

College of Agriculture Louisiana State University

Undergraduate Research Grants for 2007

The College of Agriculture offers competitive grants for research by undergraduate students in the college. The purpose of these grants is to encourage research by students as a part of the educational process.

Research can be in any area of study in the College of Agriculture. Multidisciplinary projects are encouraged. All research must be under the direction of a College of Agriculture faculty member. Each grant will be limited to a maximum of \$2,500. Projects must be completed by June 31, 2008. Grant funds will be administered in the Department and may be used for supplies, equipment, operating services, and travel. Funds may not be used for salaries or wages. Students may receive academic credit under appropriate research or special topic courses.

Proposal Format

- I. Title Page - 1 page
 - A. Title
 - B. Beginning and ending date
 - C. Student Investigator (s) Names and Signature (s)
 - D. Faculty Supervisor (s) Name, Department, and Signature (s)
- II. Project Description - 3 pages maximum
 - A. Introduction
 - B. Objectives
 - C. Procedures/Methodology
 - D. Significance
- III. Proposed Budget (with narrative) - 1 page
- IV. Student resume (s) - 1 page/student

Ten copies plus the original are due in the College of Agriculture April 27, 2007.

Proposals will be evaluated and ranked by a faculty committee. Meritorious proposals will be funded. Awards will be announced at the beginning of the Summer semester 2007.

Full reports of results, including proposed presentations and publications and possible patents should be submitted within 30 days of the completion of the research (ending date of grant). A complete financial accounting is to be submitted with the final report.

NOTE: 10% of the grant will not be awarded until FINAL reports are submitted to the College of Agriculture Dean's Office.