



Undergraduate Research in STEM Applications

SPRING 2020 funding for undergraduates in your STEM research!

Faculty proposals accepted on a rolling basis through
Wednesday, January 15, 2020

Program Description: The Office of Undergraduate Research, in partnership with the Indiana Space Grant Consortium, announces the Undergraduate Research in STEM Applications (URSA). This program provides research support and curricular activities with the goal of attracting and training researchers in broadly defined NASA-related STEM areas.

Researcher Eligibility: Faculty and staff conducting research in any of the broad areas supported by NASA are encouraged to submit proposals of research projects for undergraduate students to participate in this semester-long research experience.

Student Eligibility: URSA is open to full-time Purdue undergraduates with a minimum 2.7 GPA, good academic standing, and US citizenship. (Note: includes PharmD students who have not been awarded a bachelor's degree.)

Project Submission Process:

- Click "Submit a Project" under the URSA Menu within OURConnect at <https://www.purdue.edu/undergrad-research/ourconnect>
- Program staff will review and approve eligible projects
- Students apply from January 10-22, 2020
- OUR staff screen applications and forward qualified students for research supervisors to review and select
- Student selections are due no later than January 31, 2020
- Questions? Contact Amy Childress (childres@purdue.edu)

Additional information is available at
<https://www.purdue.edu/undergrad-research/ourconnect>

URSA Overview

The URSA program supports the engagement of undergraduate students in NASA-related STEM research. Students conduct research part-time, participate in an online research course, and engage in monthly professional development seminars.

URSA offers opportunities for UG student research internships for the Spring 2020 semester. URSA Scholars earn a \$500 scholarship from the Indiana Space Grant Consortium in recognition of their selection.

