

**Summer Research Fellowships funded by the National Fragile X Foundation's
William & Enid Rosen Research Fund and the NFXF Research Fund**

2008 Call for proposals

The National Fragile X Foundation will fund one or more summer student research fellowships at \$2,500 each through the William & Enid Rosen Research Fund and the NFXF Research Fund. The student's work can be in the area of fragile X syndrome (FXS), fragile X-associated tremor/ataxia syndrome (FXTAS) or fragile X-associated primary ovarian insufficiency (FXPOI). Proposals should be submitted to the NFXF by April 21, 2008. Notification of awards will be made in early May 2008.

Proposals should be in the following format:

SECTION A (Maximum 1 page)

Candidate's Name
Candidate's Email address
Undergraduate/Masters/PhD
Department and University/Location of Training
Institution's Mailing Address
Supervisor's Name
Supervisor's Email address
Short title of proposed project

SECTION B (Maximum 3 pages)

1. Introduction to proposal
2. Aims and hypothesis
3. Methods (participants, procedure, materials)
4. Timeframe
5. Expected Outcomes and relevance to Fragile X

SECTION C

1. The applicant's one-page CV including any relevant experience
2. The supervisor's brief bio-sketch
2. Three recent publications from the supervisor that relate to Fragile X (List publication's title and provides web links *or* attach the actual publication.)

The fellow can be either an undergraduate or graduate student, and the supervisor should be experienced in research concerning Fragile X.

The research proposal should state how the project will expand our knowledge of Fragile X and how the fellowship will provide a distinctive training experience.

All applicants will be required to write a one-page description of their experience for publication in the National Fragile X Foundation's quarterly journal.

All applications must be submitted by email to:

NATLFX@FragileX.org

Subject Line: Summer Student Fellowship Application- [applicants last name]

Please direct any questions to Robert Miller at the National Fragile X Foundation via the above email address or by calling 800-688-8765.