HHS Undergraduate Research Honors Scholars Program, 12 month

The Health and Humans Sciences Undergraduate Honors Scholars Program (https://www.purdue.edu/hhs/undergraduate/research/opportunities.php) is a twelve-month program which engages undergraduate students in cutting-edge research with mentors in HHS. The program is highly interdisciplinary with student participants and researchers from across. The program provides a summer stipend to participate full time and scholarships each semester in the scholarly work with the mentor. The program also provides professional development opportunities and working in teams to develop programs to impact areas relevant to the college of HHS. Participation is competitive and all majors in HHS are encouraged to apply.

The program provides a stipend ($4,500) for at least 8 weeks over the summer and a scholarship ($250/semester in the academic year) of work with a faculty mentor on a scholarly research project.

Requirements for participation

- **Research Experience:** Full time during the summer session (avg 40hrs/wk for 10 weeks) and 6-10 hrs/wk during academic year
- **Academic-Year Seminar Course:** Attend the HHS Undergraduate Research Program Seminar (1 credit) in the Fall and Spring Semesters
- **Community Outreach:** Engage in a service learning experience with local community partners that will contribute to improving health in Indiana
- **Poster Presentation:** Present in the Office of Undergraduate Research Spring Conference
- **Other Required Activities:** Participate in networking events with HHS Undergraduate Research Program students, research teams and faculty, including update meetings held at the end of each semester

How do I apply?

Full-time Purdue University students with a minimum 3.0 GPA may submit up to three project applications to approved projects (12) of faculty mentors from HHS which are available on the Office of Undergraduate Research (OUR) site below. Individual projects may list additional requirements. At the site, click on the HHS Undergraduate Honors Scholars Program, 12 month program.

Please note that at this site there is another link to a different academic year program available, the OUR scholars program (HHS). For this other program, you need to have matched with a faculty member already and submit an application with a research project. For this alternative program, you are provided a $500/semester scholarship, and participate in the OUR classes.

Search project descriptions and submit applications online at the OUR site:

https://www.purdue.edu/undergrad-research/ourconnect/public/
• Qualifying students may apply for up to three projects from February 25 – March 22.
• Login with your career account and then select *HHS Honors Scholars Program* on the left side to view projects and complete your application(s).

**Contact Us**

If you have any questions, please contact HHS_Undergrad_Research@purdue.edu