

NEW YORK CITY COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK 300 JAY STREET, BROOKLYN, NY 11201-1909

## **Emerging Scholars Program Application – Part II – Spring 2023**

The Emerging Scholars Program provides a \$500 stipend for full-time students (enrolled for 12 or more credits) and a \$250 stipend for part-time students (enrolled in 11 or fewer credits) for conducting research with a faculty member. The purpose of the program is to provide students with an opportunity to apply what was learned in the class room to discover new knowledge, to solve real-world problems and to develop professionally while working with faculty to advance scholarly endeavors. The program includes specially designed workshops offered by the Undergraduate Research Committee and participation in a biannual poster session. This is the second part of a two-part application, to be filled out by the student interested in participating in the Emerging Scholars program.

#### **The Application**

If you have participated in the Fall 2022 Emerging Scholars Program (ESP) and would like to continue your research with your mentor in Spring, you do NOT need to apply again here. In this case, simply send an email to undergraduateresearch@citytech.cuny.edu and let us know.

Part I can be found at: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/EmergingScholars

Part II of the applications includes:

(1) PREA - Must be completed electronically and signed by both the student and faculty mentor.

(2) An unofficial copy of the student's transcript, including Fall 2022 registration.

### **Emerging Scholar Program Requirements**

1. The ESP application deadline (Parts I and II) is Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Part I should include the mentor information, project title, and project abstract submitted by this date. Please complete part I online and submit a completed part II to: Email: undergraduateresearch@citytech.cuny.edu –SUBJECT Line: ESP application

2. ESP researchers are expected to attend the online mandatory orientation meeting on Tuesday, February 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023, from 1:00-2:00 PM.

3. All students must also complete the responsible conduct in research online training and submit their Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative (CITI) certificate by Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Even if you have submitted this in previous semesters, you are still required to submit a copy of the certification.

More information on CITI training can be found at: <u>https://www.citiprogram.org/</u>

**Make sure not to click that you want college credit** – if you indicate that you want college credit the program then indicates that you have to pay for the certification. Submit the completion certification (pdf file) using the following Dropbox link:

https://www.dropbox.com/request/Rav7yDyffYO9wcYsP7mk

4. Undergraduate researchers must attend at least four professional development workshops.

\*\*\* For Updated detail information about the workshops visit: <u>http://www.citytech.cuny.edu/research/workshops.aspx</u>

5. In collaboration with the faculty mentor, prepare a final **abstract** summarizing the accomplishments of the project. Mentors should proofread, edit, and upload it by **Tuesday**, **April 4<sup>th</sup>**, **2023** at the following Dropbox link:

https://www.dropbox.com/request/eww2x5ELQocBjh6ZpVAN

Additionally, you should prepare your **poster** based on your final results for a poster session event. The poster file must be uploaded to a Dropbox link by **Thursday**, **April 27**<sup>th</sup>, **2023**.

https://www.dropbox.com/request/7UqlzYk2mOU1XxCxw46A

Signing the consent form indicates permission to publish abstracts and posters on the college website.

6. Participate in the Honors and Research Scholars poster session and award ceremony

Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> In-Person Poster Presentation (Poster Judging)

Thursday, May 4<sup>th</sup> In-Person Poster Presentation: Award Ceremony

7. Be a full-time student in good academic standing (exceptional part-time students are eligible for a \$250 stipend for 25 hours of work with their mentors and attend all workshops).

To optimize the number of mentors available to students and to ensure a proper depth of focus on scholarly work, Emerging Scholars are limited to **ONE** research project per semester. Undergraduate research stipends are not available to those receiving stipends from another project although they may participate in the program. Faculty mentors involving multiple students on a project should distinguish the expected roles to be performed by each student on the Pre-Research Application (PREA).

Program websites:

Emerging Scholars: <u>http://www.citytech.cuny.edu/research</u>

#### <u>Undergraduate Research</u> Pre-Research Application (PREA)-please type and attach an unofficial transcript

1. Student Name/EMPL ID/address/email/phone

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5. What will the student's role be in this project? What research skills will the student employ?

6. What skills/values/knowledge learned in the classroom will the student employ?

7. What research skills or other knowledge will the student learn?

8. What "soft skills" will the faculty mentor address in this experience?

a. Professional skills

Goal setting
Time management
Professional communication/behavior

b. Career planning and support

\_\_\_\_\_guidance in academic/career planning \_\_\_\_\_networking/making connections with professionals in the discipline

9. What will the student contribute in terms of time commitment, quality of work, record keeping, preparatory work for meetings with mentor?

10. What will the faculty mentor contribute in terms of time commitment, frequency of meeting with student, monitoring of and feedback on student work?

# CONSENT

I hereby consent to the unrestricted use by New York City College of Technology (the College), The City University of New York (the University) and their related entities for the benefit of the College or the University of (1) my name; (2) my photograph, portrait, picture or other likeness; (3) the name(s) of undergraduate college(s) attended, degree(s) earned and year(s) of graduation; (4) (a) the name(s) of graduate, professional or other school(s) attended or being attended and program(s) in which enrolled or (b) my job title(s) or position(s) held and name(s) of company(ies) or other concern(s) by which formerly or now employed; and (5) any physical or audio/visual representation(s) thereof of example or examples of my classroom or laboratory course work for news, advertising or other promotional purposes or for the purposes of trade. I waive the right to inspect or approve any such materials related to such purposes and understand that I will receive no compensation for this consent.

Signature of Student/Date

Signature of Faculty Mentor/Date