

UOWGS Undergrad Summer Research Award

In keeping with our mission to promote the advancement of women in science, the University of Oregon Women in Graduate Sciences is offering an award to aid one outstanding undergraduate in the sciences by supporting a portion of their summer research. The \$500 award will be offered to students wishing to gain research experience in order to advance their scientific development.

In order to be eligible for this award, you must be a UO undergraduate (or recent graduate) that is planning on working in a lab for the summer.

Your complete application must contain one hard copy of the following documents:

1. Application form (available at www.uowgs.com under Awards tab).
2. Brief essay (approximately 500 words) describing how you will benefit from this research experience and how it will help you achieve your ultimate career goals.
3. Recommendation form completed by your advisor and sealed and submitted with your application (available at www.uowgs.com under Awards). Please complete the top portion of the recommendation form before having your advisor fill in the remaining portion.
4. Curriculum vitae.

Your application will be reviewed by a panel of three to five faculty members from various scientific disciplines.

*Awardees will be asked to provide a UO ID number to confirm your status as a student. Receipt of the award is dependent upon confirmation.

**Those receiving the award will be required to mention its receipt in the acknowledgements section of their talk or poster.

***Receiving this award may change your eligibility for federal financial aid. Federal regulations require you to notify the Financial Aid Office as soon as you know you will be receiving any additional financial package so that the proper revisions can be made. Please review how the receipt of this award may affect you by contacting the Financial Aid Office before applying for this award.

Applications are due by 3 pm on May 4th 2015. Notifications will be made no later than June 1st 2015.