



# Spring 2016 Fellowship Opportunity for PhD Students

## Body Engineering Los Angeles GK-12 (BELA)

Knowing how to communicate clearly and effectively is a critical skill for anyone pursuing a career in research, academia, or industry. The **USC Body Engineering, Los Angeles (BE-LA)** program will award one qualified science and engineering PhD student a for his/her communication, teaching, and leadership skills while improving science and engineering education in local schools. The graduate fellow will work with one master science teacher at a local middle school to develop and implement hands-on, inquiry-based activities related to science, engineering, technology and math (STEM).

### What comes with the award?

Type	50% effort
Stipend	\$15,000 plus tuition, fees, & classroom materials
Hours	20 hours/week, of which 10-12 hours is in the K-12 classroom
Eligibility	US citizen or perm resident PhD student, post-screening, advisor support

**Fellowship period:** January 4, 2016 – June 30, 2016

**Applications are being accepted immediately and will be reviewed on a rolling basis until November 18, 2015.**

**Visit:** <http://bela.usc.edu>

For more information, view this video: <http://youtu.be/ygLkdudLFkU>  
(note: video has general information about the program)

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