



URSCA

# UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS



**Albstein Research Scholarship:** Up to \$5,000 for research in brain sciences, especially Alzheimer's research. Open to both KSAS and WSE students.



**Bander Family Fund Award:** Up to \$4,000 for creative summer projects in any subject.



**Dean's ASPIRE Grants:** Up to \$5,000 for independent projects in any subject in KSAS.



**Dr. Saraf Memorial Award:** Up to \$7,500 for a research project in the humanities or social sciences that involves international travel.



**Ethan M. Posner Fellowship:** Up to \$11,000 to fund a research project over the course of two to three years. Open to first- and second-year students in any discipline.



**Humanities Research Clusters:** Up to \$1,000 for meetings, materials, and guest speakers for discussion of current topics in evolving interdisciplinary fields.



**Jeffrey Ma Shiu and Emily Liu Endowed ASPIRE Award:** \$4,000 for research in brain sciences, especially developmental and behavioral psychology in children.



**John Camp and Mindy Farber '74 Endowed Award:** Approximately \$4,000 for research in brain sciences, especially brain cancers.



**Kelly-Clyne Summer Internship Grant in Film and Television:** Up to \$7,000 to cover living expenses for an internship in the film and media industries.



**Louis E. Goodman Award:** Up to \$5,000 for a pre-med student to undertake personal enrichment in the arts or humanities.



**Meg Walsh Award:** Up to \$32,000 for a graduating senior to undertake an independent project abroad in the year after they graduate.



**Phares Family Grant for International Engagement:** \$7,000 for independent research outside the U.S. Preference for students unable to study abroad during the academic year.



**Tyler Center Fellowship:** \$5,000 for a summer research project in the humanities, conducted in libraries or archives outside the United States.



**University Undergraduate Research Fellowship:** Up to \$12,000 to fund a research project over the course of three years. Open to first-year students from any major or discipline in KSAS.

## KEY TO GRANT TYPES



Creative Arts



Natural Sciences



Humanities



Social Sciences



Any Subject



International



Multi-Year



Full grant descriptions



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## APPLICATION PROCESS

### Prepare to Apply (September-December):

- Attend info sessions, workshops, panels, and drop-in hours
- Talk to potential faculty mentors
- Identify a faculty writer for your letter of recommendation
- Draft your application materials

### Submit a Pre-Application (December 21):

- Draft abstract and personal statement
- Budget summary
- List of potential mentors
- Draft proposal (optional)

### Implement Feedback (January):

- Revise abstract, budget, and proposal
- Secure letter of recommendation
- Secure faculty mentor

### Submit Final Application (January 25):

- Personal statement
- Abstract
- Full project proposal with timeline
- Budget
- CV
- Transcript
- Letter of recommendation
- Name of faculty mentor

### Await Decision (February):

- Your application will be reviewed by URSCA staff and JHU faculty
- For select fellowships, you may be invited to interview

## KEY DATES

**September 19:** Info Session

**September 23:** Virtual Info Session

**October 20-24:** Undergraduate Research Week (panels, workshops, daily drop-in hours)

**December 15-19:** Daily drop-in hours

**December 21:** Pre-applications due

**January 20-23:** Daily drop-in hours

**January 25:** Final applications due

**January 11-20:** Interviews for Posner and University finalists (by invitation)

**February 23:** Decisions announced

**May 25:** Award period begins



URSCA hosts Zoom Drop-in Hours every Friday from 1:00-3:00 pm



APPLICATION  
DETAILS



CALENDAR  
OF EVENTS



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