



**ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS**  
OFFICE OF  
UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

## ROPER AWARD FOR RESEARCH EXPERIENCE (RARE) 2015 STUDENT APPLICATION OUTLINE

This document outlines information that will be collected in the online RARE application. Your application must be submitted online through the OUR website:

**DEADLINE: 4pm on 10/27/14** <http://ugradresearch.uconn.edu/rare/>

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Admin #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Home/Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A.: \_\_\_\_\_ UConn Campus: \_\_\_\_\_

Major 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Major 1 School/College: \_\_\_\_\_

Major 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Major 2 School/College: \_\_\_\_\_

### PROPOSED RARE PROJECT & PROJECT UPLOADS

Title of Proposed Project: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Faculty Mentor: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Mentor's Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Mentor's Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Faculty Mentor's School/College: \_\_\_\_\_

Please upload **one PDF file** that contains your responses to the following questions.

1. What will you be doing in this research project? (maximum 500 words)
2. Why are you interested in this particular research project? (maximum 500 words)
3. How do you think participating in this research project will contribute to your educational and career goals? (maximum 500 words)

### DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

The committee's review of RARE applications is focused on the merits of the proposals. Your answers to the questions in this section will have no effect on the committee's decision regarding the merits of your proposal.

Funding for RARE comes from many different sources. Some funds have specific demographic targets, some are limited to Honors students, and some are restricted to students in particular schools/colleges and/or majors. This information helps us match your proposal, IF IT IS APPROVED for funding, to the appropriate funding source.

**Are you a member of the Honors Program?**

**Are you a Rowe Scholar?**

**Are you a Presidential Scholar?**

**Are you a STEM Scholar? (The “STEM Scholar” designation is made by the Office of Undergraduate Admissions beginning in Fall 2014.)**

**Are you a McNair Scholar?**

**Are you a first-generation college student? (“First generation” means that neither of your parent(s)/guardian(s) has earned a bachelor’s degree from a US college or university.)**

**Are you now, or have you ever been, a member of a UConn Living & Learning Community?**

- If “yes”, please provide the name of the Living & Learning Community?

**Are you now, or have you ever been, a member of a non-residential UConn Learning Community?**

- If “yes”, please provide the name of the Learning Community?

**Do you receive any of these forms of financial aid? Select all that apply.**

Work Study – Pell Grant or FSEOG Grant – Subsidized Stafford Loan – Perkins Loan – Iraq & Afghanistan Service Grants

**Race/Ethnicity**

## **ADMINISTRATIVE DATA & PERMISSIONS**

**Should your application be selected/approved for funding, please indicate when you intend to present at Frontiers.**

**How did you learn about this award program? Select all that apply.**

Website/Online search – Faculty/staff member or advisor – Posters/Other advertising – Friends – Facebook/Twitter – Other

**Permission to print transcript:** The Office of Undergraduate Research may include my unofficial transcript in my application.

**Permission to include name in press releases and other publicity relating to this award program:** Yes or No