

2012-2013 PhD Graduate Student Scholarships

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Vertex Scholars will be chosen based upon academic excellence and upon a demonstrated commitment to scientific research.

All graduate students in SOM PhD programs who have passed the qualifying exam are eligible to apply.

Awards will be made for one year starting July 1, 2012 and include stipend support.

Also included: travel allowance to attend a scientific conference or visit Vertex sites for scientific and career discussions

Awards cannot run concurrently with other stipend awards

Applications must consist of a PDF file that includes:

- 1) Cover Sheet with your name; address; mentor; undergraduate university, degree and GPA, date entering graduate program, date of qualifying exam, current source of stipend support.
- 2) A short interesting personal essay describing your experience in science and your career goals
- 3) Your cv
- 4) Copies of your publications
- 5) Please send to the office 2-3 letters of reference (including one from your current mentor) in sealed and signed envelopes. Please ask these references to specifically address your commitment to research.

Completed Applications including letters must be submitted to the Graduate Studies Office by 5pm on **13 April 2012**

Applications may be submitted in hardcopy or electronic format (**PDF preferred**).

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