

Preparing Urban and Rural Personnel as Leaders in Education

PROJECT PURPLE

FULL TUITION GRANT FOR PH.D. STUDENTS

Considering a doctorate in special education? Project PURPLE is a partnership between the University of Kentucky and University of Louisville. Funded by a U.S. Department of Education grant, the project will provide selected students:

- Full tuition
- Monthly stipend
- Attendance at one conference per year
- Mentorship from nationally recognized UK and UL faculty
- Collaborative opportunities across UK/UL scholars
- Training in research methodology, teaching, and service
- Practicum experiences in urban and rural settings
- Guest lectures from nationally known researchers
- Focus on evidence-based practices appropriate for rural and urban high-need settings

Scholars from underrepresented groups strongly encouraged to apply. All students funded on this grant will be required to enter into a written service obligation agreement with the U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education Programs.

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