**APLE SUMMER STIPEND APPLICATION**

**Application Deadline**: April 1st, end of business day.

**To apply, please submit**: 1. Completed application form

 2. A description of the project (no more than two pages)

 3. A letter from the faculty advisor

 \**See “Application Information” below for an in-depth description of*
 *application review criteria.*

**Email completed application to**: CAS+APLE@uvm.edu

**Or drop off/mail to**: College of Arts and Sciences Dean’s Office

 438 College Street

 Burlington, VT 05405

Name:

Student ID #: Department:

Local Home Mailing Address:

(*Do not use a campus office/lab address*)

Permanent Address:

Email: Phone:

Are you a Full-time CAS Student? Yes / No

*Please note: Only students in the College of Arts & Sciences are eligible for APLE Awards.*

Current cumulative grade point average (cumgpa): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Expected date of graduation: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you applying for an Office of Undergraduate Research Summer Research Award? Yes / No

Project Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Application Information**:

The Review Committee will evaluate proposals based on intellectual merit and broader impact. Students should provide (in their own words) a two-page maximum description of the paper, performance, or presentation that clearly articulates the work to be undertaken, avoiding disciplinary jargon when possible. The description should include:

* a concise background information narrative on the research/creative activities (theory/premise, prior results, relevant references if applicable);
* research hypotheses, questions, or project concept;
* a brief description of methods and expected findings;
* a discussion of the relevance to the student’s long-term goals and the present state of knowledge in the field.

Please attach a letter from your faculty advisor that includes the following information:

* How is the student’s proposal related to your own scholarly or creative work?
* Please comment on the capability of the student to do the research.
* How will you structure the student’s summer work?
* Describe the mentoring activities that you will engage in with the student over the course of the summer.

I understand that if my plans change, I will notify my faculty sponsor, department chair, and the College (CAS+APLESummer@uvm.edu) and will return funding as appropriate. If awarded a Summer Stipend, I give my permission to the College of Arts and Sciences to post my proposal on the College web site.

Student Signature: Date:

I agree to sponsor this student’s research project.

***Please note: Students working with a non-CAS faculty member must also have a CAS sponsor*.**

Faculty SponsorSignature: Date:

 Print Name:

I have read the attached materials and endorse the project.

Department Chair’s Signature: Date:

 Print Name:

*The Dean's Office will contact your Department Administrator for chartstring detail and transfer funds. The Department will need to establish the student as a wage employee with Human Resources and submit the student's hours electronically to generate payment.*

*Updated February 20, 2019*