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The NSF EPSCoR CPU2AL project seeks to understand, predict, and control plasma processes and interactions in low-temperature plasma (LTP) environments. This knowledge can be used to develop new technologies for aerospace, manufacturing, medicine, agriculture, and food safety. Current or prospective graduate students that are interested in research on LTP can take advantage of different programs to receive financial support through graduate research assistantships (GRAs).

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GRA Opportunities

CERIF GRA Program
The NSF EPSCoR CPU2AL project has a Central Education, Recruitment, and Impact Fund (CERIF) to award GRAs to selected students involved in research on LTP. These GRAs provide financial support for up to three years to selected graduate students at CPU2AL partner institutions.

Graduate Research Scholars Program
The Alabama Established Program to Stimulate Competitive Research (ALEPSCoR) Graduate Research Scholars Program (GRSP) was established in 2006 by the Alabama State Legislature. This program provides financial support to selected graduate students for up to three years.

Institutional GRAs
CPU2AL partner institutions continuously seek good students that are interested in research on LTP.

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