Fellowship & Stipend Opportunities for Graduate Studies in Biological Sciences at the UC

The Department’s research and graduate program is diverse, with several laboratories focusing on Ecology, Evolution, Behavior, Neuroethology, and Organismal Biology. The Department awards MS and PhD degrees and has many faculty members with integrative research approaches that span a wide range of biological scales. Our graduate program is geared towards preparing graduate students for a broad array of careers in research, health professions, industry, teaching, and stewardship agencies. For general information on the graduate program please visit:

http://www.artsci.uc.edu/departments/biology/graduate/about_grad.html

Most of our students are supported financially by research or teaching assistantships and tuition remission fellowships.

In addition, the following special fellowships/awards are available:

1) Graduate Research Fellowship for Outstanding Incoming PhD Students

The Department of Biological Sciences at the University of Cincinnati offers a fellowship for outstanding incoming PhD students. In addition to a one year fellowship a Research Grant will be awarded to successful candidates. All applicants to the PhD program automatically compete for this fellowship. Underrepresented minority students are especially encouraged to apply. The deadline is January 1st.

2) Yates Scholars Program

The goal of this program is to enrich the educational environment for all graduate students by supporting the recruitment and retention of underrepresented ethnic minorities who are U.S. citizens or permanent residents with high potential for academic success. The Graduate School provides an award of $14,000 to each selected scholar. Potentially eligible applicants should consult with their prospective advisors to assure nomination.

3) Research and Travel Grants

Several departmental and university-wide research and travel grants are available on a competitive basis to all our graduate students.