2024 CALL FOR APPLICANTS

VISITING POVERTY SCHOLARS PROGRAM

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WELCOME & OVERVIEW

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## PROGRAM GOALS

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<th>Improve</th>
<th>Enhance the research interests and resources available to poverty scholars from underrepresented populations</th>
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<td>Foster</td>
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Visit IRP or any one of its CPC partners for one week to
1. Interact with the center’s resident faculty
2. Present a poverty-related seminar
3. Become acquainted with center staff and resources
• Director: Katherine Magnuson
• [https://www.irp.wisc.edu/](https://www.irp.wisc.edu/)
• National Research Center on Poverty and Economic Mobility
• 312 on and off-campus affiliates
• Example Areas of Focus:
  – Early Care and Education
  – Child Maltreatment
  – Child Support
  – Fatherhood Programs
• Director: Christopher Wimer

• [https://www.povertycenter.columbia.edu/](https://www.povertycenter.columbia.edu/)

• 44 affiliates

• Example Areas of Focus:
  – Poverty Trends and Measurement
  – Tax Credits
CENTER ON RACE & WEALTH
HOWARD UNIVERSITY

• Director: Haydar Kurban
• https://coascenters.howard.edu/research-centers/center-race-and-wealth
• Example Areas Focus:
  – Asset Building
  – Wealth Accumulation
  – Racial Wealth Disparities
• Director: Luke Shaefer
• [https://poverty.umich.edu/](https://poverty.umich.edu/)
• 200 affiliates
• Example Areas & Projects of Focus:
  – Detroit Partnership on Economic Mobility
  – Flint Rx Kids
  – Understanding Communities of Deep Disadvantage
• Director: James Ziliak
• [https://cpr.uky.edu/](https://cpr.uky.edu/)
• 24 affiliates
• Example Areas of Focus:
  – Food Assistance Programs
  – Food Insecurity
WILSON SHEEHAN LAB FOR ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES
UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME

• Directors: Heather Reynolds, William Evans, James Sullivan
• [https://leo.nd.edu/](https://leo.nd.edu/)
• 78 affiliates
• Example Projects & Areas of Focus:
  – Education
  – Criminal Justice
  – Healthcare
• Director: David Grusky and Sara Kimberlin
• [https://inequality.stanford.edu/](https://inequality.stanford.edu/)
• 160 on-campus affiliates, 420 national and international affiliates
• Example Projects & Areas of Focus:
  – Annual Poverty and Inequality Report
  – Social Mobility
  – American Voices Project
• Directors: Marianne Page & Jacob Hibel
• [https://poverty.ucdavis.edu/](https://poverty.ucdavis.edu/)
• 56 Affiliates
• Areas of Focus:
  – Non-traditional Safety Net (Education and Health Programs)
  – Labor Markets and Poverty
  – Children and Intergenerational Transmission of Poverty
  – Immigration Policy and Poverty
• Directors: Tim Bruckner, David Neumark and Naomi Sugie

• [https://www.cpip.uci.edu/index.php](https://www.cpip.uci.edu/index.php)

• 59 Affiliates

• Example Areas of Focus:
  – Child and Adolescent Development
  – Criminal Justice and the Life Course
  – Migration
WEST COAST POVERTY CENTER
UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON

• Director: Jennifer Romich
• [http://depts.washington.edu/wcpc/](http://depts.washington.edu/wcpc/)
• 46 affiliates
• Example Areas & Projects of Focus:
  – Child & Family Well-Being
  – Household Budgets
  – Income Supports
Eligibility

• Ph.D.-holding, U.S.-based poverty scholar at any career level
• Meet the NIH definition of underrepresented in their field of study
• 4 scholars selected to visit a Poverty Center in the 2024-2025 academic year

• Funding covers:
  – Transportation
  – Lodging
  – Meals
LOGISTICS OF THE APPLICATION PROCESS

Application

• Complete online Application Form
• Upload as 1 pdf:
  – 2-page letter
    • describe poverty research interests and experiences
    • Indicate the CPC institutions that you are applying to
      (up to 3, ranked by preference)
  – CV
  – 2 examples of poverty-related written materials
LOGISTICS OF THE APPLICATION PROCESS

Timeline

• April 3, 2024: Deadline for proposal receipt
• Mid-May 2024: Notification of award
• 2024-2025 Academic Year: Dates for Visit (flexible)
APPLICATION RESOURCES

Learn more about the Visiting Scholars Program at:  
https://www.irp.wisc.edu/visiting-poverty-scholars-program/

Get application instructions at:  
https://www.irp.wisc.edu/visiting-poverty-scholars-program-2024-2025-call-for-applications-due-4-3-2024/

Send questions to:  
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Sign up for IRP email announcements at:  
https://www.irp.wisc.edu/connect/
Questions?
Thank you!