

NEED DISSERTATION RESEARCH FUNDING?

Apply to APSA's **Doctoral Dissertation Research Improvement Grant (DDRIG)**

- The DDRIG is an NSF-sponsored grant program to enhance dissertation research in political science.
- The DDRIG provides \$10,000-\$15,000 awards for dissertation-related research expenses.
- APSA grants 20-25 DDRIG awards for one or two-year grant periods.
- APSA provides professional development opportunities for grantees.
- Deadline: September 20, 2023.

WHO CAN APPLY TO THE DDRIG PROGRAM?

Applicants must meet the following qualifications:

- Applicants must be enrolled at a doctoral degree granting university at the time of application.
- Applicants must be enrolled at a university accredited in and having a campus located in the United States. They do not need to hold US citizenship.
- Applicants must have completed all preliminary degree requirements at the time of their application, including having successfully completed comprehensive exams and a dissertation prospectus defense.
- Applicants must be sponsored by their dissertation adviser.
- Applicants must be engaged in basic, empirically oriented research.
- Applicants must be endorsed by their graduate institution. If the grant application is successful, grant funds will be distributed through the student's host institution.

HOW TO I APPLY TO THE DDRIG PROGRAM?

Applicants must submit the following materials:

- Proposal summary
- Project description and research plan
- Disclosure of other sources of financial support
- Professional development plan
- Biographical sketch
- Budget and budget justification
- Data management plan
- Letter of support for dissertation advisor
- Institutional support form
- Research and professional ethics requirement

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE SEPTEMBER 20, 2023