

A close-up, diagonal view of a rainbow flag, showing the vibrant colors of the stripes: red, orange, yellow, green, blue, and purple.

WGS FELLOWSHIPS

for dissertation research and completion

The Women's & Gender Studies (WGS) Program, at the Center for Gender in Global Context (GenCen), is pleased to announce dissertation fellowships for MSU graduate students for the 2021-2022 academic year. Enrollment in the WGS program is not required. Generous funding provided by MSU's Graduate School allows us to offer fellowship opportunities in the following categories:

DISSERTATION RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP (UP TO \$10,000)

ELIGIBILITY

Ph.D. students at MSU who have completed all requirements for their degree with the exception of their dissertation research. Applicants must have dissertation projects that incorporate a significant focus on gender and/or sexuality. A copy of the approved departmental dissertation proposal must be received by GenCen prior to disbursement of funding.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Completed Application Form with Research Budget Itemization
- Five-page (double-spaced) Summary of the Dissertation Proposal
- Letter of Recommendation from Dissertation Committee Chair
- Curriculum Vitae

DISSERTATION COMPLETION FELLOWSHIP (UP TO \$8,500)

ELIGIBILITY

Ph.D. students at MSU who have completed dissertation research and all other requirements for their degree program, except for completion of the dissertation. Applicants must graduate by the end of Fall 2022 with a dissertation that incorporates a significant focus on gender and/or sexuality. A copy of the approved departmental dissertation proposal must be received by GenCen prior to disbursement of funding.

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Awards are contingent upon funds approval and funding will first be applied to any outstanding MSU bills, including MSU short-term loans, tuition bills, etc. Fellowship recipients cannot receive more than the equivalent of a one-quarter time assistantship from other sources during the semester in which they receive the award.

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE FEBRUARY 1, 2021 TO GENCENGA@MSU.EDU
APPLICATIONS AND MORE INFO: GENCEN.MSU.EDU/GRAD-FUNDING