

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

- Masters’ degree preferred (but not required).
- Member of an under-represented group.
- United States citizen or permanent resident.
- Eligible to be employed in the United States.

Application Procedures:

STEP #1 – Application to Doctoral Program

- A student seeking a Presidential Fellowship for Research Training in Health Disparities must apply to a doctoral program at the University at Albany. Click here to learn more about the graduate admissions process: www.albany.edu/graduate/apply-graduate-degree-program.php

STEP #2 – Application to Presidential Fellowship Program

- A student must send a one (1) single spaced page essay to the Presidential Doctoral Fellowship for Research Training in Health Disparities program regarding their interest, background, and goals in relation to health disparities research, training, and community engagement, and why they would be a strong candidate. The application is due on or before February 1st of the year in which they plan to begin doctoral studies.
- The student must submit the one (1) single spaced page essay to the fellowship program by email at: CEMHD@albany.edu.

Review Process:

- If a student is admitted into the doctoral program, the department may nominate the student for the Presidential Doctoral Fellowship for Research Training in Health Disparities.
- Nominations will be reviewed by the fellowship committee and recommendations for awarding the available fellowships will be made to the head of the fellowship program.
- The doctoral program nominator and the student will be notified.
- Acceptance or declination is required by a reasonable date to be set by the fellowship program.

Questions:

Visit the fellowship website at: <https://www.albany.edu/cemhd/fellowship.php>

Please direct requests for information to: CEMHD@albany.edu

Application Guidance & Format:

Name (First, Last):

Doctoral Degree Program:

Home Department:

Email Address:

Phone #:

- *Provide a brief statement of your interest, background, and goals in relation to the Presidential Doctoral Fellowship for Research Training in Health Disparities program.*
- *Explain why you would be a strong candidate for the Fellowship program.*
- *Limit your essay to no more than one (1) single spaced page.*
- *Submit by February 1st of the year in which you plan to begin doctoral studies to both the head of the doctoral program and by email to CEMHD@albany.edu*