

FACULTY RESOURCES



The Ruth & Harold Newman Office
of Prestigious Scholarships & Fellowships

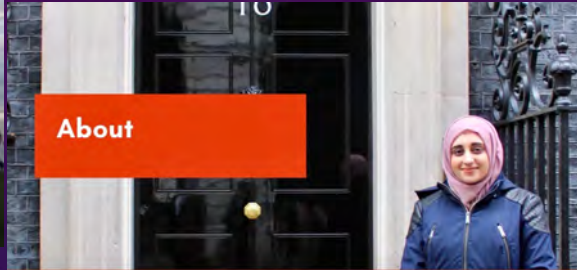


1. HOW TO IDENTIFY TALENTED STUDENTS

2. WHAT A NATIONALLY-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP
WILL DO FOR YOUR STUDENT

3. RESOURCES FOR YOUR STUDENTS WHO ARE
THINKING ABOUT APPLYING FOR FELLOWSHIPS

Do you have an exceptionally talented student?



1. WHAT QUALITIES ARE TYPICALLY FOUND IN COMPETITIVE CANDIDATES?

The most important quality of students with potential to be competitive applicants is the demonstration of intellectual curiosity

INTELLECTUAL CURIOSITY

As a faculty member you are in the best position to judge student talent. Students who demonstrate the kind of intellectual curiosity that makes them good candidates for nationally-competitive scholarships are typically, rigorous thinkers, synthesize ideas across disciplines, go above and beyond course assignments to explore subjects in depth, and participate enthusiastically in classroom discussion.

OTHER QUALITIES

- Academic excellence (e.g., minimum 3.5 GPA)
- Extensive extra-curricular experience and sustained engagement in one or two activities
- A record of leadership, energy, and personal ambition

IF YOUR STUDENT HAS JUST 2 OF THESE ATTRIBUTES,
EMAIL THE STUDENT'S NAME TO STEPHEN LASSONDE AT:

ops@hunter.cuny.edu

or call: 339-203-8420

I'll contact your students and begin advising them
about potential scholarship opportunities

2. WHAT A NATIONALLY-COMPETITIVE SCHOLARSHIP WILL DO FOR YOUR STUDENT . . .

- A scholarship is a distinction that enhances future success in the student's field
- Increases likelihood that they will receive future support for their work
- Increases likelihood that their work will be recognized
- Makes a student a more desirable applicant for graduate school, professional school, or as a job candidate

INTRINSIC REWARDS FOR STUDENTS WHO APPLY FOR MAJOR FELLOWSHIPS

- Discover who they are
- Develop a sense of purpose
- Connect the Dots among their various activities/interests
- Create a narrative about themselves
- Identify what good they can do in the world

OTHER BENEFITS THAT WILL ACCRUE ALONG THE WAY . . .

- Mentoring
- Internships and other experiences that help them understand what they enjoy and excel at
- Experience applying for scholarships
- Increased self-confidence

3. RESOURCES

In addition to advising your student about fellowships, OPS&F provides the following support to student development

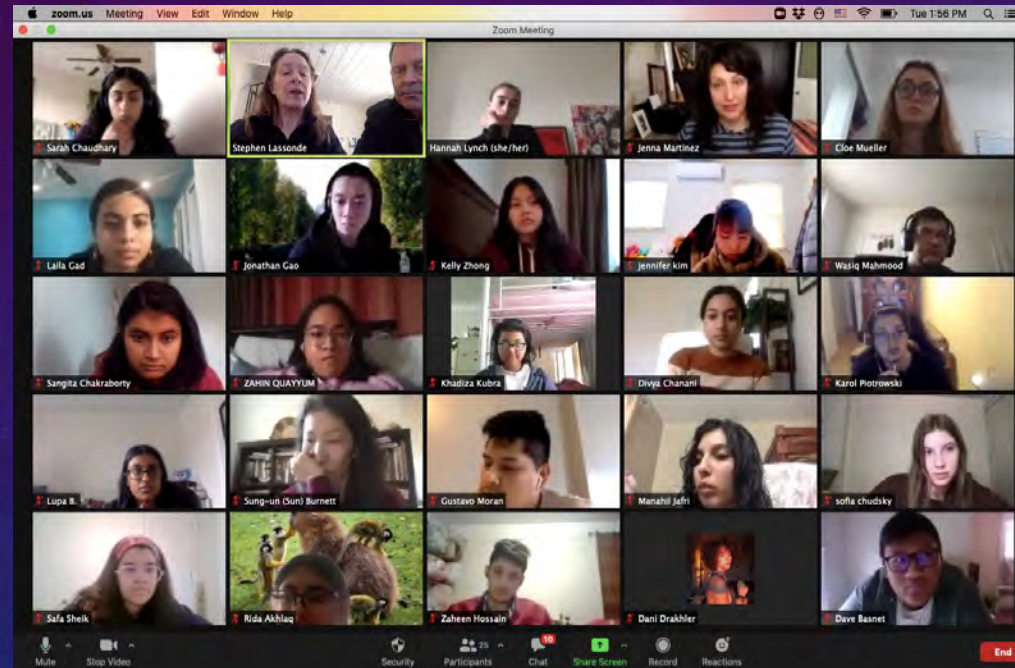


Office Hours for individual advising:

M-F, 10:00-5:00, by Appointment

To make an appointment with me: <https://hunter-cuny.campus.eab.com/pal/DK2A9g--up>

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the weeks leading up to
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