

# Seeking Research Study Participants: Latine/x/a/o who Applied to Ph.D. Programs Fall of 2021 or Winter of 2022 for Fall 2022 Doctoral Admission

UCI sociology researchers are recruiting participants for a longitudinal study that aims to understand the forms of support and challenges that shape doctoral application processes and pathways.

**To be eligible, you must meet all of the following criteria:**

- ✓ Identify as Latine/x/a/o or Hispanic, **and**
- ✓ Completed high school in the United States **and**
- ✓ Applied to a social science or STEM doctoral program(s) Fall of 2021 or Winter of 2022 for admission into a Ph.D. program Fall of 2022 at any of the following universities: UC Irvine, or UC Santa Barbara, or UC Riverside **and**
- ✓ Did not enroll into any Ph.D. program Fall of 2022 (students who deferred admission are not eligible)

**Participation involves:**

- Completing a short demographic survey
- Participating in up to three 60-90 minute interviews through Zoom which will take place 1) Fall 2022, 2) Spring/Summer 2023, and 3) Spring/Summer 2024.
- Compensation: **\$40 Amazon gift card** after each interview. Participants that **participate in 3 interviews** will receive **\$120 in Amazon gift cards**.

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