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The AEA Departmental Seed Grants for Innovation in Diversity and Inclusion

Congratulations to the 2020 winners!



Georgia State University will construct a pipeline of underrepresented minorities into their PhD program from undergraduates at Spelman College, Morehouse College, and Georgia State University. The program is committed to recruiting 1–3 students from these institutions per year, easing entry barriers by providing financial support and GRE waivers.



SMU

Southern Methodist University will construct a program called SMORM to finance undergraduate research assistantships and internships with the Bush Institute, and to develop a mentorship program that encourages students to seek master's and PhD programs.

ABOUT THE AWARD

The American Economic Association and its Committee on the Status of Minority Groups in the Economics Profession (CSMGEP) established the **AEA Departmental Seed Grants for Innovation in Diversity and Inclusion** to help US-based economics departments establish “bridge programs” and training programs for underrepresented minorities. Up to four \$5,000 grants are awarded each year. **Next deadline: October 8, 2021**

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