

Smith College Fellowships Program - Deadlines

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Fellowships requiring College nomination or endorsement or encouraging application for support	Please express intention to apply by ...	Formal request for nomination/endorsement/su pport in specified format	Green light to proceed with complete application	Endorsement/Internal feedback/mock interview panel	Internal deadline for complete application	Deadline for letters of recommendation [# letters required]	External deadline
Beinecke	Early November 2023	11/17/2023	12/14/2023	11/27/23-12/11/2024	1/5/2024	1/19/2024 [3]	2/7/2024
Churchill	Late April 2023	5/15/2023	6/5/2023	9/4/2023-09/8/2023 (Endorsement and Mock Interview)	Nomination Application: 8/28/2023 Final appln.: Likely 10/2/2021 (with copy of Cambridge application, deadline 10/11/2023)	10/11/2023 [4]	11/1/23 NOTE: Must be preceded by application to Cambridge due 10/11/2023.
DAAD Study Scholarship	Late May 2023	8/18/2021	NA	10/27/2023 (Feedback)	10/20/2023	10/20/2023[1]	11/3/2023
Fulbright	No later than June 1 2023	5/15/2023	2 weeks after completion of registration questionnaire	9/11/23-9/22/23	9/5/2023	9/5/2023 [3]	10/10/2023
Goldwater	Early November 2023	11/17/2024	12/14/2023	11/27/24 - 12/11/2024 (if required, Endorsement)	1/5/2024	1/19/2024 [3]	1/26/2024
Marshall	Late April 2024	5/15/2023	6/5/2023	8/21/2023-08/25/2023 (Endorsement and Mock Interview)	8/18/2023	8/18/2023 [3]	9/19/2023
McCall MacBain	Late April 2024	5/15/2024	6/5/2023	8/28/2023-09/01/2023 (Endorsement and Mock Interview)	8/23/2023	8/23/2023 [4]	9/27/2023
Mitchell	Late April 2024	5/15/2023	6/5/2023	8/28/2023-09/01/2023 (Endorsement and Mock Interview)	8/23/2023	8/23/2023 [4]	9/28/2023
Rhodes-US Competition	Late April 2023	5/15/2023	6/5/2023	8/28/2023-09/1/2023 (Endorsement and Mock Interview)	8/23/2023	8/23/2023 [5-8]	10/2/23 (US) NOTE: Deadlines for other Rhodes competitions can be as early as June 1.
Rhodes-Global Competition	Late April 2023	5/15/2023	6/5/2023	7/20/2023-7/21/2023	7/17/2023	7/17/2023 [5]	Late July/Early August
Truman	Early November 2023	11/17/2023	12/14/2023	11/27 12/11/2024 (if required, Endorsement)	1/5/2024	1/19/2024 [3]	2/6/2024
Udall	12/1/2023	1/8/2024	1/29/2024	Not required	2/12/2024	2/19/2024 [3]	3/7/2024

Other competitive fellowships	Deadline for seeking advice and feedback	External deadline
Boren Scholarship	12/1/2023	U/grad 2/7/2024 Grad 1/24/2024
Critical Language Scholarship	Late October 2023	11/14/2023
Gates Cambridge - all US citizens living in the US	8/18/2023	10/11/2023
Gates Cambridge - others	8/18/2023	Dec. 7, 2023 or Jan. 7, 2023 (depends which course of study is chosen)
Hertz (application opens in mid-August)	8/18/2023	10/28/2023
Knight-Hennessy	8/18/2023	10/11/2023
NOAA Hollings	Late November	1/30/2024
NSF GRF (application opens in early August)	8/18/2023	10/16/23 to 10/20/23 is the NSF GRFP deadline interval (check specific date for your field!)
Pickering (application opens in June)	8/25/2023	9/28/2023
Rangel	8/25/2023	9/27/2023
Schwarzman - Chinese passport holders (Mainland China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Macao)	4/20/2023	5/20/2023
Schwarzman - other passport holders	08/18/2023	9/19/2023
Soros	08/25/2023	10/26/2023
Yenching (Note: These are the deadlines for international, Hong Kong, Macao, and Taiwan candidates; Mainland Chinese applicants submit in May 2021. International application opens in Summer 2023.)	11/1/2023	12/29/2023

Note: Students (and their faculty advisers and mentors) are encouraged to be in contact with a Fellowships Adviser well ahead of deadlines. The best, most competitive fellowship applications are developed over a period of 2-6 months, involving discussion, multiple drafts, wide consultation, and - for the student - plenty of "sleeping on it" time to ensure it feels right, looks right, and authentically reflects the student's achievements, plans, and potential.