

GRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCHER (GSR) ACADEMIC YEAR 2024-25 APPLICATION GUIDELINES

The Graduate and Extended Studies Office, together with the Office of Sponsored Projects and Research, would like to support the research enterprise at ESU by offering Graduate Student Researcher - funded positions for the **entire 2024-25 academic year**.

In recognition that research projects often take more time than one semester to implement and may benefit from the continuity of one graduate student researcher, this opportunity is open to our community to propose activities that would benefit from a longer time period of implementation. Departments without graduate students may apply and select a student later from a department other than their own. The proposal should **not** be to support a student's thesis work.

Funding for two full-time positions is available. You may propose a full-time (300 hrs per semester) or part-time position (150 hrs per semester). Work will begin August 26, Fall 2024, and end May 9, Spring 2024, for a maximum of 30 weeks (15 weeks per semester). The rate of pay is \$10/hour. The part-time funding is for 10 hours a week ($\$10/\text{hr} \times 150\text{hrs}/\text{sem} \times 2 \text{ sems} = \$3,000$) and the full-time funding is 20 hours a week ($\$10/\text{hr} \times 300\text{hrs}/\text{sem} \times 2 \text{ sems} = \$6,000$).

Criteria for selection are:

- 1. Student's level of substantial involvement in the project**
- 2. Clear impact on student's education and future career aspirations**
- 3. Depth of faculty member's commitment to mentor student**

To Apply:

1. Visit [ESU eGRANTS](#); **Log in or register** (Contact Lynne Ozgur, lozgur@esu.edu for questions about the portal).
2. Click on **Graduate Student Researcher Academic Year 2024-25** link on the homepage.
3. Complete the application initial questions section: This section requires a brief abstract and must include the name and contact information of the faculty member who will lead the endeavor (applicant), title of research project, and name, major, and contact information of the student, if available, at the time of application. If the identity of the student is unknown, then include a brief description of the ideal candidate in the one-page proposal.
4. Upload Proposal: Upload your **one-page** Word or PDF proposal file addressing the above criteria for selection, indicate if the proposal is for a full or part time GSR, and include a timeframe for project completion.

Applications are due in [ESU eGRANTS](#) by **midnight August 2, 2024**. Announcements will be made before the start of the Fall 2024 semester.

If chosen, the student will have to apply immediately to a job description that will be posted in Atlas.