



March 29, 2017

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Dear Peng:

It is a pleasure to inform you that you have been selected as a 2017-18 University of Utah Graduate Research Fellow (GRF). Congratulations on this achievement! The award includes an \$18,000 scholarship for the academic year (August 16, 2017 - May 15, 2018), and your regular graduate tuition will be covered under the Graduate Tuition Benefit Program provided you meet the eligibility criteria (including term limits) for this program. **Please check with your department Tuition Benefit Coordinator to determine your eligibility.** If you choose to participate, the GRF will cover 80 percent of the annual premium for the Subsidized Graduate Student Health Insurance. The remaining 20 percent of the premium is your responsibility.

The GRF affords you the opportunity to pursue your project full-time during the 2017-18 academic year. You are discouraged from accepting other employment. In rare circumstances, fellows may work up to 10 hours per week as a research, teaching, or graduate assistant (0.25 FTE assistantship). For you to do this, your department chair or director of Graduate Studies must petition the Graduate School Dean before the start of fall semester. If approved, you will receive a written confirmation. No other fellowships or grants may be accepted during your GRF tenure. Finally, all departmental qualifying or preliminary examinations for your degree must be completed in order for you to receive the GRF.

Please provide your written decision to either accept or decline the Graduate Research Fellow to Jolyn Schleiffarth, Coordinator of Graduate Fellowships, as soon as possible. This offer will be automatically rescinded if we have not received communication from you by April 15, 2017. Please contact Jolyn Schleiffarth, Coordinator of Graduate Fellowships (581-6020, or e-mail: [jolyn.s@utah.edu](mailto:jolyn.s@utah.edu)) if you have questions.

We look forward to getting to know you during the upcoming award year. Please remember that at the end of your GRF, you must submit a final report to the Graduate School's Coordinator of Fellowships.

Sincerely,

Dave Kieda  
Dean, The Graduate School  
Professor of Physics & Astronomy

## Dalynn Berglund

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**From:** Terri Elder-Hale  
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**To:** PENG ZHAO; Carol Lim; David B Kieda; Terri Elder-Hale  
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Dear Peng,

Please see the attached award letter for the University of Utah Graduate Research Fellowship. Congratulations!

Please feel free to reach out with questions.

All the best,

Jolyn

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N. Jolyn Schleiffarth

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