

Nomination for Google Ph.D. Fellowships

Internal Application Deadline: September 7, 2020

Google Ph.D. Fellowship nomination process changed this year as “Each university (not each department) may nominate up to the maximum number of student nominations”. Based on the recommendation of the UF Graduate School, the CISE department will coordinate the nomination process for Google Ph.D. Fellowships this year.

- Details about the Fellowship Program: <https://research.google/outreach/phd-fellowship/>
- FAQ with answers about eligibility: <https://research.google/outreach/faq/?category=phd>

1. Nomination Process:

UF can nominate up to four eligible students from Computer Science or related fields with the constraint that “if a university chooses to nominate more than 2 students, then the 3rd and 4th student nomination should self-identify with the underrepresented group”.

Each department can send up to two nominations to Prof. Kevin Butler (butler@ufl.edu) by **September 7, 2020**. If any department decides to send two nominations, one of the nominations must self-identify as a woman, Black / African descent, Hispanic / Latino / Latinx, Indigenous, and/or person with a disability. Each nomination should be a 2-page PDF with the following details:

- One page dissertation proposal highlighting its potential contributions.
- One page CV with GPA, publications, awards/achievements, services/leadership and link to the nominee’s website (if any)

2. Selection Process:

The CISE Awards committee will evaluate the nomination packets based on the strength of the research proposal, research impact, student academic achievements, and leadership potential. The CISE Awards Committee will announce the winners by September 11, 2020 so that the winners have two weeks to prepare the application packet (chair’s letter, 2-3 recommendation letters, up to 8 page dissertation proposal, nominee’s CV, 1-page CV of advisor, two short essays, transcripts, etc. as outlined in <https://research.google/outreach/faq/?category=phd> under “What should be included in an application”). The winners need to provide the completed packet to Prof. Kevin Butler (butler@ufl.edu) by September 25, 2020 so that he can submit the nominations to Google by the deadline (September 30, 2020).

If you have any questions or comments about the internal nomination or selection process, please send an email to Prof. Kevin Butler (butler@ufl.edu) or Prof. Prabhat Mishra (prabhat@ufl.edu).