



Office of Undergraduate Research

Office of Undergraduate Research (OUR) - GCRU Application

For GCRU Information Click Here (<https://our.research.uiowa.edu/collaborative-research-projects>)

GCRU Applications **must** be prepared and submitted by the Principal Investigator (PI). Students should **not** write or submit this application.

Please be prepared to submit the following materials and information:

- Project title (25 word max)
- Project Description (150-300 words)
- Student Involvement (150-300 words)
- Mentoring Statement (200 word max)
- Distinctive Areas of Excellence (150-300 words)

Select all of the terms you want on this application, as second rounds of funding may not be available.

Note: Large projects are asked to only apply for 4 students. Dual applications for the same project **will not** receive funding for both.

PI's with a current ICRU fellow, AHI fellow, or EURA fellow are **not** eligible for a GCRU award, unless their previously awarded fellow is built into their GCRU application. (Example: If you mentor a student who won an EURA in the spring, you can apply for a GCRU but that student must be one of your GCRU team.)

For questions, please contact the OUR office by email at undergraduate-research@uiowa.edu (<http://mailto:Undergraduate-research@uiowa.edu>).

Mentor Information

Primary Mentor

No Person Selected

Add A Person

Co-Mentor Information (if applicable)

Co-Mentor

No Person Selected

Optional

Add A Person - add up to 4 people

Student Information

How many students will be working on this project?

- ☐ Two Students
- ☒ Three Students
- ☐ Four Students

Student selection

Each application may identify up to four students to work on the project. Preference will be given to applications in which students have already been identified.

- ☐ I have students identified for this project
- ☒ I do not have students identified at this time

Student will need to be identified within 1 week of award date to be paid for a full-term award.

Project Term

Please select terms for your project.

Student awards will be prorated for projects starting off-cycle.

- ☐ Fall 2026
- ☐ Spring 2027
- ☐ Summer 2027

Project Details

Project Title

Please use language accessible to a broad audience when possible.

25 word max

Project Description

Use this space to articulate the project's research question or goal, provide a detailed description of the research being conducted, and explain its significance/value within your discipline to a general audience.

Text length: 150-300 words

Student Involvement

Describe how students will take on defined roles in the project, such as data collection, planning, analysis, and literature review. Include how collaboration will help them build professional skills and prepare for future career opportunities.

Text length: 150-300 words

Mentoring Statement

Describe your mentoring philosophy and how you will support student growth throughout this project. This includes opportunities for students to expand their knowledge, gain new experiences, and benefit from guidance provided by you and any co-PIs.

250 word maximum

Strategic Plan Distinctive Areas of Excellence

In accordance with UI's 2022-2027 Strategic Plan, weight may be given to research proposals that focus on the following: Writing and Communication, Brain Science and Mental Health, or Cancer Research and Patient Care. If applicable, detail the way(s) your proposal overlaps with any of these three distinctive areas of excellence (<https://now.uiowa.edu/news/2024/09/ui-identifies-3-distinctive-areas-excellence-campus-collaboration>) for campus collaboration. If not applicable, please enter "NA".

Distinctive Areas of Excellence

Text length: 150-300 words

Additional Information

Does this research involve human subjects and require Institutional Review Board (IRB) approval?

- ☐ No, involves human subjects but does not require IRB approval
- ☐ No, does not involve human subjects
- ☐ Yes, please list IRB approval number

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) Animal Protocol

Does this research involve animal subjects and require IACUC Animal Protocol approval?

- ☐ No, involves animal subjects but does not require approval
- ☐ No, does not involve animal subjects
- ☐ Yes, please list IACUC Animal Protocol approval

Additional Funding

Do you have other funding sources for this project?

- ☐ No
- ☐ Yes, please describe

Attestation of GCRU Guidelines

By checking below, I acknowledge that students selected for this project cannot be OUR funded fellows at the time of this award (e.g. ICRU, AHI, EURA). I understand that failure to comply WILL lead to fellowship fund complications for my students.

- ☐ **Acknowledgement**

Please use the upload space to attach your IRB approval (if necessary).

Upload Attachments

Attachment Type

- ☒ Supporting Documents (must be a .pdf file)

Description

Optional

File

Choose File

 No file chosen

Max file size is 50MB

 Upload File

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