

## 2023 Apple Scholars in AI/ML PhD Fellowship (Limited Submission)

The Apple Scholars in AI/ML PhD fellowship program recognizes the contributions of emerging leaders in computer science and engineering. The PhD fellowship in AI/ML was created as part of the Apple Scholars program to support the work of outstanding PhD students from around the world, who are pursuing cutting edge research in machine learning and artificial intelligence.

Eligible candidates are PhD students in Computer Science and related areas who are pursuing research in artificial intelligence and machine learning, with a unique focus on work that is related to Apple's core values. Students must be enrolled full time at an invited university.

University of Maryland has been invited to nominate 3 students. To be considered for nomination, students should submit the required materials to their department. The department will need to submit nomination packages to the Graduate School by **Tuesday, September 20, 2022**. The Graduate School will assemble a campus committee to select UMD's 3 nominees.

**Please carefully review the attached guidelines** for full program details and nomination requirements.

Since this is a short turnaround time, please create a complete nomination package as described on page 7 of the guidelines and submit the file to the Graduate School Awards Portal. The materials will need to be assembled in a single PDF file.

### **Required materials (please see page 7 of the fellowship guidelines)**

- Student CV and publication list
- Research Abstract (200 word maximum)
- Research statement covering past work and proposed direction for next 2 years (5 page maximum, including citations)
- 2 letters of recommendation, one from current advisor (1 page maximum per letter)
- Link to most recent published work (optional)
- Please also prepare a statement showing the estimated tuition and fees (including enrollment, health insurance, and books) for the nominee's 2022-2023 academic year

**Graduate School Deadline:** **Tuesday, September 20, 2022, by 5:00 pm**

**Graduate School Awards Portal:** [apps.gradschool.umd.edu/GSAwardsSystem/](https://apps.gradschool.umd.edu/GSAwardsSystem/)

If you have any questions, please contact the Graduate School's Office of Funding Opportunities at [rkotzker@umd.edu](mailto:rkotzker@umd.edu).