • Students funded during the summer must have been continuously registered/enrolled during the previous Spring term and must be continuously registered/enrolled during the following Fall term. Otherwise, their summer funding will be cancelled, and it will have to be repaid.
Application Procedure	<p>Submit to uclafellowship@grad.ucla.edu the following documents as a single PDF document (except the letter of recommendation) in the order listed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The completed and signed application and • A personal statement of your goals, coursework completed and research activities (two pages, double spaced, no less than 11 pt font and 1” margins) • One letter of recommendation, signed and on office letterhead, that addresses your academic qualifications, community-service activities, and/or other relevant information (emailed to address above or delivered to 1228 Murphy Hall) • Unofficial UCLA graduate transcript if applicable (MyUCLA transcript okay; no Degree Progress Reports) • Unofficial graduate/undergraduate/community college transcript(s) • A resume or curriculum vitae

Publicizing Fellowship Awardees	The name and home department of fellowship awardees may be published on the Graduate Division's website, in its publications and/or posted on its bulletin boards and other Graduate Division venues for educational purposes. Awardees who do not want their information published can opt out when returning the fellowship contract.
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