



ARCS Endowment Fellowship
Metropolitan Washington Chapter

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The Metropolitan Washington Chapter of the ARCS Foundation will award one ARCS Endowment Fellowship for the Academic Year 2012-2013 in the amount of \$15,000. Selection of the Fellowship recipient will be made from among the participating universities on the basis of qualifications and research achievements of the candidate.

The specific field of study for this year's Fellowship is **Energy Research**.

The University of Virginia is permitted to submit one application for consideration. An internal nomination process will select the University's nominee.

Criteria: Nominees must meet the following criteria:

- Be a full time graduate student majoring in the physical sciences or engineering;
- Have a GPA of 3.5 or above;
- Be a citizen of the United States

Nomination Materials: The following materials are required for the internal nominations process:

- A detailed, written statement that discusses the relevancy and applicability of the research and includes the academic/research objective;
- Unofficial graduate school grades transcript or, as applicable, an undergraduate transcript;
- A minimum of two faculty letters of recommendation (one-page maximum)

Electronic submission to gradstudies@virginia.edu is preferred. Paper copies may be delivered to Varsity Hall 109 or sent by messenger mail to P.O. Box 400882.

Deadlines: Application materials are due to VPR by Dec. 15, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. We anticipate announcing the selected nominee by Dec. 23, 2011.