

YALE UNIVERSITY ■ SCHOLAR AWARD COMPETITION
THE BROOKDALE FOUNDATION
Leadership in Aging Fellowship Program 2012

DEADLINES

- September 19, 2011 – internal deadline
- November 1, 2011 – anticipated sponsor deadline

SPONSOR'S WEBSITE

The 2012 program is expected to remain similar to the 2011 program.

Links will be updated as soon as 2012 information is published, anticipated to occur at the beginning of September.

2011 Program Website: <http://www.brookdalefoundation.org/Leadership/Fellows/fellows.html>

2011 Fellowships Guidelines & Application Forms: <http://bf.ianet.org/bf/>

FAQ: <http://bf.ianet.org/bf/faq.html>

Senior Fellows and Board of Directors: <http://www.brookdalefoundation.org/Leadership/Fellows/bio.html>

Current Fellows and Project Titles: <http://www.brookdalefoundation.org/Leadership/Fellows/bio.html>

FUNDING

- Grants provide up to \$125,000 per year for 2 years and are intended to cover 75% of the Fellow's time, base salary, and fringe benefits.

NOMINATION LIMITATION

There is no limit on the number of candidates to be submitted by Yale University. However, the sponsor requests that the University endorses only its most qualified candidates.

PURPOSE

This program fosters the career development of emerging leaders in aging and each year brings together past and current fellows to network and exchange ideas.

ELIGIBILITY

- Candidates must:
 - display leadership potential;
 - demonstrate an ongoing commitment to a career in aging;
 - have support from a mentor (or mentors) willing and able to provide meaningful professional guidance to the candidate; and
 - commit at least 75% of his/her time for career development during each of the 2 years
 - not have received an NIH-type career development award prior to application
- The fellowship is open to junior academics in a broad range of disciplines including, but not limited to: medical, biological, and basic sciences, nursing, social sciences, the arts and humanities.
- Focus should be on a project that will help establish the candidate in an area of aging research, contribute to the candidate's career development, and enhance his/her leadership skills.

INTERNAL COMPETITION PROCEDURES

READ CAREFULLY and follow all instructions and guidance provided for internal competition submissions at: http://www.yale.edu/grants/funding_info/internal-competition.html

In lieu of a letter of recommendation from your chair, please submit the "Mentor's Statement" as described in item 8 of the Foundation's "application snapshot" See: http://bf.ianet.org/Brookdale_Application_Snapshot.pdf

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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For upcoming Scholar Award deadlines: http://www.yale.edu/grants/funding_info/deadlines.html Last update: August 22, 2011