

First Generation PhD Fellowship

Application for 2022-2023 Academic Year

To be attached to a completed Self-Application Form (see below)

I. Statement of Eligibility:

Name: _____

UUID: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____ Phone No.: _____

II. Are you admitted to a graduate program at The University of Memphis?

Yes No

College/School:

Degree Program:

Enrollment intentions: (*Check one*)

Part-time (6 hrs. per semester):

Full-time (9-12 hrs. per semester):

III. List recognitions, awards, and scholarly activities received while pursuing your undergraduate or graduate degree(s) (*please indicate if the activity is undergraduate or graduate*):

IV. Personal Statement: On an attached sheet(s) please write an essay providing us with more information about yourself. The essay should be typed and no longer than two (2) pages double-spaced. The content of the essay should be directed toward the following:

- Your educational goals. Do you intend to further your graduate education after you complete your current degree?
- Your occupational or professional objectives. How do you intend to use your advanced knowledge and skills?
- Your unique traits or interest that would make you worthy of winning this fellowship.
- Why this fellowship opportunity is important to you and contributions you will have to offer as a result of having achieved your overall educational goals and professional objectives.

INSTRUCTIONS:

The Self-Application Form is available [on-line](#).

In addition to the completed application, applicants must submit two letters of recommendation, one of which should be academic. Letters should be sent by the recommender directly to Lakesha Moore, lsherrng@memphis.edu.

INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED FOR THE FELLOWSHIP. IT IS THE APPLICANT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE THAT HIS/HER APPLICATION FILE IS COMPLETE WITH BOTH APPLICATIONS, PERSONAL STATEMENT, AND TWO LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION BY THE STATED DEADLINE.

Completed applications should be returned to the **Lakesha Moore, lsherrng@memphis.edu by March 27, 2023**