

## Arno Spatola Endowment Fellowship 2023-2024

Applications are being accepted for the Arno Spatola Endowment Fellowship. The fellowship awards an exceptional Ph.D. candidate that is mentored by faculty from the Chemistry Department. The awardee will receive a stipend in either Fall 2023 or Spring 2024 for \$12,500, with \$6,250 provided by the Department and \$6,250 provided by the faculty advisor. Tuition and benefits will be paid by the Department for the period of support.

### Eligibility:

Applications are limited to Ph.D. candidates mentored by faculty from the Chemistry Department that entered the graduate program in any year so long as they have entered M.S. candidacy. Consideration will be given to an award that leads to the opening of an additional GTA line.

### Preparing the Nomination:

The nomination for the fellowship requires the following documents:

1. Statement of career aspirations and research plans during fellowship period. Specifically address what activities you will pursue during the fellowship period that will help with your career goals. *(half page only)*
2. Statement of the broader impacts of your Ph.D. degree and your activities during the fellowship period. Specifically address the potential to benefit society and contribute to the achievement of specific, desired societal outcomes. *(half page only)*
3. A letter of recommendation and commitment from the mentor. The letter must include a commitment to provide at least \$6,250 of stipend. *Note: Advisor(s) can only submit one (1) nomination. (1 page maximum)*
4. Unofficial Graduate Transcript
5. Curriculum Vita

Note: Incomplete applications will not be considered.

## Nomination Deadline: March 20, 2023

### Selection Committee:

Selection of the successful candidate will be made by the Awards Committee and final approval made by Department Chair. If there is a conflict of interest, the Department Chair will appoint a replacement committee member.

### Submit Nomination Packets To:

Nominations should be submitted as a single PDF to [lee.thompson.1@louisville.edu](mailto:lee.thompson.1@louisville.edu) with a **subject heading**: Arno Spatola Endowment Fellowship.

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