

**Funding opportunities for Graduate Students
at the WK Kellogg Biological Station**

Full and Academic Year Fellowships (Application Deadlines Vary)

Science Outreach and Education Fellowships: Two academic-year (Fall & Spring semesters) fellowships for grad students interested in science education, public engagement and outreach. Preference given to candidates in STEM PhD program at MSU who plan to reside at KBS. Stipend; health benefits; tuition (max. of 3 credits/semester). **Contact**: Kara Haas, KBS Science Education and Outreach Coordinator, karahaas@kbs.msu.edu.

Academic Programs Fellowship: Supports KBS Academic Programs during the calendar year (1 Jan – 31 December). Preference given to those with experience/demonstrated interest in evaluation of undergraduate educational programs. Stipend; tuition; health benefits; travel. **Contact**: Dr. Danielle Zoellner, KBS Academic Programs Coordinator, zoellne8@msu.edu.

LTER Research Fellowships: Support graduate students interested in conducting research on and affiliated with KBS LTER. Full-year and summer fellowships offered. Only MSU students eligible; residency at KBS not required. Details and additional information can be found @ <https://lter.kbs.msu.edu/get-involved/grants-and-fellowships/>.

Summer Fellowships, Scholarships and Awards – Applications Deadline: March 1, 2018

Research and Tuition Fellowships

Support graduate students interested in conducting research or taking courses at KBS. Students must be enrolled in an MSU graduate program to apply for Graduate School funds; both MSU and non-MSU students can apply for other funding. Application information can be found here: <http://www.kbs.msu.edu/education/financial-support-housing/>.

Outreach Fellowship - Native Gardens: Supports outreach programs to enhance public understanding of Kellogg Bird Sanctuary's native plants and gardens. Will work with Sanctuary staff to create information describing plantings for volunteers and visitors (including signs) and assist with development of social media campaigns to describe gardens and related programs. Stipend=\$2,000 for ~120 hours (16 May-15 August); work schedule is flexible. **Contact**: Lisa Duke (lisaduke@kbs.msu.edu) for additional information and to apply.

ELME Fellowship: Supports Enhancing Linkages between Math and Ecology (ELME) program. Will assist with the instruction/logistics of the KBS ELME program including: assisting students with homework and projects, providing logistical support to students, and assisting instructor as needed. Will reside at KBS during ELME program (<http://www.kbs.msu.edu/education/courses>). Stipend=\$3000. **Contact**: Dr. Danielle Zoellner (zoellne8@kbs.msu.edu) to apply.

LTER Research Grants: Small grants to graduate students (Masters or PhD) interested in conducting research on or using data from the KBS LTER. Funding for supplies, travel, on-site accommodations, and other research-related expenses (NOT salary or stipends). Proposals considered as received; priority given to projects most closely aligned with overall LTER research. Information on how to apply: <https://lter.kbs.msu.edu/get-involved/grants-and-fellowships/>.

Undergraduate Mentorship Fellowships: Support for graduate students mentoring undergraduates involved in summer research experiences at KBS (REU or URA). Stipend=\$1,000 in for each student mentored (up to two per summer). Additional funding available to accompany mentees to national meeting to present KBS research. **Contact**: Dr. Danielle Zoellner, KBS Academic Programs coordinator, zoellne8@kbs.msu.edu.

Summer Teaching Assistantships – Application Deadline: February 19, 2018

KBS summer courses are offered in 2 five-week sessions and meet 1, 2 or 3 times a week. GTAs are for $\frac{1}{4}$ or $\frac{1}{2}$ time depending on contact hours and instructor expectations. Stipend and up to 5 credits of tuition covered. Course offerings and instructors are here: <http://www.kbs.msu.edu/education/courses/>. Priority given to KBS graduate students or campus-based students planning to be in residence for the summer. **Contact:** Dr. Danielle Zoellner, KBS Academic Programs coordinator (zoellne8@kbs.msu.edu) to apply.