**Florida State University**

[**Provost’s Postdoctoral Fellowship Program**](http://opda.fsu.edu/fellowships-and-awards/postdoctoral-fellowships-and-stipend-support/provost-postdoctoral-fellowship)

Florida State University is expanding its efforts to recruit, support, and retain a diverse faculty. One of those efforts is the creation of a postdoctoral fellowship program intended to enhance the pipeline to academic careers that results in a more diverse faculty. The FSU Provost’s Postdoctoral Fellowship Program (PPFP) originally launched in the spring 2018 to provide funding for up to 10 Provost Fellows. This year’s applicants can submit their application materials starting on January 31, 2022 for the 2022-2024 training period. Funding includes two years of salary support (including health insurance, fringe benefits) plus a small grants award (up to $20,000) for training-related expenses. The PPFP is limited to doctoral recipients who are pursuing academic careers. Successful applicants will have the potential to contribute to faculty diversity in their academic disciplines. Review of applications will begin March 15, 2022 and June 1, 2022 and continue until all positions are filled. Selected fellowship trainees will have the opportunity to zoom with the admissions committee to learn more about the PPFP program and research training environment of Florida State University. Decisions will be made within 3 weeks of a posted deadline and trainees can initiate their appointments immediately but not later than December 31, 2022.

Eligibility

* Seeking a postdoctoral fellowship in one of the NSF-defined fields of US Doctorates ([see list at OPDA](http://opda.fsu.edu/fellowships-and-awards/postdoctoral-fellowships-and-stipend-support/provost-postdoctoral-fellowship))
* Not greater than 5 years since awarded their doctoral degree
* U.S. citizen or permanent resident
* Priority will be given to those who promote diversity (see examples on [OPDA website](https://opda.fsu.edu/fellowships-and-awards/postdoctoral-fellowships-and-stipend-support/provost-postdoctoral-fellowship))
* Nomination by FSU faculty mentor

How to Apply

* Identify a mentor from the list of participating faculty ([see profiles](https://opda.fsu.edu/ppfp-participating-faculty-unit-listing)). NOTE: you must secure an agreement with a faculty mentor before completing the online application.
* For the online application, upload a CV, a description of your proposed research project (3 pp. limit), and a personal statement describing your career goals and how you would contribute to faculty diversity in your academic discipline (2 pp. limit).
* Arrange for three letters of recommendation to be sent on your behalf (1 letter should be from your Ph.D. advisor).
* Letter of nomination by a faculty mentor that describes your research potential and match (this will be prompted during the submission of your application).