



## **2020-2021 Undergraduate Student Research Activity Award Application**

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About these awards: The Research Office is offering undergraduate students a funded research opportunity. The focus of the RAA program is enhancing excellence and innovation in research. Thus, these awards will be made on a competitive basis to undergraduate students to give them a basic research experience to complement their coursework. Additionally, students selected by their program to apply will benefit from compiling the application for competition.

### Eligibility

Applications are accepted from departments or interdisciplinary programs, with chair endorsement, for CAFE undergraduate students in good academic standing at UK prior to the fall 2020 semester:

- Undergraduate student research projects
- Research seminars/ symposia/ workshops
- Travel to conduct research, gain experience with cutting-edge research tools and methods

### Level of Support

The awards will be available for up to \$500. Funds are to be expended within the fiscal year the award is made. Requests may include some level of department or other match, whenever possible.

### Limited Submission

Each undergraduate program, including interdisciplinary programs, will evaluate their student submissions, and then, may submit one or two applications to the Research Office for funding. The ADR reserves the right for final approval of applications to be funded.

### Due Date

Completed UGRAA Applications for each program's final selections should be sent to [CAFEResearch@uky.edu](mailto:CAFEResearch@uky.edu) by chairs, with their endorsement, no later than Friday, **November 6, 2020**.

Questions? Please contact Tom Hanna in the Research Office at 257-3009 or [CAFEResearch@uky.edu](mailto:CAFEResearch@uky.edu).

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Undergraduate Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Academic Dept. \_\_\_\_\_

Funding use (if used for travel, please include dates):

Statement indicating how the funding will contribute to academic progress:

Itemized Budget:

Total budget amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Less departmental match -\$ \_\_\_\_\_ = RAA requested \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Departmental Fiscal Officer Name & E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Chair endorsement:

Researcher/UGS Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Research Mentor (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Chair Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadlines:**

Forms for program-selected winners -- Friday, **November 6, 2020**

Expenditures -- June 30, 2020

Send to Research Office: [CAFEResearch@uky.edu](mailto:CAFEResearch@uky.edu)