

How to Apply to Graduate Division Fellowships

The UCLA Herb Alpert School of Music is committed to providing competitive funding at the School level, and we also strongly encourage applicants to our graduate programs to also apply for relevant Graduate Division fellowships. Depending on your chosen program of study, there are two significant fellowships to be aware of, outlined below. Indicate your desire to apply within the application for graduate admission located here.

These fellowships are intended for individuals from cultural, racial, linguistic, geographic and socioeconomic backgrounds that are currently underrepresented in graduate education are especially encouraged to participate in the program. The intent of this fellowship is to provide access to higher education for students who might otherwise find it difficult or impossible to successfully pursue graduate study.

MM Applicants: Graduate Opportunity Fellowship Program (GOFP)

- Who is eligible? U.S. citizens, permanent residents, or undocumented students who qualify for nonresident supplemental tuition exemptions under AB 540.
- How do you apply? Indicate you are applying on the graduate application and be sure to address why you are
 eligible in your Personal Statement. <u>See here for more details.</u> Your contributions to diversity may also
 include the ways in which your research will diversify your chosen field of study.
- How much is the award? \$20,000 stipend + fees/tuition + non-resident supplemental tuition (if applicable).
- When is the deadline? December 1, 2020, when graduate applications are due for the School of Music.

MA/PhD or DMA Applicants: <u>Eugene V. Cota-Robles Fellowship</u>

- Who is eligible? U.S. citizens, permanent residents, or undocumented students who qualify for nonresident supplemental tuition exemptions under AB 540.
- How do you apply? Indicate you are applying on the graduate application and be sure to address why you are
 eligible in your Personal Statement. <u>See here for more details.</u> Your contributions to diversity may also
 include the ways in which your research will diversify your chosen field of study.
- How much is the award? Minimum of four years of funding from the Graduate Division and awardee's home department. \$25,000 stipend + fees/tuition + non-resident supplemental tuition (if applicable).
- When is the deadline? December 1, 2020, when graduate applications are due for the School of Music.
