

GRADUATE ASSISTANCE IN AREAS OF NATIONAL NEED (GAANN) FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

To apply for the GAANN Fellowship Program, please:

1. Complete and submit this form.
2. Send, by [email](#), the following supporting documentation to [Dr. Ali Hurson](#):
 - a. A one-page summary of your most important qualifications for the GAANN Fellowship; including undergraduate and graduate (if applicable) GPA, relevant course work, GRE scores, and any related work experience.
 - b. A one- to two-page statement of purpose that describes your short- and long-term professional goals and plans to meet those goals, and explains how the GAANN Fellowship program will facilitate reaching those goals. The statement should also describe your research interests, as related to information assurance; and your motivation for pursuing this research and a PhD.
 - c. A one- to two-page resume.

Final selection as a GAANN fellow is contingent upon admission to the Computer Engineering, Electrical Engineering, or Computer Science PhD programs. See the [Missouri S&T web site](#) for application requirements, which include transcripts, GRE scores and personal data.

If you are selected for the program, you will be required to complete a FAFSA form* to determine financial need.

1. Personal Data

Name of Nominee

Last First Middle

Mailing Address

Street/Box City/Town

State Zip

Home Telephone _____ Office Phone _____

E-Mail Address _____

Preferred Advisor (if known) _____

Status: _____ U.S. Citizen or National
 _____ Permanent Resident of the United States

Gender _____ Female _____ Male

Ethnicity _____ American Indian _____ Asian _____ Hispanic
 _____ African American _____ White, not of Hispanic Origin

Although the information on the FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) is NOT used as a basis for selection of GAANN Fellows, candidates selected are **required** to complete and submit a FAFSA on-line at <http://www.fafsa.ed.gov/>. Fellows' stipend levels will be determined in accordance with their financial need. A copy of the completed FAFSA may be submitted to the Computer Science Department (attn: Dawn Davis) after nominee has been awarded a fellowship.

2. Academic Background

Name of School/ Location	Attendance From To	Degree Received Degree	Major	Date
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GRE Scores:	Verbal _____	Quantitative _____	Analytical/ _____ Writing
GRE Percentiles:	Verbal _____%	Quantitative _____%	Analytical/ _____% Writing
Undergraduate Cumulative GPA _____	Graduate Cumulative GPA (if applicable) _____		

3. Activities, Memberships, Honors, Awards

4. Publications and Presentations at Professional Conferences

5. Statement

- A. I am applying for a GAANN Fellowship beginning in the (Fall, Spring) semester of 20____.
- B. In accepting this fellowship, I agree to fulfill the two-semester supervised teaching requirement.
- C. I understand that the stipend for the GAANN Fellowship Program is dependent on my demonstrated level of financial need, not to exceed \$30,000 per year. Financial need will be reassessed annually.
- D. I certify that I am planning a career in teaching and/or research.

Signed _____
Applicant

Date _____