2021-2022 Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP)
Faculty Mentor Letter of Recommendation Submission Form

Application Due: Friday, March 5, 2021, 5:00 pm MT
Funding Period: July 1, 2021 - April 30, 2022

The Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP) is a competitive grants program supported by the Office of Undergraduate Research & Creative Activities and the Office of Academic Achievement. UROP grants are designed to cover expenses, travel, and/or stipends for CU Denver undergraduates engaged in scholarly collaboration with CU Denver | Anschutz faculty. More information about the UROP program, including the evaluation rubric, is available at: https://www.ucdenver.edu/lynxconnect/undergraduate-research/grants

Eligibility Information:
Undergraduate students seeking UROP support must meet the following criteria:

1) Be a CU Denver undergraduate student working toward a baccalaureate degree
2) Maintain at least part-time status (6 or more credits) throughout the duration of the award*
3) Be in good academic standing at CU Denver with a minimum GPA of 2.5

*Students graduating Spring 2021 are ineligible to apply for a UROP award. Students graduating prior to the end of the 2021-2022 award period (Summer 2021, Fall 2021) may participate as the principal investigator of an individual project, but may not serve as the principal investigator of a team project involving two or more students.
Funding Available:
- Maximum budget request for an individual project: $1,200
- Maximum budget request for a two-student project: $2,400
- Maximum budget request for a three-student project: $3,600

*Only one application need be completed for projects involving multiple student investigators. The application should be submitted by the Principal Student Investigator (PI).

Application Materials:
1) Student Application
5) Unofficial CU Denver Transcripts for student PI/co-PI's
6) Faculty Mentor Letter of Support
7) If applicable, proof of IACUC, COMIRB, and/or Risk Management approval

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Q1. Faculty Mentor Name, First

Q2. Faculty Mentor Name, Last

Q3. Faculty Mentor CU Denver Email

Q4. Faculty Mentor Title
Q5. Faculty Mentor Department

Q6. Student Principal Investigator (PI) First Name

Q7. Student Principal Investigator (PI) Last Name

Q8. Proposal Title

Q9. Upload your letter of support here. The letter should include the following:

1) assessment of the student(s)'s proposed research, creative, or other scholarly activity, including efficacy
2) description of how the activity contributes to their professional development
3) assessment of their academic preparation
4) clarification of your role as a mentor, including how often you and the student(s) will meet and how you will support them throughout the project