

FELLOWSHIPS 101

National Fellowships and Scholar Programs (NFSP)

UNIVERSITY OF South Carolina

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WHO WE ARE

- National Fellowships and Scholar Programs (NFSP) supports:
 - Nationally competitive fellowship applicants
 - Top Scholars
- Located in the Honors
 College
 - NF serves all UofSC students and alumni





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WHAT WE DO

- Help students identify and apply for external funding to pursue incredible opportunities like research, study abroad and public service
 - Outreach
 - Info sessions and workshops
 - Advising
 - Essay review
 - Faculty mentorship
 - Nomination processes



WHO WE'RE LOOKING FOR

Students and recent alumni who have:

- Solid academics, particularly in their area of focus
- Leadership experience this can look a lot of different ways!
- Resilience and follow-through in the face of obstacles
- Unique perspectives on the world's biggest problems
- Intellectual curiosity and drive to make an impact





WHY IT'S IMPORTANT

Applying for fellowships helps students:

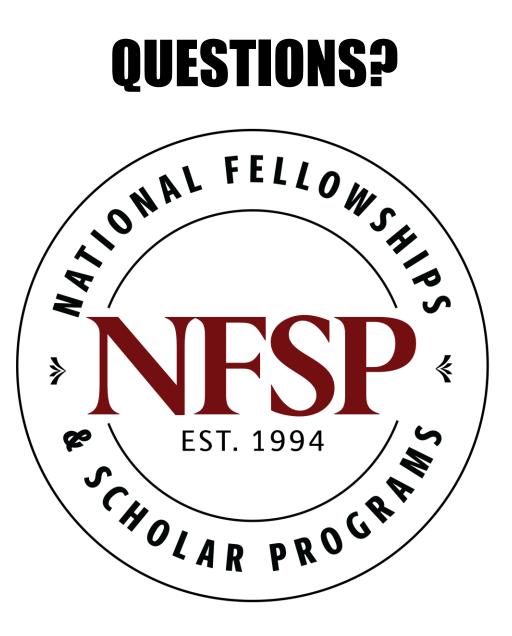
- Clarify their goals and areas of interest
- Articulate their academic, personal, and professional identity
- Strengthen their persuasive writing skills
- Develop materials they can adapt for graduate school and job applications
- Build their campus and community networks
- Get individual guidance from faculty
- Possibly get funding to do cool things!



HOW YOU CAN HELP

- Tell students about us!
- Direct advisees to our website
- Refer students to our team
- Sign up for the Candidate newsletter
- Share events and promotions







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