Howard Hughes Medical Institute - 2016 International Student Research Fellowship

****PLEASE NOTE: ONLY THREE (3) CANDIDATES FROM TUFTS MAY BE NOMINATED****

Deadlines:
Tufts Internal Deadline: October 16, by 5pm
Institutional Nomination Deadline: November 17, 2015
Application Deadline: February 11, 2016

For those interested in making a nomination, please send an email to the Limited Submissions Team at limitedsubmissions@tufts.edu informing us of your nomination. The email should include:

1. The name of the Limited Submission,
2. The name of the international graduate student you wish to nominate,
3. A brief statement of the nominee’s qualifications specific to this competition.

PROGRAM INFORMATION: HHMI's fellowship program supports outstanding international predoctoral students studying in the United States who are ineligible for fellowships or training grants through U.S. federal agencies. HHMI will award three-year fellowships to international students to support years three, four, and five of a Ph.D. program. Eligible biomedical-related fields include biology, chemistry, physics, math, computer science, engineering, and plant biology—as well as interdisciplinary research.

ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION: Students eligible for nomination are international graduate students in the biomedical or related sciences who:

• have demonstrated exceptional talent for research,
• are currently in the second (third) year of graduate study,
• have entered a laboratory in which they will conduct their dissertation research, and
• are not U.S. citizens, noncitizen nationals, or permanent residents of the U.S.

Students must be in the 3rd or 4th year of a Ph.D. program in the biomedical or related sciences at a designated nominating institution to activate the fellowship.

AWARD INFORMATION: For the 2016–2017 fellowship year, HHMI will provide each International Student Research Fellow with an annual stipend of $30,000. In addition, $3,000 which may be issued for healthcare cost, and supplies, travel or courses relevant to a fellow’s study. HHMI will also provide an institutional allowance of $10,000 in lieu of all tuition and fees.

FURTHER INFORMATION: https://www.hhmi.org/programs/international-student-research-fellowships