

Undergraduate Research Programs/Funding for Criminal Justice Students and Others

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Honors Scholars Programs	Temple University Office of Sr. Vice Provost for Undergraduate Studies	Current Temple students and Transfer students. Can apply to the Honors Scholars Program for entry during their first semester of their junior year or thereafter.	Must have earned or be in the process of completing 60 earned hours and who have a minimum cumulative 3.6GPA.	Application form at http://www.temple.edu/honors/certapp.htm .	No date listed.
Diamond Research Scholars	Temple University Office of Sr. Vice Provost for Undergraduate Studies	Freshman - Senior	<p>The Diamond Research Scholars Program provides Temple undergraduates the opportunity to engage in a focused, mentored research or creative arts project during the summer and fall. The program requires that students participate in the three-day Diamond Research Program Institute and devote eight to ten weeks during the summer to develop a research project in their area of interest under the direction of their faculty mentor.</p> <p>http://www.temple.edu/vpus/opportunities/ResearchScholars.htm</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • General Timeline for Project – Summer/Fall <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Focus on project 8-10 weeks (roughly mid/late May to Aug. 1) ○ Preliminary Presentation on project in late July or early August. ○ September update meeting ○ Final papers/projects are due to mentors by December 2007 . Revised, polished versions are to be posted on Blackboard (along with a one page abstract) and submitted to the 2011 TURF/CreWS. ○ Gather in January 2011 with mentors for a celebratory luncheon • Stipend <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ “Conwell Undergraduate Research Award” of \$2750. ○ Tuition remission for up to three credits fall term for independent study (credits that exceed 17 s.h.) 	Students Apply	February, 2011
Undergraduate Research Incentive Fund (URIF)	Temple University	Full Time Freshman - Senior	<p>All applications are subject to the following requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must identify a faculty mentor. • The faculty mentor must provide a letter of support confirming the appropriateness of the application to undergraduate research and professional 	Students Apply	2010-11 Academic Year Deadlines: October 15, 2010 for Projects during Winter Break and

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Undergraduate Research Incentive Fund (URIF) Travel Grants	Temple University	Full Time Freshman - Senior	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See website for restrictions and funding application <p>http://www.temple.edu/vpus/programs_initiatives/URIF.htm. Travel grant application is at http://www.temple.edu/vpus/programs_initiatives/URIFTravelGrantApp.htm.</p>	Students Apply	Rolling deadline. Apply 4 weeks before travel.

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Creative Arts, Research and Scholarship Award (CARAS)	Senior Vice Provost for of Undergraduate Studies	All students	<p>Research and Scholarship Program (CARAS) provides undergraduate and professional students grants of up to \$3,000 in support of scholarly, research or creative arts projects undertaken with the supervision of a faculty mentor.</p> <p>The grants are competitive and limited to approximately 45 awards. Up to one third of the awards are available to professional student applicants.</p> <p>One half of the CARAS grant will be provided by the Office of Research and Strategic Initiatives and the Office of the Provost and a matching half will be provided by the student's School or College. The program will be administered by the Office of the Senior Vice-Provost for Undergraduate Studies. Provides \$3,000 stipend that can be used for research costs, travel and/or a salary stipend (\$12/hr or less).</p>	<p>Successful applications will provide a clearly focused project addressing a significant issue, concern, or aspect in the student's field of study, include a detailed budget proposal, and be endorsed by a faculty mentor and the dean of the student's school or college. Program information and an application form are available online at http://www.temple.edu/vpus/opportunities/CARAS.htm.</p>	<p>2010-11 Academic Year Deadlines: October 15, 2010 for Projects during Winter Break and Spring (11). February 15, 2011 for Projects during Summer (11) and Fall (11)</p>

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Temple PreLaw Scholars Program	Senior Vice Provost for of Undergraduate Studies	First year undergraduate student from any major.	<p>Candidates for the Temple Law Scholars Program</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • must be accepted into the University Honors Program • have a high class standing and above average SAT scores • submit a well-argued and well-written essay • have excellent letters of recommendation • possess above average maturity • have experience in community service and leadership positions • show a genuine interest in the legal profession and its value to society 	<p>To be considered for the Temple Law Scholars Program, admitted students must complete the online Temple Law Scholars application (http://www.temple.edu/vpus/lawscholarsapp.htm), which requires an essay responding to a specific topic assigned by the Temple Law Scholars Admissions Committee, and submit at least one letter of recommendation to the address indicated on the application. An interview may be requested. For more information go to http://www.temple.edu/vpus/LawScholars.htm.</p>	<p>Applications received before March 1 will receive priority treatment. Applications must be received by April 1 to be considered.</p>
McNair Scholar	Temple University	<p>10 sophomores (students having completed at least 24 semester hours) and two to four juniors. Two-thirds of McNair participants must be low-income individuals who are first-generation college students enrolled at Temple</p>	<p>Sophomores/Rising Juniors Students enter the program during the spring semester and participate in a research seminar entitled "Introduction to College Teaching and Research." The seminar introduces students to basic research methodology and examines various issues related to teaching on the university level. Each student will develop a research proposal related to their intellectual development and teaching. During the summer, rising juniors are paired with professors from the Intellectual Heritage Program to learn about teaching from the "inside." As teaching assistants, students will mark papers, make presentations, develop tests, and, most importantly, explore the process of learning by critically observing students and professors. Each student will complete a research project on some aspect of teaching or pedagogy.</p> <p>Juniors/Rising Seniors In the fall, students participate in workshops to enhance their quantitative, analytical, and writing skills, and prepare a proposal for a research project that will be completed during the following summer. During the spring semester, juniors participate in a research seminar entitled "Advanced Qualitative and Quantitative Research Methods." During the summer, rising seniors will work on a research project which will be mentored by a faculty</p>	<p>Students Apply</p>	<p>Students interested in applying to the program should attend one of the information sessions about the program held in October and November.</p>

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		University.	<p>member. Following the completion of the research project, rising seniors will participate in the GRE Preparation Course, Graduate School Workshop, and present their research at National and Regional level McNair conferences.</p> <p>http://www.temple.edu/rcc/mcnair/index.HTM</p> <p>The program provides the following benefits to students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Individualized research projects • Undergraduate teaching assistantships • Training in the use of qualitative and quantitative research methods • Faculty mentors • Research seminars • Graduate school application workshops • Graduate Record Examination (GRE) preparation course • GRE fee waiver • Travel opportunities to academic conferences throughout the country • Individualized academic and career counseling • Academic Internship Program • Free room and board while completing the research project • \$2800 stipend during junior and senior years • Monetary assistance to visit graduate schools • Assistance in obtaining graduate school scholarships • National Graduate School Networking Lecture Series on research, teaching, and academia • Computer technology training • Future Faculty Fellowships to qualified graduates 		