American University
Adel Ait-Ghezala Research Fellowship
Application Guidelines

The Office of Graduate Studies and Research is pleased to announce that applications are now being accepted for the Adel Ait-Ghezala Graduate Research Fellowships. These research fellowships are available to graduate students who are full-time enrolled students in a master's or doctoral program at American University. The fellowships are intended to support applied, educational or policy-relevant research programs designed to improve the lives of the citizens of developing countries. This is a competitive fellowship. Students must be making satisfactory academic progress (SAP) toward their degrees in order to be eligible.

The supported research activity may occur in any developing country. The fellowship will support applied, educational or policy-related research programs and, in particular, projects implemented and executed in partnership with a recognized, reputable local agency or organization. The funds are to be used to support expenses associated with the direct costs of research. Students may be awarded up to $1,500.00.

Research project proposals will be assessed and evaluated for project significance, feasibility, sustainability, evaluation design and the potential to yield results that will impact the lives of citizens of a developing country.

The funding period for this fellowship is May 1, 2019 to April 30, 2020. Students are expected to complete their research project within the funding period. Award recipients will receive a stipend in the amount of the award.

A letter of agreement to these terms between the Dean of Graduate Studies and the recipient must be signed prior to the disbursement of the fellowship.

WHAT TO SUBMIT:
An application package, which includes:
- Application Cover Form
- Research Project Description (a maximum of 3 pages)
- Curriculum Vitae

SEND COMPLETED APPLICATION, <u>AS ONE PDF FILE</u>, ON OR BEFORE

March 8, 2019

to Anita Brown, <u>abrown@american.edu</u>

Late applications will not be accepted.