California Alliance for Minority Participation

Student Research – Travel and Research Funds Request Form

Overview:

The California Alliance for Minority Participation (CAMP) Student Research Funds support various scholarly activities of full-time UC Merced students who meet the criteria set by National Science Foundation (NSF) and California Alliance for Minority Participation (CAMP). These funds can be used for materials, laboratory supplies, and travel related to research. These funds are administered by the Graduate Division, are awarded on a case-by-case basis. Proposals are evaluated on the justification of the funds requested, the potential significance for the student’s intellectual development, and the appropriateness of the project as it relates to the student’s academic plan at UC Merced.

In order to be eligible for these funds, you need to fit the NSF ethnicity requirements and be in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) fields and have a minimum of a 3.0 GPA

NSF Ethnicity Requirements: African American, Chicano/Latino/Hispanic, Native American, and Native Pacific Islander are encouraged to apply.

Request Guidelines:

Applications for research funds require a detailed proposal that includes the following information:

- the rationale behind the research and the intended goals of the project
- the process or methodology of the research
- the background of the student’s involvement with the subject
- how the proposed project fits into current and future research and/or academic development
- the personal benefits of the project
- how the project will benefit the University, if applicable
- an itemized budget
- a letter of support from a sponsoring faculty member

Instructions:

- Complete this form in its entirety,
- Submit a letter of support from a sponsoring faculty member
- Submit your proposal with the information outlined above
- E-mail ojimenez3@ucmerced.edu or submit request to the Graduate Division, KL 227, Attention Tony Jimenez.

You will be notified by e-mail of the results of your request within 7 to 14 business days.

For more information, please contact Tony Jimenez at ojimenez3@ucmerced.edu.
Please submit this form along with your proposal and faculty letter of support to Tony Jimenez in the Graduate Division (KL 227) or via email at ojimenez3@ucmerced.edu

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Name ______________________________________________________

Student ID # ________________________________________________

Email ______________________________________________________

Major ______________________________________________________

GPA _____

Phone Number

Campus ______________________________________________________

Permanent _________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________________________
(Campus) ___________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________________________
(Permanent) ________________________________________________

Year in school: circle one: (Freshman, Sophomore, Junior, Senior)

Ethnicity (Circle One)

() African American
() Chicano/Latino /Hispanic
() Native American
() Native Pacific Islander