

[Applications Invited for Sigma Xi Student Science and Engineering Research Grants](#)

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Sigma Xi, a society of research scientists and engineers that rewards excellence in research and cooperation among scientists in all fields, has been providing undergraduate and graduate students with valuable educational experiences and financial support for more than eighty years. By encouraging close working relationships between students and faculty, the society promotes scientific achievement through hands-on learning. Through the Sigma Xi Grants-in-Aid of Research program, the society awards grants of up to \$1,000 to students from all areas of the sciences and engineering. Designated funds from the National Academy of Sciences allow for grants of up to \$5,000 for astronomy research and \$2,500 for vision-related research. The funding can support travel expenses or non-standard laboratory equipment necessary to complete a specific research project. While membership in Sigma Xi is not a requirement for a grant, approximately 75 percent of Grants-in-Aid of Research funds are restricted for use by dues-paying student members of Sigma Xi or students whose project advisor is a dues-paying member. Students from any country are eligible to apply.