

To: Doctoral Students**From: Nancy Gonzales, Cady Berkel, Laurie Chassin, Sarah Lindstrom Johnson****Re: Pre-doctoral training fellowships in prevention research on substance use and Dissemination & Implementation science**

Our NIDA-funded training grant will have openings for 2 pre-doctoral students who seek training in alcohol or drug prevention research. There are many research areas that are appropriate including studies of: substance use disorder etiology, design, implementation, and evaluation of preventive interventions, implementation science studies related to placing preventive interventions into natural service delivery settings and sustaining them over time, as well as prevention-relevant methodological studies. The training period is two years. Trainees propose their own programs of activities for the year that include formal coursework and work on research projects. Attendance at the weekly seminar is required and there are two required courses (a course in Addiction and a course in Dissemination & Implementation Science). The program provides a 12-month stipend, tuition, health insurance, and a small amount of money for travel and for professional development. Applications are welcomed from all training areas in the Department of Psychology and from SSFD.

Appointment Term: 2 years (ideally to begin Fall Semester 2024)**Selection Criteria:**

- Commitment to a research career in alcohol or drug prevention/implementation science
- Evidence of potential for excellence in prevention research
- Masters completed by the time of appointment
- Feasible Training Plan
- Plan to submit an F31 or other grant during the training period
- Faculty mentor who is appointed as a CORE Faculty member on the training grant. (Check with Laurie if you are unsure)
- Must have either completed 1 year of RA-supported research training in graduate school or have a mentor who will commit to providing 1 year of RA support following completion of the training grant years.

Other Selection Requirements:

- Must be a US citizen or permanent resident
- Cannot be simultaneously supported by this training grant and other federal grants
- Paid employment outside of the fellowship limited to 10 hours per week

How do I apply?

Send 1 electronic copy of the following to Laurie (laurie.chassin@asu.edu)

1. Curriculum Vita
2. Brief Statement that includes: Training goals, Proposed activities (include courses and research projects), Status of Master's Thesis, identified faculty mentors, statement re: 1 year of RA-supported research training in graduate school)
3. An email or letter from a faculty mentor attesting to: the feasibility of the training plan, the student's commitment to a research career, and the completion of 1 year of RA-

supported research training

Deadline: February 30, 2024

Questions?

Email Laurie at laurie.chassin@asu.edu and/or talk with our current and past pre-doctoral trainees (current pre-doctoral trainees are Mary Kuckertz and Sydni Basha).