Undergraduate Research NCUR Funding Grant: Guidelines

WHAT IS NCUR?
The National Conference on Undergraduate Research (NCUR), established in 1987, is dedicated to promoting undergraduate research, scholarship, and creative activity in all fields of study by sponsoring an annual conference for students. Through this annual conference, NCUR creates a unique environment for the celebration and promotion of undergraduate student achievement, provides models of exemplary research and scholarship, and helps to improve the state of undergraduate education

NCUR 2023 will be held at the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire. For more information check out: https://ncur.secure-platform.com/2023

WESTMINSTER COLLEGE NCUR APPLICATION TIMELINE 2022/2023:

October 7th 2022: Information Session 11:40 Patterson 206
November 4th 2022: Deadline for student to submit Funding Application Form to Drinko Center.
November 10th 2022: Notification of Funding Awards from the Drinko Center.
November 30th: 2022: NCUR's Final Abstract Submission Deadline.
Mid January 2023: NCUR Releases Decisions on Abstract Acceptances.
January 31st 2023: Deadline for Conference Registration: Coordinate with Drinko Center.

NCUR 2023
April 12th, 2023: Travel to NCUR 2023
April 13th - 15th 2023: NCUR Conference at University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
April 16th 2023: Travel back to Westminster College

PART 1: Guidelines
Eligibility and Conditions
The student must be enrolled as a degree-seeking student at Westminster College at the time of the conference and be in good academic standing.

Projects must be conducted under the mentorship of Westminster College faculty.

To receive NCUR funding, a completed NCUR Travel Grant Application must be submitted following the deadlines delineated above.

Award recipients are <u>required to participate in the Undergraduate Research & Arts Celebration</u> in the year of their grant.

Students who fail to participate in NCUR or URAC will be responsible for paying back their grant to the college in full.

*I certify that I have read and agree to the above conditions

Signature:_____Date:_____
                        (Student applicant)
Funding
The NCUR award will cover up to $700 toward conference registration, transportation and lodging. Students will be responsible for any additional costs beyond $700. Hotel and transportation will be arranged in coordination with the Drinko center, and students will be responsible for completing online registration in a timely manner before the Early Bird lower cost deadline.

Application Checklist
Applications will not be considered until the complete set of application documents are received. The following components compose a complete application (forms comprise the rest of this document).

_____   Part 1: Signed and completed Guideline Form (this page)

_____   Part 2: Applicant and Presentation Information Form (next page)

_____   Part 3: Faculty Signature

Completed applications should be submitted either electronically to ugresearch@westminster.edu or in print to Dr. Resendes via   Box 128 or dropped off at Patterson Hall 315

Undergraduate Research NCUR Grant:
Application

Part 2: Applicant and Presentation Information Form

Applicant Information:

Name: _____ Student ID Number: _____

Campus Box #_____E-mail Address_____

Address_____

Major/Degree Program_____ Anticipated Graduation Date_____

Presentation Information:

Title of Presentation _____

Abstract (use the abstract submitted you intend to submit to NCUR, 300 Word limit.)

Part 3: Faculty Signatures

Faculty Mentor Name: _____

Signature:_____Date:_____
                                (Faculty mentor)

*By signing this application, the Faculty Mentor is signifying that the student's project is of appropriate quality for external presentation at an undergraduate research conference.

Signature:_____Date:_____
                              (Director of Undergraduate Research)