

## **BRIDGES TO THE DOCTORATE PROGRAM**

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**Deadline fall 2018 admission: Friday, June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

### **Bridge to the Doctorate Fellowship Overview**

Fresno State in partnership with the University of California Merced has a new NIH funded **Bridges to Doctorate Graduate Fellowship** program. It is supported by the National Institute of General Medical Sciences (NIGMS) to promote the participation of underrepresented minority students in biomedical and behavioral sciences.

### **WHAT are the benefits?**

- Student stipends annually for two years
- Paid summer internship at UC Merced
- Tuition and fees paid (up to \$3,000)
- Individualized faculty mentoring and coaching
- Participation in professional conferences and meetings
- Links to research and professional opportunities
- Enriched academic services and support by dedicated Bridges Faculty
- Step-by-step mentoring for a successful transition

Applicants to the program are evaluated on their undergraduate record including professional performance and research experiences. The successful applicant will pursue the Ph.D. degree in a Biomedical or Behavioral Sciences.

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