The Undergraduate Research Fellows Program (URFP) is directed through the Office of the Vice Provost for Undergraduate Education and administered by the Undergraduate Research Center - Humanities, Arts, and Social Sciences (URC-HASS).

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWS PROGRAM (URFP)

APPLICATION DEADLINE: November 15, 2015

The Undergraduate Research Fellows Program (URFP) scholarship supports students doing entry-level research for winter and spring quarters.

ELIGIBILITY:
- 2.5 GPA or higher
- Commitment to completing a research project with a faculty mentor for winter and spring quarters.
- While financial need is not required, some awards are for students with established financial need.

Applications for the URFP are available in October each year on MyUCLA. The application is available under "Surveys" in the Features menu, or by clicking the Survey icon in the middle of the home page.

APPLICATION: Documents required for the application include:
- Research Statement: The most important document in your application is your research proposal (no more than 7,000 characters), which introduces the reader to the scope, importance and methodology of your research. The proposal should reflect the specific instructions available on the My.UCLA survey.
- Personal Statement (no more than 3,500 characters)

Incomplete applications will not be reviewed; all application components are due by the November 15 deadline.

REQUIREMENTS (OF PARTICIPATION IN THE PROGRAM):
- Enroll in a minimum of 12 units and Course 99 Student Research Program or 199/198/196 Departmental Research for winter and spring quarters
- Enroll in HC 101A, the Student Research Forum, during winter quarter. Students already enrolled in HC101A for the upcoming winter quarter will be given special consideration.
- Present your research at UCLA’s Undergraduate Research Week, submit to the Aleph journal, or submit a summary of your research project at the end of spring quarter

AWARD INFORMATION: URFP recipients receive a scholarship of $2000. The awards are divided equally between winter and spring quarters. While financial need is not required, some of the awards will be for students with established financial need.

IF YOU ARE CURRENTLY RECEIVING FINANCIAL AID: The Undergraduate Research Fellowship will be part of your overall financial aid package. This means that if you receive an award, the Financial Aid office will adjust your financial aid package to ensure that you do not exceed your financial aid eligibility. If such an adjustment is made, loans and work-study award are reduced first, prior to grant or other scholarship reductions.

See our website for further information about the URFP at http://hass.ugresearch.ucla.edu/urfp.htm

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