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8:1 student to faculty ratio

$500k directly supports student assistantships and travel

$1.7m in external research funding in FY23

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25 + YEARS

700 + FELLOWS

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