Note: Applications are accepted and considered based on eligibility, order of arrival, and availability of funds.

Application for NSF NRT Engendering the Spirit of Gadugi at the FEW Nexus Program Tennessee Technological University

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Are you an employee of the State of Tennessee or of any county in Tennessee?
Yes No
List any current and pending support for your education.
On separate pages, please submit the following as part of your application packet:
 Letter of Intent* CV/Resume Statement of Research Interests* Program Eligibility* Collaborative Learning Philosophy* 3 Letters of Recommendation *Requirements for the Letter of Intent, Statement of Research Interests, Program Eligibility, and the Collaborative Learning Philosophy can be found in the Application Process and Eligibility Requirements document of the NRT
program webpage at https://www.tntech.edu/graduatestudies/students/nrt-nsffellowship.php . If you are selected as a finalist, you may be contacted for an interview.
- If chosen to participate in the program, you will need to complete the required NRT elements including but not limited to 1) a thesis/dissertation, 2) specific NRT courses, 3) workshops, 4) projects, and 5) other training activities.
- If awarded an NRT fellowship, you will need to meet certain commitments required by the NSF NRT guidelines, including having the following items approved and signed by your advisor: 1) letter of intent, 2) statement of your research interests, and 3) an adjusted program of study incorporating the FEW courses. Items 1, 2, and 3 must be signed by your advisor by the end of the second semester of full-time enrollment.
 Please note the specific requirements from the National Science Foundation NRT program for fellowship recipients: (https://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2021/nsf21536/nsf21536.htm#:~:text=NRT%20trainees%20must%20be%20master's,requires%20a%20thesis%20or%20dissertation) NRT trainees must be master's and/or doctoral STEM students in a research-based degree program that requires a thesis or dissertation. NRT stipends and support for customary costs of education (tuition and required fees) are limited to U.S. citizens, nationals and permanent residents. However, international students can participate as non-stipend-supported NRT trainees or as non-trainees.
Signature of Applicant

Submit application to: Dr. Sabrina Buer (Program Coordinator) Email: sbuer@tntech.edu