

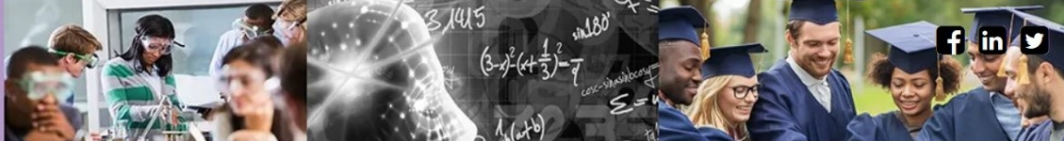


**Department of Defense (DoD)
National Defense Science and Engineering
Graduate (NDSEG)
Fellowship Program**

**Ad Hoc: OMB Reporting – Application Collection
Instrument (CDRL A0009)**

1. NDSEG Application Portal

This is a secured website where all applicants must submit their application materials such as personal information, academic information, resume or cv, proposals, essays, etc.



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National Defense Science and Engineering Graduate Fellowship Program

Fellowship Classes
FY2019 FY2023
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How to Apply

Application Status

2025 Application Review is now complete. Applicants may track their progress by logging in into the NDSEG portal.

The next application cycle opens the 1st of **August OR September**. **This is the anticipated timeline when you can begin your application.**

Ensure to check the eligibility, requirements and FAQ page prior to creating an application.

- 1 - Check your eligibility here: [Eligibility - NDSEG \(sysplus.com\)](#)
- 2 - Check Application requirements here: <https://ndseg.sysplus.com/NDSEG/Applicants/Application-Evaluation-Award>
- 3 - Check Application FAQs here: <https://ndseg.sysplus.com/NDSEG/FAQ/application>
- 4 - APPLY HERE: <https://applyndseg.sysplus.com/>

Questions related to applications should be directed to NDSEG.PMO@sysplus.com.

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Application Period - (8/1/2024 - 11/1/2024)

2025 DoD NDSEG Fellowship Program

Discipline: **Astrodynamics**

Submit Application

Last Update:8/1/2024

Applicant Information and Academic Record (Saved/Complete)

CONTACT INFORMATION

First Name Agnes

Middle Name

Last Name Test

Previous Name

Preferred Name

Primary Phone
(xxx-xxx-xxxx) 240-753-8092Alternate Phone
(xxx-xxx-xxxx) 240-753-8092

Email agnes.socrates@sysplus.com

We recommend the use of a personal email address vs. a university email. We will use this address to communicate application information including award status. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that information can be received via email.

Street Address	DM
City	DM
State	District of Columbia
Zip Code	20020
Permanent Street Address	DM
Permanent City	DM
Permanent State	District of Columbia
Permanent Zip Code	20020

CITIZENSHIP INFORMATION

Citizenship Status	Yes
Citizenship Type	U.S. Citizen

APPLICATION DISCIPLINE AREA

The selection you make in this area will determine the discipline of the Subject Matter Experts on your review panel. Please select the most appropriate discipline relevant to your Degree and research proposal to ensure that your application is reviewed appropriately.

Discipline Area	Astrodynamics
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Areas of interest that fall outside of the list may be considered if it is a STEM field and is related to one or more of these fields. If you need help selecting one of our supported disciplines, we recommend utilizing your academic or research advisor for guidance.

EDUCATION INFORMATION

Current Degree Program

Doctoral

Current

University/Institution Name

MIT

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

☒ [HBCU \(Historically Black College/University\)](#)

☒ [MSI \(Minority-Serving Institution\)](#)

☒ [HSI \(Hispanic Serving Institution\)](#)

☒ [TI \(Tribal Institution\)](#)

Type the FULL name of your Undergraduate Institution. Please do not abbreviate (ie do not write U of AL, MIT, etc.)

Undergraduate Information

Institution Name

UW

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

☐ [HBCU \(Historically Black College/University\)](#)

☒ [MSI \(Minority-Serving Institution\)](#)

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☒ [TI \(Tribal Institution\)](#)

Type the FULL name of your Undergraduate Institution. Please do not abbreviate (ie do not write U of AL, MIT, etc.)

Was your undergraduate Institution inside of the US? [Yes/No]	☒ Yes ☐ No
City	Seattle
State	Washington
Are you currently enrolled or were you enrolled and graduated? [Yes/No]	
☒ Yes ☐ No	
Student ID	012
Start Date of Attendance (Format = MM/YYYY)	10/2021
End Date of Attendance (Format = MM/YYYY)	05/2023
Major	Astrodynamics
Minor	DM

Graduate Information

Have completed OR are currently pursuing a Master's degree? [Yes/No]

☐ Yes ☒ No

Please type the FULL name of your top three choices to pursue your Master's Degree and/or three that you have applied to:

Graduate School Choice 1

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

- ☐ HBCU (Historically Black College/University)
☐ MSI (Minority-Serving Institution)
☐ HSI (Hispanic Serving Institution)
☐ TI (Tribal Institution)

Graduate School Choice 2

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

- ☐ HBCU (Historically Black College/University)
☐ MSI (Minority-Serving Institution)
☐ HSI (Hispanic Serving Institution)
☐ TI (Tribal Institution)

Graduate School Choice 3

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box

Doctoral Program Information

Have you selected a PhD program and/or are currently progressing towards your degree.? [Yes/No]

☐ Yes ☒ No

Please type the FULL name of your top three choices to pursue your PhD and/or three that you have applied to:

Doctoral School Choice 1

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

- ☐ [HBCU \(Historically Black College/University\)](#)
- ☐ [MSI \(Minority-Serving Institution\)](#)
- ☐ [HSI \(Hispanic Serving Institution\)](#)
- ☐ [TI \(Tribal Institution\)](#)

Doctoral School Choice 2

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

- ☐ [HBCU \(Historically Black College/University\)](#)
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Doctoral School Choice 3

Please click the name/link beside each checkbox below to see if your school appears on the list. If it does, please check the box beside the list name here.

- ☐ [HBCU \(Historically Black College/University\)](#)

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This section is optional. Should you choose to complete any one section of the form, you will be required to fill in the other sections. If the other sections do NOT apply to you, write "N/A" in the box.

For any item marked as REDACTION Required: **DO NOT** include any identifying information, such as your or any person(s) names, organization/institution names, or specific details that could tie the application back to you and any institution/organization or person.

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

You may add up to 3 jobs/internships that are relevant to your past or current degree. Note: If this does not apply to you, write "N/A" in the box.

Job Internship 1	☐ Yes ☒ No
Company Name	
Role/Position	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description Responsibilities	
Start Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
End Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
Current Workplace	☐ Yes ☐ No
Job Internship 2	☐ Yes ☒ No
Company Name	

PUBLICATIONS

You may add up to 3 publications that are relevant to your past or current degree. Note: If this section does not apply to you, write "N/A" in the box.

Publication 1	☐ Yes ☒ No
Title	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description	
Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Comments	
Publication 2	☐ Yes ☒ No
Title	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description	
Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Comments	
Publication 3	☐ Yes ☒ No

PATENTS

You may add up to 3 patents that are relevant to your past or current degree. Note: If this section does not apply to you, write "N/A" in the box.

Patent 1	☐ Yes ☒ No
Title	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description	
Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Comments	
Patent 2	☐ Yes ☒ No
Title	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description	
Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
REDACTION REQUIRED:	

AWARDS

You may add up to 3 awards that are relevant to your past or current degree. Note: If this section does not apply to you, write "N/A" in the box.

Award 1	☐ Yes ☒ No
Awarded By	
Award Title	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description	
Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Comments	
Award 2	☐ Yes ☒ No
Awarded By	
Award Title	
REDACTION REQUIRED: Description	
Date (Format = MM/YYYY)	
REDACTION REQUIRED:	

Fellowship Application (Status: Under Evaluation)

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2025 DoD NDSEG Fellowship Program

Discipline: **Astrodynamics**

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Last Update:8/1/2024

Resume/CV Upload (Saved/Complete)

Resume/CV [Unredacted Original Version]

Upload a recent PDF copy of your resume/CV using the following file name format: Lastname_Firstname_Resume

Choose File

No file chosen

Uploaded Resume:
NDSEG Application (3).pdf

Redacted Resume/CV

Upload a recent PDF copy of your Redacted Resume/CV using the following file name format: Redacted_Resume.
Here is the [template](#)

Choose File

No file chosen

Uploaded Resume:
NDSEG Application (3).pdf

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Personal Essay (Saved/Complete)

REDACTION IS REQUIRED: DO NOT include any identifying information, such as your or any person(s) names, organization/institution names, or specific details that could tie the application back to you and any institution/organization or person.

No more than 500 words and no special formatting required for each essay.
Answer the following: What are your short and long-term professional goals? How did these goals develop? How have you already begun to lay the foundation for these goals? How does this fellowship fit into these goals?
Use the space provided to complete your personal essay.
Tip: Prepare your essay first in another application and copy and paste your final edited version in the box below.

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Personal story statement to describe the Fellows personal journey to get where they are today (e.g., 1st to receive PHD, 1st to go to college, worked multiple position while achieving degree, what it took personally to get to where they are, etc...)

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RESEARCH PROPOSAL AGREEMENT

This proposal will be reviewed by Subject Matter Experts in your discipline including those from Academia, Industry and Government, including the Department of Defense. The submission of this research proposal allows the sharing and discussion amongst DoD agencies to evaluate relevancy to the NDSEG Fellowship Program. Should you be unwilling to submit a proposal that will be shared, you will be ineligible for the program.

Please click Yes to acknowledge that you have read this disclosure.

☒ Yes ☐ No

Use the link below to learn more about current interests of each branch. The below listed DoD Strategy Documents (e.g., BAA/FOA) links are for informational purposes only. Please do not contact the POCs listed in the DoD Strategy Documents (e.g., BAA/FOA) documents. The Agency program managers and researchers listed on the DoD Strategy Documents (e.g., BAA/FOA) topic will not review applicants packets and/or white papers. For any questions related to your DoD NDSEG application, please contact Systems Plus, Inc. at NDSEG.PMO@sysplus.com.

[DoD Supporting Agencies](#)

Based on the information from the links above, select the branch to which your proposal applies. (You may only select one)

Applicant DoD Agency Preference

Applies to Multiple Agencies - Priority 1. ONR 2. AFRL

Selections will not be based on your preference, but the needs of the DoD agency

PROPOSAL INFORMATION

Complete this form using the DoD Strategy Documents (e.g., BAA/FOA) information gathered for your research proposal.

List the DoD Strategy Document title that relates to your research proposal.

DM

List the title of your project (This can be unique to you - it does not need to be a title from the BAAs provided.)

DM

Research Proposal Abstract (Please enter in a Publicly Releasable Abstract of your Research Proposal being submitted with your application)

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Research Advisor Information

First Name

DM

Last Name

DM

Institution

DM

Department

DM

Email

agnes@uw.edu

Phone Number

222-111-2333

RESEARCH PROPOSAL UPLOAD

Research Proposal [Unredacted Original Version]:

Please upload your research proposal in PDF Format using the following file name format: Lastname_Firstname_ResearchProposal

No file chosen

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Uploaded redacted research proposal:

Please upload a redacted research proposal that **does not** include University Name, Organization/Laboratory Name, Fellow or Other Names, No Logos or Photos of individuals or Fellow Upload your research proposal in PDF Format using the following file name format: Redacted_ResearchProposal

No file chosen

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Upload a copy of your transcripts using the following file name format: Lastname_Firstname_UndergraduateTranscripts

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ASSOCIATES DEGREE TRANSCRIPTS

Associate's Degree Transcripts

☐ Yes ☐ No

MASTERS DEGREE TRANSCRIPTS

Masters Degree Transcripts

☐ Yes ☐ No

DOCTORAL DEGREE TRANSCRIPTS

Doctoral Degree Transcripts

☐ Yes ☐ No

Fellowship Application (Status: **In Progress**)

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Application Period - (5/5/2025 - 6/30/2025)

2026 DoD NDSEG Fellowship Program

Discipline: **Physics (Including Optics)**

Last Update:6/24/2025

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Demographic Information (Saved/Complete)

Demographic Information

Sex

Female

Disability Type

No Disability

More Information on Race and Ethnicity

What is your race and/or ethnicity?

Select all that apply and enter additional details in the spaces below

☐ American Indian or Alaska Native

Enter, for example, Navajo Nation, Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation of Montana, Native Village of Barrow Inupiat Traditional Government, Nome Eskimo Community, Aztec, Maya, etc.
Blackfeet Tribe of the Blackfeet Indian Reservation of Montana

☒ Asian

Provide details below.

☐ Chinese ☐ Asian Indian ☐ Filipino

☐ Vietnamese ☐ Korean ☒ Japanese

Enter, for example, Pakistani, Hmong, Afghan, etc.

☐ Black or African American

Provide details below.

☐ African American ☐ Jamaican ☐ Haitian

☐ Nigerian ☐ Ethiopian ☐ Somali

Enter, for example, Trinidadian and Tobagonian, Ghanaian, Congolese, etc.

☐ Hispanic or Latino

Provide details below.

☐ Mexican ☐ Puerto Rican ☐ Salvadoran

☐ Cuban ☐ Dominican ☐ Guatemalan

Enter, for example, Colombian, Honduran, Spaniard, etc.

☐ Middle Eastern or North African

Provide details below.

☐ Lebanese ☐ Iranian ☐ Egyptian

☐ Syrian ☐ Iraqi ☐ Israeli

Enter, for example, Moroccan, Yemeni, Kurdish, etc.

☐ **Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander**

[Provide details below.](#)

☐ Native Hawaiian ☐ Samoan ☐ Chamorro

☐ Tongan ☐ Fijian ☐ Marshallese

[Enter, for example, Chuukese, Palauan, Tahitian, etc.](#)

☐ **White**

[Provide details below.](#)

☐ English ☐ German ☐ Irish

☐ Italian ☐ Polish ☐ Scottish

[Enter, for example, French, Swedish, Norwegian, etc.](#)

The categories for race are designed to identify your basic racial and national origin Category. If you are of mixed racial and/or national origin, identify yourself by the Category with which you most closely identify yourself.

[Save](#)

Reference submissions Do Not require redaction.

Please note, once you submit your application you will not be able to update your references or application. Please fill the reference information and send a notification email to each reference by clicking the "Email Reference" button on the form.

Reach out to your recommenders and update/replace reference information as needed to ensure you can include a reference with your application package.

[Reference 1](#) [Reference 2](#) [Reference 3](#)

Reference 1 Status: **Email Sent**

Reference Sent: **08/01/2024**

Organization/Institution
Name

NDSEG

Reference Type

Academic Advisor

Describe the Reference
Type
if "Other" is selected

DM

First Name

Ref1

Last Name

Test

Email

ndseg.pmo@sysplus.com

[Save](#)

[Click Save prior to Emailing Reference](#)

- The submission deadline is on **1 Nov 2024 at 11:59 PM, Eastern**. Ensure all application materials are completed before the deadline.
- We highly recommend you use a personal email address for your online application account.
- All of your responses can be changed prior to your submission. Once you submit you will not be able to make changes to your application—it is considered final.
- All application sections must be completed before an applicant can submit the application.
- References may include Academic Advisor, Research Advisor, and Internship Supervisor. Start reaching out to your references to notify them of your intent to include them as an application reference and also continuously remind them of the deadline. Log into the system periodically to ensure references have been submitted
- Reference are not required to submit your application and will NOT prevent your application from moving forward in the evaluation process, but are highly recommended.
- Applications that have not been submitted are considered incomplete and will not be reviewed. No application items will be accepted after the deadline
- Have your Advisor review your Personnel Essay and Research Proposal prior to submission
- Be sure to visit the DoD Strategy Documents links on the website under the Proposal Tab, as your research proposal needs to be a relevant research and development area aligned with the DoD Strategy Document.
- All Files must be uploaded as **PDFS ONLY**