



## **About IIE-GIRE**

The IIE-GIRE Fellowship offers 3–5 month grants for U.S. graduate students to pursue innovative research projects abroad and develop the skills to succeed in a globalized world while enhancing U.S. economic competitiveness and collective scientific knowledge. The program recognizes the importance of international research collaboration and supports internationalization and further development of international research, lab and institutional partnerships. We hope that IIE-GIRE fellows will be introduced to new research approaches and methods and hone their ability to conduct research in an international setting, improve their expertise and credentials as engineers, enhance their interpersonal relationships and networks, and enable them to contribute to the global scientific community.

## Awards include funding towards:

- international travel
- living stipend
- health insurance
- visa fees
- educational materials
- enrichment activities

In addition, each student's home campus faculty adviser will receive \$2,000 to help support their own travel to the research site abroad or for other relevant activities to support internationalization of home campus graduate programs.

This opportunity allows me to use the unique adaptive evolution capabilities at the Technical University of Denmark to complement the metabolic and protein engineering work that I do at the University of Wisconsin - Madison.



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IIE-GIRE Fellow 2019

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