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List of UC Berkeley Women Recipients of Guggenheim Fellowships

The Guggenheim Fellowship—formally awarded by the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation—was established in 1925 by former U.S. Senator Simon Guggenheim and his wife Olga in memory of their son. From its inception, the Foundation aimed to strengthen the nation’s educational, literary, artistic, and scientific capacity and to promote international understanding.

Since 1925, the Foundation has supported scholars, scientists, and artists by granting fellowships that provide financial stipends and the freedom to pursue independent work at the highest level. Fellows are selected through a rigorous application and peer-review process based on demonstrated prior achievement and exceptional promise for future accomplishment.

Name	UCB Department	UCB Start Year	Section	Election Year	Member Type
Jennifer A. Doudna	Molecular & Cell Biology	2002	Biochemistry & Molecular Biology	2020	Fellow
Jennifer Redfearn	Graduate School of Journalism	2021	Film-Video	2024	Fellow
Markita del Carpio Landry	College of Chemistry, Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering	2016	Chemistry	2025	Fellow
Hannah Ginsborg	Philosophy	1988	Philosophy	2025	Fellow
Jodi Halpern	Bioethics, Medical Humanities	1998	Medicine & Health	2022	Fellow
Ulrike Malmendier	Finance, Economics	2006	Economics	2017	Fellow
Wendy Brown	Political Science, Gender Studies	1999	Political Science	2017	Fellow
Teresa Caldeira	City and Regional Planning	2007	Architecture, Planning, & Design	2012	Fellow
Carolyn Merchant	Environmental Science, Policy, and Management	1979	Intellectual & Cultural History	1995	Fellow
Alison Gopnik	Psychology	1988	Psychology	2020	Fellow
Constance J. Chang-Hasnain	Electrical Engineering and Computer Science	1996	Engineering	2009	Fellow
Debarati Sanyal	French	2000	Literature	2021	Fellow
Julia Bryan-Wilson	Art History	2011	Art History	2019	Fellow
Shari Huhndorf	Ethnic Studies	-	Indigenous / Cultural Studies	2018	Fellow
Fei Xu	Psychology	2009	Cognitive Science	2018	Fellow
Cindy Cox	Music	1991	Musical Composition	2017	Fellow
Myra Melford	Music	2004	Music / Jazz Composition	2013	Fellow
Joanna Picciotto	English	-	Literature	2013	Fellow

Rosemary A. Joyce	Anthropology	1994	Archaeology / Anthropology	2010	Fellow
Susanna Barrows	History	1981	European History	1983	Fellow
Dawn Song	Electrical Engineering and Computer Science	2007	Computer Science	2010	Fellow
Elena Conis	School of Journalism, History Dept.	2016	History of Science, Technology, & Economics	2026	Fellow
Hannah Zeavin	Department of History	2023	History of Science, Technology, & Economics	2026	Fellow
Francesca Rochberg	Near Eastern Studies	2007	History of Science & Technology	1993	Fellow
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