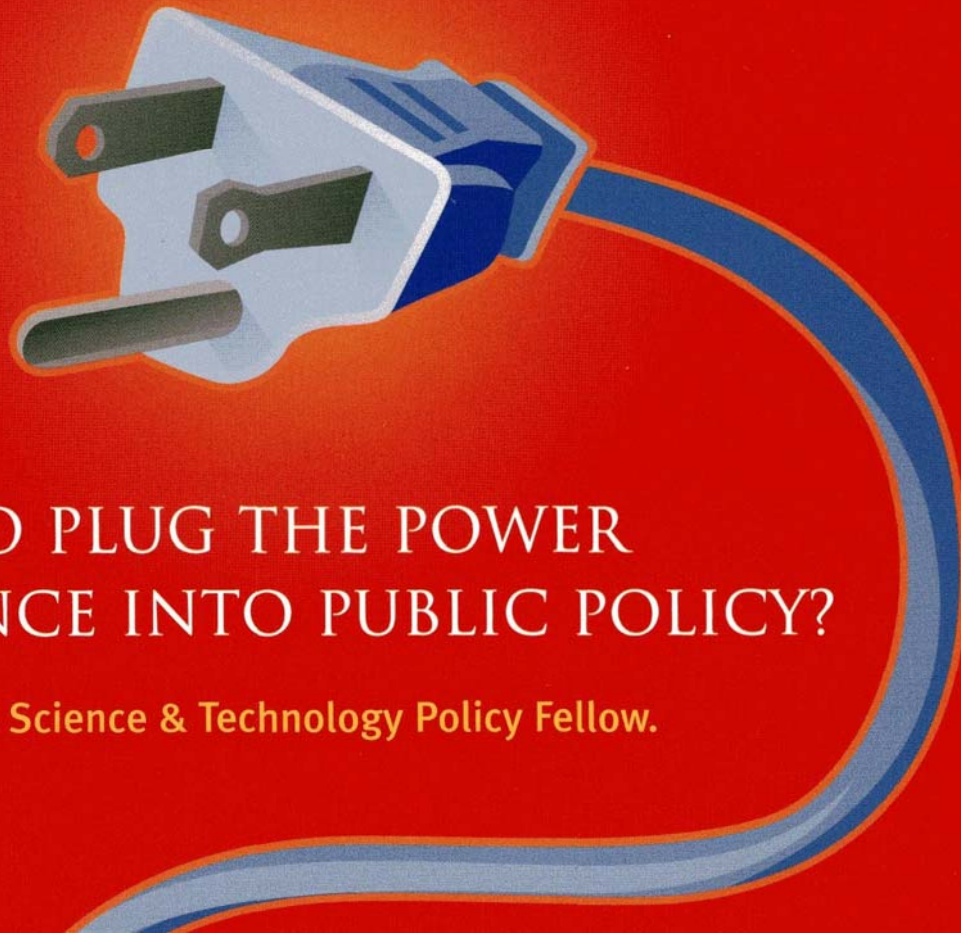


AAAS SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY POLICY FELLOWSHIPS



ADVANCING SCIENCE. SERVING SOCIETY



WANT TO PLUG THE POWER
OF SCIENCE INTO PUBLIC POLICY?

Become a AAAS Science & Technology Policy Fellow.



1973-74 Congressional Fellows
1st class of Fellows



1987-88 AAAS Fellows



2006-2007 AAAS Science & Technology Policy Fellows

The Fellowships aim to:

- **Educate scientists and engineers on the intricacies of federal policymaking**
- **Foster positive exchange between scientists and policymakers**
- **Empower scientists and engineers to conduct policy-relevant research that addresses challenges facing society**
- **Increase the involvement and visibility of scientists and engineers in the public policy realm**

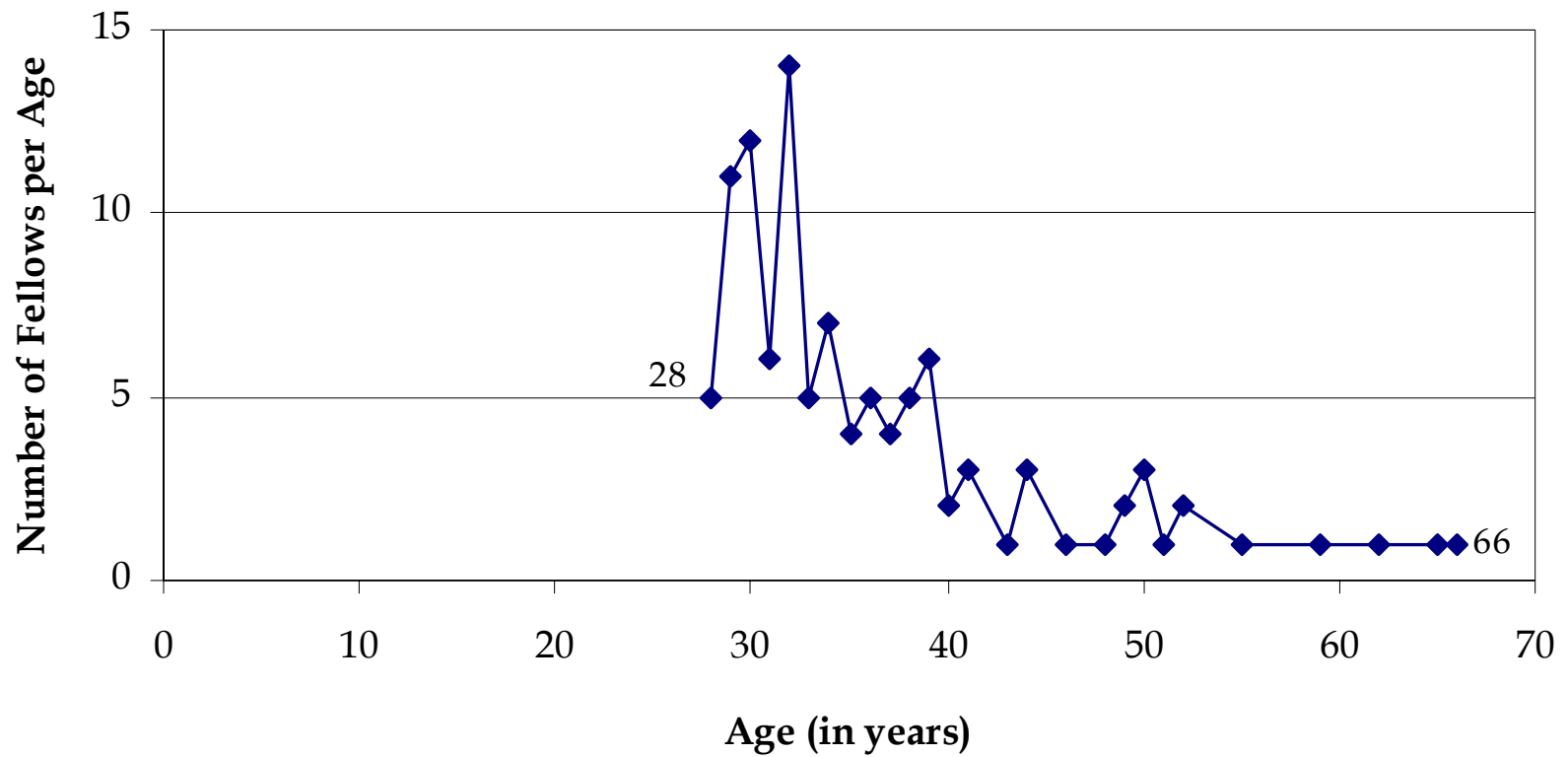
Science & Technology Policy Fellows *2006-2007*

- **148** Fellows -- the largest class in AAAS Fellowships history!
- **115** Fellows in the Executive Branch
- **33** Congressional Fellows (**2** AAAS Fellows, **31** Fellows from partner scientific societies)
- **109** first-year Fellows and **39** second-year renewal Fellows

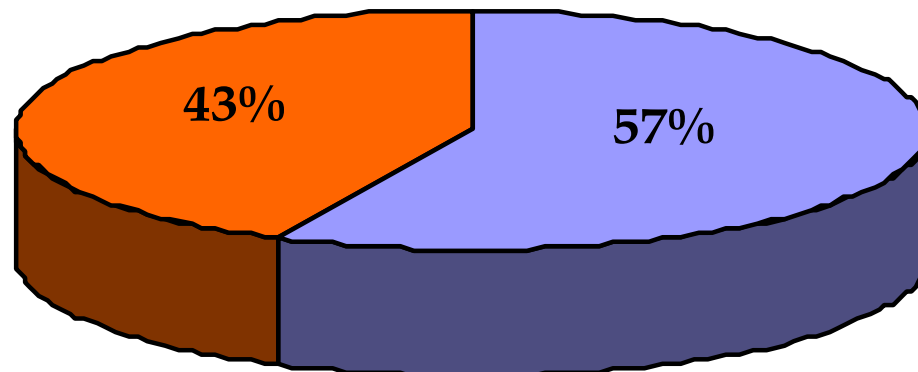
Science & Technology Policy Fellows 2006-2007

- Age range: 28 to 66
(average age = 37)
- Representing academic institutions in the U.S. and abroad, NGOs, and private industry
- Representing a broad range of disciplines (social, biological, physical, medical, and engineering)

Age Range of All 2006-07 First-Year Fellows (n=108)

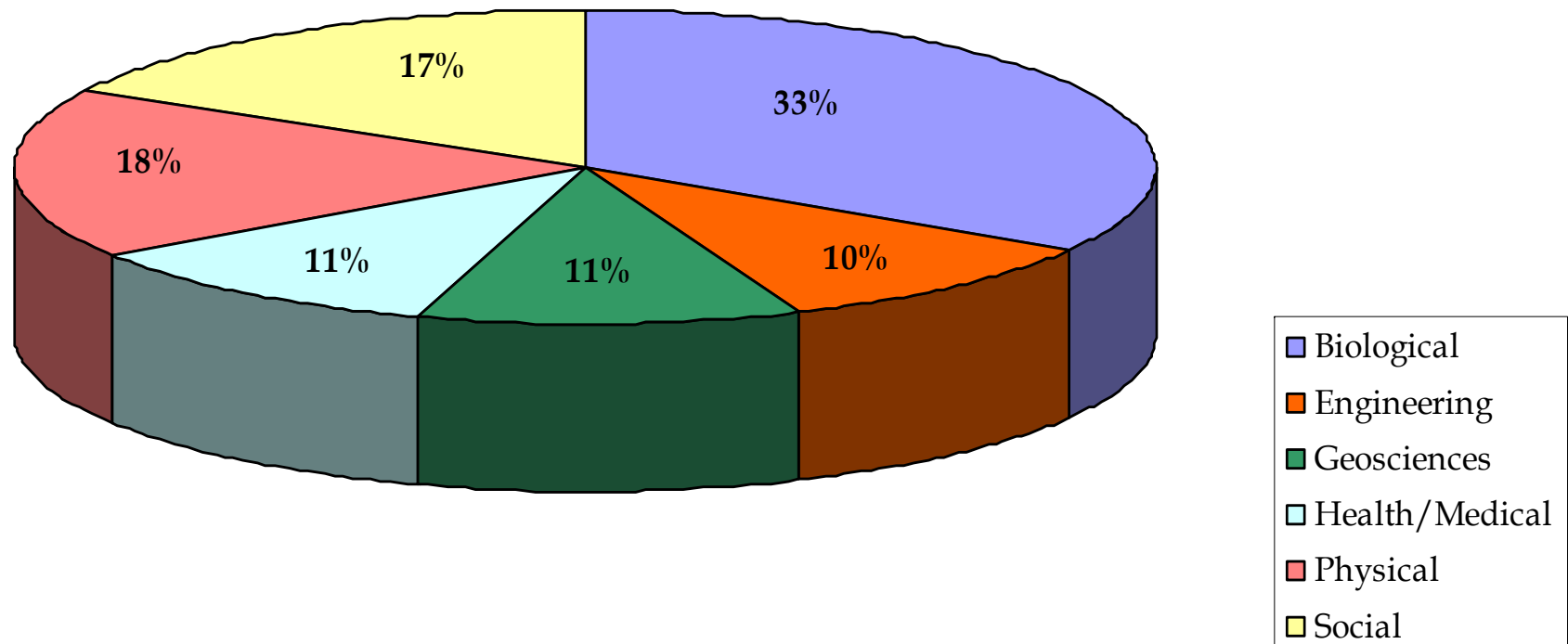


Gender Breakdown of All 2006-07 First-Year Fellows (n=109)



-  Females
-  Males

Percentage of All 2006-07 First -Year Fellows
According to Area of Scientific Discipline
(n=109)



FELLOWSHIP AREAS

Congressional – 2 placements

Anticipated placement opportunities: Offices of members of Congress and congressional committees.

Diplomacy – 15-25 placements

Anticipated placement opportunities:

- U.S. Department of State
- U.S. Agency for International Development
- Fogarty International Center of the National Institutes of Health
- Foreign Agricultural Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture

FELLOWSHIP AREAS

Energy, Environment, Agriculture & Natural Resources – 15-25 placements

Anticipated placement opportunities:

- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Institute for Water Resources
- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- U.S. Department of Energy
- U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
- U.S.D.A. Forest Service
- National Science Foundation
- Foreign Agricultural Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture

FELLOWSHIP AREAS

Health, Education, & Human Services – 15-25 placements

Anticipated placement opportunities:

- U.S. Department of Agriculture
- National Institutes of Health
- National Science Foundation

Global Stewardship – 1 placement

Anticipated placement opportunities:

- Any federal agency
- Congressional office or committee,
- or non-profit organization in Washington, D.C. focusing on environment or sustainability issues

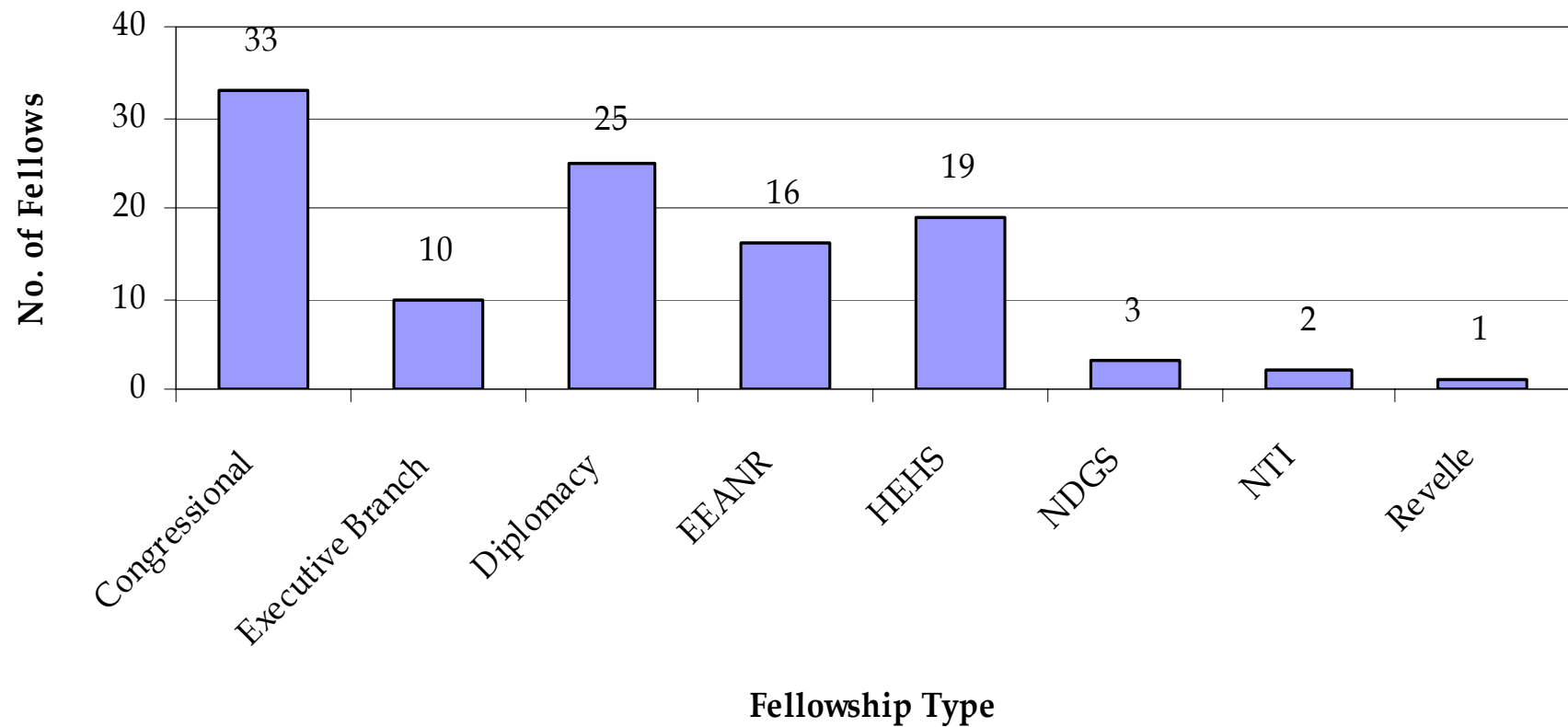
FELLOWSHIP AREAS

National Defense and Global Security – 5-10 placements

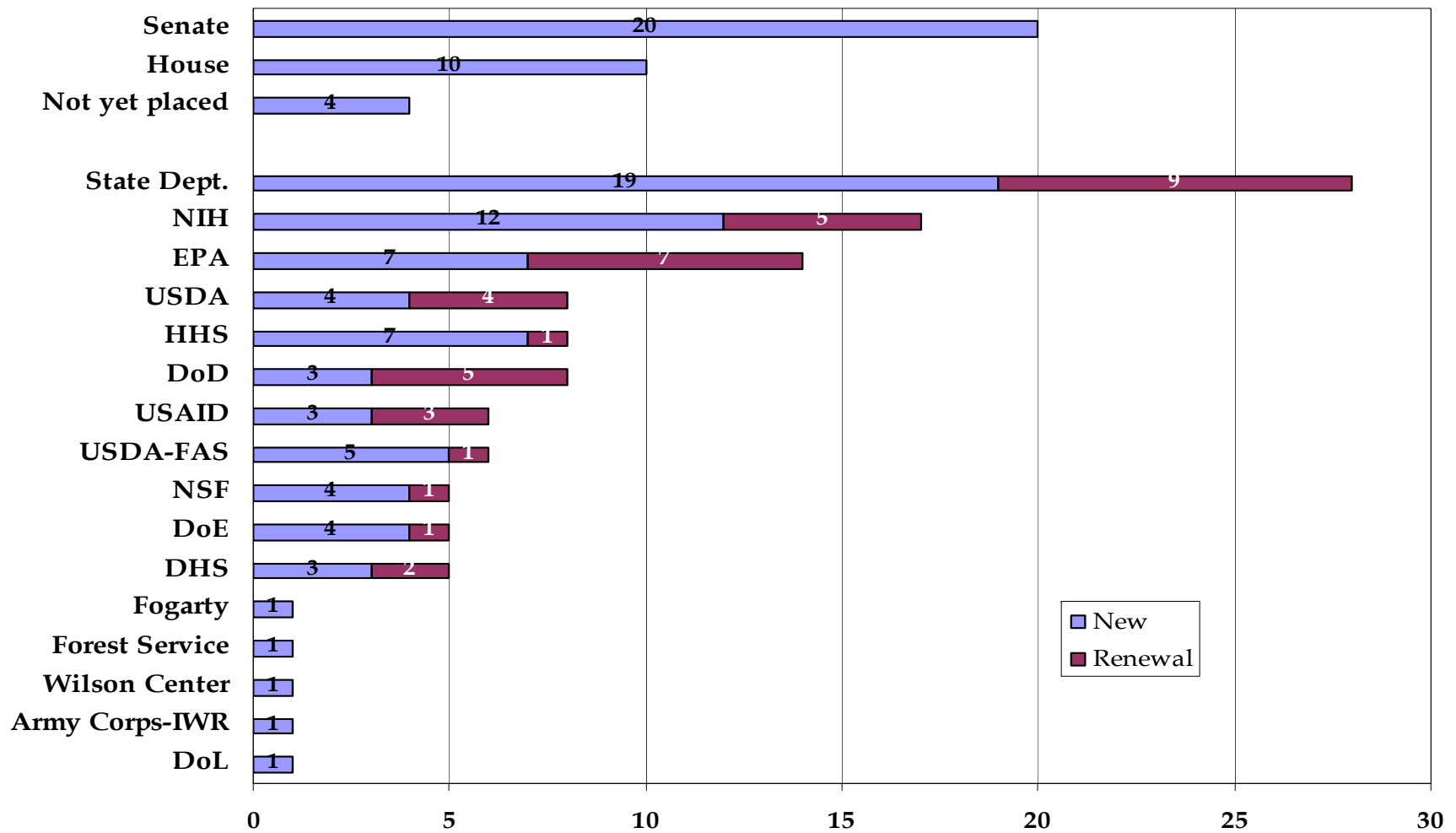
Anticipated placement opportunities:

- U.S. Department of Defense
- U.S. Department of Homeland Security
- Federal Bureau of Investigation

Distribution of All 2006-07 First-Year Fellows by Program



Placement Breakdown for All 2006-07 Fellows



Criteria:

AAAS seeks candidates from a broad array of backgrounds and a diversity of geographic, disciplinary, gender, and ethnic perspectives.

Fellows come from a range of sectors, including academia, industry, and non-profits, representing a spectrum of career stages, from recent PhD graduates to faculty on sabbatical to retired scientists and engineers.

Applicants must:

- Hold a doctoral-level degree (PhD, MD, DVM, DSc, PharmD, or other terminal degree) in any physical, biological, health/medical or social science or any relevant interdisciplinary field.
 - Individuals with a master's degree in engineering and at least three years of post-degree professional experience also may apply.
- Have solid scientific and technical credentials and the endorsement of three references.
- Show a commitment to applying their scientific or technical expertise to serve society.
- Be good communicators, both verbally and in writing, to decision-makers and non-scientific audiences.
- Demonstrate integrity and good judgment and display leadership qualities.
- Hold U.S. citizenship.

Fellowship Cycle:

Application Deadline: 20 December 2006

Notification of Eligibility: 2 January 2007

Interviews: Late February to mid-March 2007

Finalists' Placement Week: 15 April – 20 April 2007

Placement Offers: April to June 2007

Fellowships Begin: 1 September 2007

Fellowships End: 31 August 2008

Year-long Professional Development:

- Orientation: 5 September – 18 September 2007
- Monthly Career Enhancement and Skill Building Workshops
- Monthly Seminars (organized by Fellows)
- Networking & Outreach Events
 - *AAAS Annual Meeting*
 - *AAAS Forum on Science & Technology Policy*
- Year-end retreat

Fellowship Support:

Stipend:

Approximately \$67,000 to \$87,000 (depending on years of experience)

Relocation Allowance:

Up to \$3,500 for first-year Fellows (if move is 35+ miles from fellowship site) with stipends via AAAS.

Health Insurance Reimbursement:

AAAS provides monthly reimbursements for Fellows. Several options are available, including a group plan (administered by current/former Fellows)

Travel Allowance:

Minimum travel allowance is \$3,500 for fellowship-related travel and for professional development. Varies by placement.

AAAS Fellowships:

<http://fellowships.aaas.org>