

About the Faculty for the Future Selection Process

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The online application web site opens in September of each year and closes by mid-November. The final selection of candidates is made at the Schlumberger Foundation Board in March of the following year.

The Selection Process is comprised of 4 distinct rounds.

Round 1

In Round 1 all applications are reviewed for general eligibility: i.e., completeness/coherency/overall quality, the relevance of the discipline chosen in line with the core objectives of the Faculty for the Future program and the scientific interest of the research proposal.

Round 2

In Round 2 a panel of scientists and technical employees, mostly PhDs themselves, from different Schlumberger Research Centers and locations around the world is invited to review a set of applications each.

Round 3

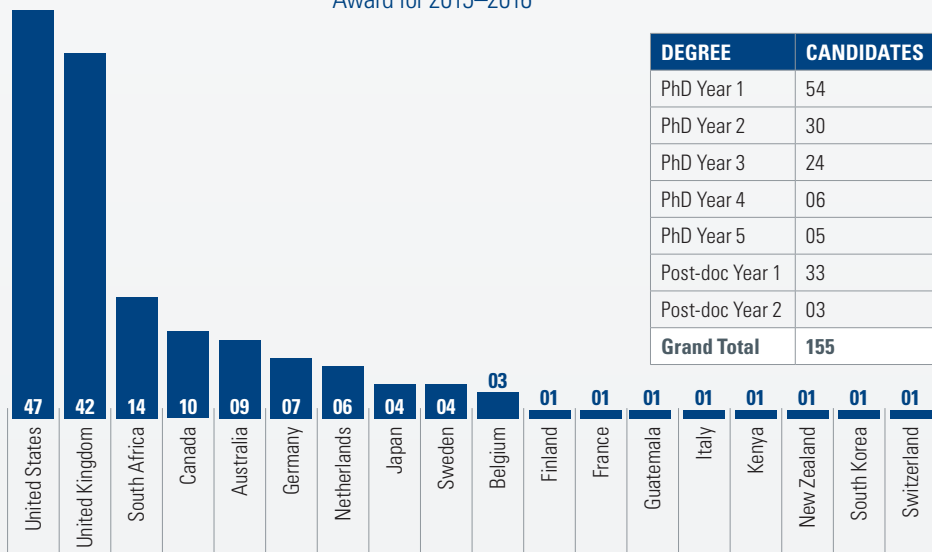
At this point a selection committee, made of Schlumberger Foundation Board Members and some selected senior managers of Schlumberger, conduct telephone interviews with each of the applicants to gain more insight into each candidate. Each interviewer recommends their candidates for a grant to the grant Selection Committee.

Round 4

Final selection is made by the Schlumberger Foundation Board in session at its meeting in March.

New Grantees

155 Candidates received a Faculty for the Future Award for 2015–2016



DEGREE	CANDIDATES
PhD Year 1	54
PhD Year 2	30
PhD Year 3	24
PhD Year 4	06
PhD Year 5	05
Post-doc Year 1	33
Post-doc Year 2	03
Grand Total	155

NEW GRANTES: Disciplines

PhD	Post-Doc
119 76.8%	36 23.2%

17 Env. Sciences.

9 Agriculture
Civil & Env. Eng.
Comp. Eng.

8 Biology
Chemistry

7 Chem. Eng.
Materials Science

5 Electro. & Elec. Eng.
Mathematics
Mechanical Engineering
Nutrition

4 Healthcare Sciences
Bioengineering
Bioinformatics
Biophysics
Physics

3 Biochemistry
Computer Science
Earth Sciences
Material Engineering

2 Entomology
Geology
Hydrology
Ind. Eng.
Infect. Diseases & Immun.
Information Systems
Medicine
Pharmacology
Science Education

1 Astronomy
Atmos. Science
Biostatistics
Botany
Engineering
Fluid Dynamics
Food Science
Materials Chemistry
Mathematics Education
Wireless Communication

NEW GRANTEES: 155 Candidates Coming from 46 Developing Countries**AFRICA 76**

Nigeria	27
Kenya	08
Uganda	08
Ghana	07
Zimbabwe	06
Zambia	04
Ethiopia	03
Tanzania	03
Egypt	02
Benin	01
Cameroon	01
Madagascar	01
Malawi	01
Morocco	01
Mozambique	01
South Africa	01
Tunisia	01

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Brazil	02
Mexico	02
Bolivia	01
Colombia	01
Costa Rica	01
El Salvador	01
Guatemala	01
Nicaragua	01
Peru	01
Venezuela	01

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India	16
Pakistan	16
China	07
Bangladesh	04
Viet Nam	04
Indonesia	03
Philippines	02
Bhutan	01
Malaysia	01
Myanmar	01
Papua New Guinea	01
Sri Lanka	01
Thailand	01

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Turkey	03
Iraq	02
Jordan	01
Kuwait	01
Oman	01
Palestinian	01

NEW GRANTEES: 155 Candidates from Various Regions