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FY22 Vermont Space Grant Consortium Graduate Research Fellowship Recipients

On behalf of Director, Bernard F. Cole, the Vermont Space Grant Consortium (VTSGC) is pleased to announce the recipients of the Graduate Research Fellowships for the twelve-month period July 1, 2021 to June 30, 2022. This competition is open to U.S. graduate students enrolled in M.S. and Ph.D. programs in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) disciplines within the State of Vermont.

Denzel Ayala, Chemistry
Matthew Grasso, Plant Biology
Diego Javier-Jiménez, Chemistry
Matthew B. Reuter, Chemistry
Alaina S. Dickason Roberts, Civil Engineering
Jena Staab, Electrical & Biomedical Engineering
Robert L. Worley II, Civil Engineering

Per NASA requirements for the National Space Grant Program, graduate students funded by this competition must be U.S. citizens and enrolled full-time in a graduate program within a STEM discipline. Female students, members of underrepresented groups in STEM disciplines, and/or persons with a disability are especially encouraged to apply. Faculty serving as research mentors will be full-time faculty in STEM disciplines.

Recipients of the fellowship, in collaboration with their faculty mentor, will be required to provide written progress updates to the Space Grant Director during the award period as needed to comply with NASA reporting requests. A Final Report will be due within thirty (30) days of the end of the award period.