

APPLICATION FOR SOCIOLOGY UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

This Sociology fellowship is intended for Sociology majors who are conducting research on social problems or solutions to social problems. This is an award for up to \$500 to be applied toward books and tuition during **SUMMER or FALL 2020**. Award is contingent upon summer or fall 2020 registration and course completion. *Please note that this award may alter your financial aid package. Check with a One Stop counselor for more information on scholarships and aid.*

To apply, submit a one-to-two page research proposal on a topic of your choosing that relates to social problems and/or solutions. Applicants need a faculty member or graduate instructor to oversee the research project (a major could ask the instructor overseeing a spring course research project that will continue in to summer or fall, or an upcoming summer or fall class project, or ask a faculty member supervising a directed study project). **Funding can only be awarded to students registered for summer or fall classes.** The Sociology Undergraduate Research Fellowship funding will be awarded to a major one month after the start of the summer term or fall semester (based on registration).

Name: _____ Student ID: _____

Phone Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

Name of summer or fall course instructor: _____

Research Topic: _____

The research related to this application is (check one):

- research I'm currently conducting research I will begin **summer 2020** research I will begin **fall 2020**

To qualify, applicants must be:

- Declared sociology majors in good academic standing with potential in their field;
- Conducting research addressing social problems and/or solutions to social problems.

Selection criteria include:

- Quality and rigor of the proposed research project of research proposal
- Demonstrated ability for innovative scholarly work
- Faculty assessment of academic quality
- Demonstrates exceptional achievements and accomplishments

Interested majors must submit:

- This application form,
- A one-to-two page proposal describing the research project;
- A Sociology Faculty member or graduate instructor who will provide a letter of recommendation should your application advance. Letter of recommendation will be required if your application advances. A letter is NOT needed at this time. CLA Career Services has a very helpful [resource page](#) on how to best request a letter of recommendation from a faculty member (same info for graduate school letters of recommendation); and
- A current Academic Progress Audit System (APAS) report from One Stop.

COMPLETED APPLICATIONS and supporting materials must be submitted to the attention of Undergraduate Advising in 909 Social Sciences Building by noon on Wednesday, March 18th, 2020.