

G.T. Seaborg Institute at Los Alamos National Laboratory

Graduate Research Fellows Program



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We are pleased to announce a nationwide search for 10-12 outstanding graduate students to participate in the Seaborg Institute Graduate Research Fellows Program at Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL), sponsored by the US Department of Energy, Laboratory Directed R&D Program and G. T. Seaborg Institute. Research Fellowships will be offered in two areas:

nuclear forensics, homeland security, nuclear medicine, isotope production, nuclear physics, and related areas

Actinide Science

f-element chemistry, physics, spectroscopy, surface science, materials science, metallurgy, and related areas

This program runs 10-12 weeks and gives Fellows an opportunity to work with LANL scientists as their mentors in independent research projects that can contribute to Fellows' thesis or advanced degree. Fellows should work with their academic advisor to connect with a LANL scientist mentor. Start dates must be agreed upon with your LANL mentor and can be between **April and July 2026**. While at LANL, Fellows are encouraged to attend the Seaborg Lecture Series exploring a wide variety of current research topics in actinide science. Fellows are expected to communicate their research activities with LANL colleagues.

Application Procedure

A complete application package will include a Google Form Application, a student's Curriculum Vitae (CV), one letter of recommendation, and current transcripts (official or unofficial).

Application forms can be accessed by clicking [here](#) or by scanning the QR code below. Submit your application and supporting documents via the Google form. Your letter of recommendation may be emailed separately to seaborg@lanl.gov or uploaded directly with your Google Form package; please include the applicant's name in the subject email when submitting. **The deadline for applications is Feb. 11, 2026. Selections will be announced in by March 6, 2026.**

Eligibility

Students must be enrolled full-time at the time of application. Selection will be made on the basis of the applicant's academic record, recommendation letter, and research interests. More information can be found on LANL's [Student Program](#).

Salary

Students are paid a competitive salary based on LANL guidelines. Graduate student temporary employee salaries are based on the number of academic school years completed. More information can be found on LANL's [Student Program](#).

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