Dow Sustainability Fellows Program
MASTERS & PROFESSIONAL-DEGREE STUDENTS

The Dow Sustainability Fellows Program, now in its third year, is accepting nominations for exceptional masters and professional-degree students focused on interdisciplinary sustainability. The program prepares future sustainability leaders to make a positive difference in organizations worldwide. Fellowships begin in January and conclude in December of that year.

AWARD
Each year, a total of 40 masters/professional-degree students are selected for the Dow Sustainability Fellows Program, each of whom receives up to $20,000 of support. Fellows are also eligible to compete for a Distinguished Award for Interdisciplinary Sustainability.

COMMUNITY OF SCHOLARS
In addition to receiving valuable monetary support for their studies, Dow Sustainability Fellows become part of a “Community of Scholars” who regularly interact to exchange ideas and perspectives. In fact, as part of an effort to encourage interdisciplinary thinking and collaboration, fellows are required to engage in monthly seminars and related activities, as well as multidisciplinary team project.

CANDIDATES
This component of the Dow program is designed for U-M students pursuing a terminal masters or other professional degree. It is targeted for students focused on finding interdisciplinary, actionable, and meaningful sustainability solutions on local-to-global scales. Only students who are nominated by their school/college may apply.

THE NOMINATION & APPLICATION PROCESS
Each school/college across the university is eligible to nominate up to 10 masters/professional-degree students for consideration, using their own process for selecting nominees.

Visit the U-M Planet Blue website to learn more: http://sustainability.umich.edu/dow

Made possible by The Dow Chemical Company, the Dow Sustainability Fellows Program at the University of Michigan supports full-time graduate students and postdoctoral scholars at the university who are committed to finding interdisciplinary, actionable, and meaningful sustainability solutions on local-to-global scales. The program prepares future sustainability leaders to make a positive difference in organizations worldwide.