Chancellor’s Scholars’ Summer Research Award

Please email completed form to chp@illinois.edu by April 1st.

Student Information

Name: _______________________________________________ UIIN: _______________________
Local Address: ____________________________________________
Local Phone Number: ___________________________ Cumulative GPA: _______________________
College: ___________________________________ Major: __________________________
Year Admitted to CHP: _________________ Anticipated Graduation Date: ________________

Faculty Member Who Will Supervise Your Research

Name: ________________________________
Campus Address: ____________________________________________________________
Campus Phone Number: ___________________________ Department ________________________

Financial Support

Have you applied for or will you receive financial support for this project from another office or program besides CHP?  □ Yes  □ No
If yes, please explain: ____________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________________

Project Description

Please attach to this application a brief statement that covers the following points (1) Title of the study (2) purpose or objective (3) methodology or procedure (4) relation to your past and intended future work.

Signature

Your signature indicates that you agree to write a report at the end of the summer describing the outcome of your research and that you are willing, if asked, to give a presentation on your summer experience.

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Student Signature                                                                

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Faculty Supervisor
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The Campus Honors Program’s summer research award offers students an opportunity to develop and explore a topic of their choice while working on the UIUC campus under the supervision of a UIUC faculty member. The program provides a stipend of $2,000 for eight weeks during the summer to those students selected. Students may receive only one CHP research or travel grant per year, however, students may apply for and be awarded grants in subsequent years.

Each student who wishes to apply must identify a member of the UIUC faculty working in the student’s area of interest. The faculty member should help design, and plan to monitor, an appropriate research project that will culminate in a written research paper. A stipend of $500 will be available to the faculty sponsor to partially defray costs associated with the student’s participation in the summer project.

To apply, the student should submit an application form and a brief supporting statement describing the nature of the research to be conducted, as well as the student’s role in the proposed study. The proposal must be cosigned by the faculty sponsor acknowledging his/her agreement to act as supervisor of the project. A selection committee will review the proposals and make awards according to the quality of the proposals submitted and funds available. The awards are usually announced shortly after spring break.

At the end of the summer, each recipient must submit a final research report on the work accomplished during the period for which funding was awarded. This report is due the first day of the fall semester following the summer during which the project took place. In addition, recipients will be expected, if asked, to give an informal presentation to their peers in the Campus Honors Program.

Some students will apply for summer project funding from other sources besides the Campus Honors Program. If you receive financial support beyond what the CHP is offering, it is important that you notify us of the nature and amount of the non-CHP support. CHP funds are limited and we will need to reallocate our funds to another student.

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