

# Biochemistry Undergraduate Research Scholar Award

## University of Colorado Boulder

### Application Section A - Student Information

Full Legal Name

Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID Number (SID): \_\_\_\_\_ CU Employee ID Number (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Current Contact Information

Street Address or P.O. Box: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Campus email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date (mm/dd/yyyy):

\_\_\_\_\_

Major(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Major(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Current Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Expected Graduation (mm/yyyy): \_\_\_\_\_

Current and projected credit hours in your schedule

Fall 2025: \_\_\_\_\_ Spring 2026: \_\_\_\_\_

On average, how many hours do you expect to work each week on your research?

Fall 2025: \_\_\_\_\_ Spring 2026: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you have any other jobs during the fall (paid or volunteer)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many hours will you work per week at that other job(s)?

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Will you have any other jobs during the spring (paid or volunteer)?

☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how many hours will you work per week at that other job(s)?

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### Application Section B - Student Questions

Please upload **one response document**: Allowed file types: .pdf, .doc, .docx

1. Have you ever performed research in a lab? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, please describe your research experience. Be sure to include your mentor's name, the duration of the experience, the nature of the project, and your contributions to the project (maximum 200 words.)

2. Please address the following points in essay format (maximum 500 words.)

- Why do you want to pursue undergraduate research?
- What skill sets do you bring to the lab?
- What are your goals after graduation and how do you anticipate participation in research might guide or help you in attaining those goals?
- What is the biggest challenge that you have faced and how did you overcome it?
- What possible topics/research interests do you want to explore in your research?

### Application Section C - Student Expectations and Selection Criteria

By signing below, you agree to the following student expectations and selection criteria.

- Must be committed to doing laboratory research.
- Must be majoring in Biochemistry, if the student changes their major during the award period, they will no longer be eligible to receive the award.
- Must remain in strong academic standing (minimum of 3.0 cumulative GPA) for the awarded terms.
- Encouraged to participate in department-wide meetings and symposia.
- I understand that I may not receive the UROP and the Biochemistry Undergraduate Research Scholar Award in the same semester.

I agree with the student expectations and selection criteria outlined above and authorize the use of this information by the Biochemistry Undergraduate Research Scholar Award selection committee.

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Applicant Name

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Applicant Signature

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Date



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