

Fellowship for Graduate Study in Medical Physics



Two-Year Pre-Doctoral Study



Commencing in July, 2012

The American Association of Physicists in Medicine (AAPM) is pleased to announce the availability of a Fellowship for the training of a doctoral candidate in the field of Medical Physics. Medical physics is a creative, expanding and rewarding profession for the young scientist about to choose a career. Most large medical centers employ medical physicists and many smaller hospitals are seeking well-trained medical physicists as well. It is estimated that there are 5,756 medical physicists practicing in the United States.

The AAPM is dedicated to the advancement and support of the scientific applications of physics to the diagnosis and treatment of human disease. Distinct professional areas for the medical physicist include:

- Applications of ionizing radiation to medical diagnosis and therapy
- Medical use of magnetic resonance imaging
- Use of heat for cancer therapy
- Radionuclides in medical imaging
- Medical uses of ultrasound

Complete and Return Application to:
American Association of Physicists in Medicine
One Physics Ellipse
College Park, MD 20740-3846
Attn: Jackie Ogburn
(301) 209-3350, FAX: (301) 209-0862, <http://www.aapm.org>

Application Deadline: April 17, 2012

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DETAILS OF FELLOWSHIP

1. Awarded for first two years of graduate study leading to a doctoral degree in Medical Physics. A stipend of \$13,000 per year, plus tuition support not exceeding \$5,000 per year will be assigned to the recipient. The amount of tuition support granted will be at the discretion of the AAPM. The award will be paid to the recipient's institution and distributed in accordance with the institution's disbursement procedures. However, it is AAPM's policy that none of the funds may be diverted to the institution's "facilities", "administrative", or other overhead categories and the full \$13,000 stipend must be provided to the recipient.
2. Graduate study must be undertaken in a Medical Physics Doctoral Degree program accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Medical Physics Education Programs, Inc, (CAMPEP). A comprehensive list of CAMPEP-accredited programs can be found on the CAMPEP Web Page:

<http://www.campep.org>
3. Criteria for Applicant:
 - a) Graduate of undergraduate program in physics or equivalent majors (e.g. engineering-physics, math-physics, or nuclear engineering or applied physics) from accredited universities and colleges in North America.
 - b) Undergraduate grade point average greater than 3.5 (based on a 4.0).
 - c) Submission of application for graduate study to one of the accredited programs with subsequent acceptance.
 - d) **Application deadline: April 17, 2012.**
4. Fellowship will be active from July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2014.

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I. Personal Data (please print or type all information)

Name: _____

Current Address: _____

Phone: () _____ Fax: () _____

E-mail: _____

II. Fellowship Program

Name of CAMPEP-Accredited Program: _____

Expected Start Date: _____

III. Post Secondary Educational History

Last School: _____

Address: _____

Degree/Major: _____ Date Expected/Awarded: _____

Additional Relevant Education (List most recently received degree first)

	Institution	Major	Dates Attended	Degree
1.	_____	_____	From: _____ To: _____	_____
2.	_____	_____	From: _____ To: _____	_____

IV. Supporting Documents.....REQUIRED TO COMPLETE APPLICATION

- 1. All post-secondary study transcripts _____
- 2. Graduate Record Exam results _____
- 3. Two or three Reference letters _____
- 4. Acceptance letter from intended AAPM Accredited Program _____
- 5. CV including GPAs and Publications _____

V. Special Circumstances

