$2,000 – $3,500 PER YEAR SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY FOR UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE STUDENTS

The AASD-STEM is a collaborative research project funded by the National Science Foundation with the goal of increasing the quantity and quality of students receiving associate, baccalaureate, and graduate degrees in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) disciplines.

Students are invited to apply for the following programs:

**Bridge to Baccalaureate Program:** This program is for freshmen and sophomores who plan to obtain a bachelor’s degree in STEM disciplines. Participants will mentor high school students and will in turn be mentored by students participating in the Bridge to Post-Baccalaureate program.

**Bridge to Post-Baccalaureate Program:** This program is for juniors and seniors who are pursuing a bachelor’s degree in STEM disciplines. Participants in this program will mentor Bridge to Baccalaureate program participants and will in turn be mentored by graduate students or faculty.

**Graduate Bridge Program:** This program is for graduate students that have a demonstrated commitment to pursuing a PhD in STEM fields. Graduate Bridge fellows will mentor participants in the Bridge to Post-Baccalaureate program.

**Compensation**
Participants in the Bridge to Baccalaureate and Bridge to Post-Baccalaureate programs will each receive a $2,000 stipend per academic year renewable up to two years, while participants in the Graduate Bridge program will each receive a $3,500 stipend per academic year renewable up to two years.

**Eligibility Requirements**
To be eligible for the Bridge programs, an applicant must:

- Be a student enrolled at one of the following partner institutions: Alabama State University, Auburn University, Auburn University Montgomery, Southern Union State Community College, Tuskegee University
- Pursue an associate, undergraduate, or graduate degree in science, technology, engineering, or mathematics (STEM) disciplines
- Be a U.S. Citizen or permanent resident with a documented qualifying condition (see application for types of conditions)
- Have a cumulative 2.7 GPA

**Maintaining Eligibility Requirements**
Bridge participants must:

- Be a full time student and freshmen must raise their cumulative GPA to a 3.0 by the end of their first academic year, sophomores must raise their cumulative GPA to 2.8 by the end of their sophomore year, juniors and seniors must have a 3.0 GPA in their declared major, and graduate students must have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 on all graduate work
- Complete at least two hours of traditional and online mentoring activities per week
- Participate in enrichment activities such as time-management, study-skills, and tutoring workshops and professional or association meetings
- Continue to pursue a degree in a STEM discipline
Application
A complete application package consists of the following:

- Completed application form
- Verification of Disability

Send your complete application package to the address of your home college/university listed below.

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AASD-STEM BRIDGES APPLICATION FORM

Name (First, Middle, Last) ________________________________________________________________

Local Mailing Address ______________________________________________________________________

City ___________________ State _____________ Zip ____________________

Email Address ____________________________

Telephone ( ) ___________ Voice ____ TDD ____

Sex: Female____ Male_____ Date of Birth: Month____ Day_____ Year ______

U.S. Citizen: Yes____ No ______

If no, are you a U.S. Permanent Resident?  Yes_____ No _____

Year: Freshman____ Sophomore_____ Junior_____ Senior____ Graduate _____

Major _____________________________ Current Cumulative GPA _________

Date of Degree Completion: Month____ Year ___

Transfer Student: Yes_____ No _____ Veteran: Yes_____ No_____

Ethnicity (choose one response, optional): Hispanic or Latino____ Not Hispanic or Latino____

Race (select one or more, optional)

___American Indian or Alaska Native ___Asian _______White

___Black or African American ___Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Condition:

___Speech ___Hearing ___ADD/ADHD ___Autism/Aspergers

___Visual ___Orthopedic ___Other – Specify: _________________________

Name of Parent/Guardian: _______________________________________________________________

Permanent mailing address (if different from above): _________________________________________

City_________________ State________________ Zip____________________

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Applicant: I hereby acknowledge that all information on and with this application is true and accurate,
and that I have read and understand my responsibilities as a stipend recipient.

Signature: ___________________________________________ Date ____________________