



## **QSB Travel Award Academic Year 19-20**

### **Purpose**

The Graduate Award is designed to financially support Graduate Students enrolled in a PhD or Masters program pursue their graduate degree and career goals. This award is based on merit and also takes into consideration financial needs of each applicant. This award is available to domestic and international students.

### **Eligibility Requirements**

1. Currently be enrolled in 12 units in one of the graduate programs.
2. Good academic standing.
3. Eligible every 2 years for a maximum of \$800
4. Copy of accepted abstract, conference confirmation submitted with award request

### **Support**

- Recipients will receive a fellowship at a maximum of \$800

### **Student Loan Impact**

Per federal guidelines, all fellowship and tuition support is taken into consideration when determining student loan eligibility. If you have received federal student loans during AY 2019-20, please note that this award could reduce your student loan eligibility, resulting in a loan overpayment. If so, this award would be applied to the overpayment and the remaining balance, if any, would then be disbursed. Your loan debt would then be reduced accordingly. Please check with financial aid before accepting any fellowships if you are concerned about the impact an award may have on your student loan eligibility.

### **Use of Funds**

Funds may be used specifically for costs of attendance (i.e. tuition, fees, books and supplies) or for general support (living, transportation, and personal expenses) necessary to support the pursuit of educational and career goals.