



UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD-NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH SCHOLARS IN BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH PROGRAM

Program of Study	<p>The University of Oxford-National Institutes of Health-Health Sciences Research Scholars Program is an interdisciplinary program designed to train outstanding students in various areas of biomedical research leading to a Doctor of Philosophy degree awarded by the University of Oxford in the United Kingdom. The program combines the academic and research resources of the University of Oxford and the NIH in a joint mentorship program. Research projects are collaborative agreements between Oxford and NIH faculty which are designed with input from the student.</p>
Stipend	<p>Students will receive a stipend of \$23,100 per year, health benefits and other academic support at Oxford and the NIH.</p>
Student Group	<p>Up to six individuals will be awarded scholarships for September, 2005.</p>
Eligibility	<p>Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents with a Bachelor's degree from an accredited U.S. college or university, and must have undergraduate preparation in biology, chemistry (both inorganic and organic), physics, and mathematics. They must have an outstanding academic record and show exceptional promise for a career in biomedical research. Previous laboratory research experience is a strong qualification for this program. Qualified students enrolled in medical schools are encouraged to apply. Science students winning Marshall or Rhodes Scholarships may apply for a joint NIH-Oxford Scholarship that extends initial scholarship support to allow the pursuit of a doctoral degree.</p>
Application	<p>The application package must include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Completed Application Form. The form can be accessed online at http://gpp.nih.gov/. There is no application fee. The University application will be completed at the time of program interview.• Photocopy of Graduate Record Examination (GRE) General Test or Medical College Admission Test (MCAT). Advanced GRE tests in biology, chemistry, or biochemistry, cell and molecular biology are not required but will be considered favorably• Photocopy of all college transcripts• Three letters of recommendation submitted electronically by student identified references. At least one reference should be from a current or former research advisor. <p>If you apply, please reserve February 28 and March 1, 2005 as interview dates since it will not be possible to schedule interviews at other times.</p>
Deadline	<p>The application deadline is January 15, 2005.</p>
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