WHO IS ELIGIBLE
PhD students in Communication Sciences and Disorders and related fields with
• under-represented identities or perspectives, and/or
• research interests in diversity-related issues in communication sciences and disorders.

AWARD
Awardee (one per year) will receive a $1,000 award and will be invited to deliver an invited lecture at Vanderbilt University Medical Center on the topic of their research on October 20th, 2021. All awardee travel and lodging expenses will be covered.

TO APPLY
Applicants should submit their current CV and a description of their research background and current research activity (1 page). Applicants should email their materials to Robin Jones (robin.m.jones@vumc.org). Application materials are due by July 31st, 2021. Announcement of the awardee will occur on or before August 20th, 2021.

About Vanderbilt Department of Hearing & Speech Sciences:
The Vanderbilt Department of Hearing and Speech Sciences serves persons with a broad range of communication disorders across the age span, and is composed of multiple treatment clinics, 20+ research laboratories, and four graduate degree programs. 2021 marks its 70th anniversary of providing services in the Nashville, Tennessee, and the surrounding region.