

Undergraduate Research Award Application 2011-2012

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Note: To obtain helpful advice, go to http://www.umbc.edu/undergrad_ed/research/URA/forms.html

Name: _____ Campus ID #: _____

Title: _____ Ms. _____ Mr. _____ Major: _____

Title of Proposal: _____

UMBC e-mail: _____@umbc.edu Telephone number: _____

Local/Current address for notification of proposal acceptance: _____

Permanent address for payment of stipend in June: _____

This research involves: ___ animals, ___ human subjects, ___ sensitive data, ___ none of these

How did you learn of this opportunity/decide to apply? _____

Expected semester and year of graduation: _____

(Students must be conducting research and be in undergraduate status for at least one semester beyond spring 2010 to be eligible for consideration.)

UMBC Faculty Mentor:

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Department: _____

Student Signature

Faculty Mentor Signature

Note: Complete the attached *Narrative and budget* as pages two and three of this proposal. Then attach your current unofficial UMBC transcript.

Submit this application unstapled with a current unofficial transcript to the Office of Undergraduate Education (OUE), Administration, Room 913 by 5:00 p.m. March 3, 2011.

Office Use Only:

Date Received: _____ Receiving Staff Member: _____ Entered in Log?: _____

Transcript Included? (Required): _____ Graduation Date Summer 2011 or Later? _____

Faculty Recommendation Received? _____ (Date) _____

Narrative no more than two pages: _____ Font 11 or 12 point? _____

Undergraduate Research Award Narrative and Budget

(Not to exceed two pages. Please use 11 or 12 point font.)

I. Statement of Specific Aim(s), Purpose, or Goals(s)

(Note: If you are a current URA scholar, explain how this proposal differs from and/or advances your current work.)

II. Motivation: Why is it important to do this work? What background do you have that prepares you to carry out this work?

III. Methods: What specifically will you do to accomplish this?

IV. Dissemination: How do you plan to share the results of your work?

Please check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> URCAD | <input type="checkbox"/> Festival | <input type="checkbox"/> Conference |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <i>UMBC Review</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Show | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Council of Majors | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance Presentation | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gallery Display | <input type="checkbox"/> Web Site | |

V. Evaluation: What is the final product of the project? How will this be evaluated and by whom? How will you know if you have achieved your goals? What will determine if the project is a success?

VI. Budget

Total funding requested: \$ _____

Will funding from other sources also be needed to complete this project? _____

Has this additional funding already been secured? _____

Itemized budget:

Item

Cost

VII. Role of the Faculty Mentor/Advisor

VIII. Additional Information: What leadership are you providing in this work?

(Note: Total narrative, including sections I through VIII should be no more than two pages.)

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