

**DEAN'S AWARD FOR LIFE SCIENCE RESEARCH**

**APPLICATION FOR THE UPCOMING SUMMER**

**Application**

Last Name:

First Name:

UCLA SID #:

By providing your UCLA SID number you are authorizing the COMPASS Life Science Directors to access information from your student record for application purposes and during the period of the award.

Major:

Minor (if any):

Email:

Cell phone or best contact phone:

Text OK?  Yes  No

Ethnic group:

- Hispanic or Latino
- Not Hispanic or Latino

Racial group (check all that apply):

- American Indian or Alaska native
- Asian
- Black or African American
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
- White

Are you from a socio-economically disadvantaged background and qualify for federal disadvantaged assistance (e.g. Pell grant)?  Yes  No

If applicable, please have documentation available for verification upon request.

Are you AB 540 eligible?  Yes  No

Are you a current DACA recipient?  Yes  No

Are you a student with a disability and registered with CAE?  Yes  No

How did you hear about this funding opportunity? (Please choose)

- COMPASS Website
- URC-Sciences
- Bruin Resource Center
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received (or will you receive) any other scholarships for this summer? Y/N

If so, please indicate the scholarship name and amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of matriculation to UCLA:

GPA at UCLA:

Expected graduation date (quarter, year):

Highest degree objective:

- PhD
- Dual degree (MD/PhD or DDS/PhD or similar)
- MD
- Master of Science (MS)
- Bachelor of Science (BS)
- Other professional degree (e.g. PharmD, DVM, DDS, etc.)
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Career objectives (100 characters, not including spaces, max):

List any previous or current research or career experience below:

Dates (month/year-month/year) & approx. total hours Mentor (& institution, if not UCLA)

**Please upload a separate file that includes BOTH the Personal Statement and Experience Proposal (Include your last name in the name of the file)**

## **PERSONAL STATEMENT**

Must be at least 100, but no more than 3500 characters (excluding spaces).

Please elaborate on all of the following topics, and anything else you'd like us to know about you:

- Your family, education, and community background
- Factors that contributed to your decision to study science
- Your area of research interest
- Describe your financial need and how you anticipate this award will make a difference in your life

## **EXPERIENCE PROPOSAL**

Must be at least 100, but no more than 3500 characters (excluding spaces).

Provide a description of the activities for which you are seeking funding and how they will further your academic and career goals. Details are welcome, showing that you have thought this through and have taken steps to identify mentors, venues, and have a feasible plan that will help you gain the experience you need to achieve your career goals.

*For example, if you want to work on a research project, have you identified the project, have the resources (e.g. data) available, and have a mentor to work with on the project?*

*If you will use the funds to work in a lab, which lab, what would you be doing, and how will this help you achieve your career goals?*

*If you want to do community-based research, clinical outreach, or a communications project, describe it and how it would impact the community and your career.*

*For all experiences, what would prevent you from having this experience without the Dean's Award?*

If you are a previous Dean's Award for Life Science Research recipient, include in your statement what you accomplished in the previous award period and what new activities are forthcoming.

## **TRANSCRIPT(S)**

Please authorize the COMPASS Life Science Directors to obtain your Degree Progress Report (DPR) from your student record: Authorization permission:  Yes  No

**RÉSUMÉ/CV (please upload as a separate file, include your last name in the name of the file)**

Provide a résumé/CV that includes any information on your educational background, awards, scholarships, outside activities, specialized skills or leadership positions that you would like us to be aware of.