

Good morning,

The Translational Research Program (TRP) of the Department of Medicine has partnered with the AU Provost to again offer a unique research platform for undergraduate and graduate students of Augusta University (the Student Research Program or SRP) for Fall 2022.

The program offers:

- Twenty research vouchers to support scholarly work across the institution.
- Vouchers of up to \$1000 will be available to AU student-mentor pairs engaged in meritorious research/performance/scholarship programs.
- Deliverables emanating from the work are strongly encouraged: including plans for publication, presentation, performance, exhibitions, video documentary, creation of portfolios, attendance of legitimate conferences, apprenticeships, internships or otherwise discipline-specific metrics for scholarship.
- **The application cycle is open starting Tuesday Sept 6, 2022, and the final deadline for applications is Friday, Sept 30, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.**
- Eligibility: full time AU graduate or undergraduate students, working with a full time AU faculty mentor on the Summerville or Health Science campus.
- Projects funded to specific student-mentor pairs in previous cycles may be continued (with the same or different student-mentor pair); however, a progress report (including articulating how the previous funds were spent) will be required prior to consideration of the proposal. Continuation projects, or the same student-mentor pair (with a different project) will be treated as a "continuing project."
- **Please note:** Priority will be given to new projects, but if funding allows, we will entertain continuing projects.

To begin, each student must request a studio. A studio is a 30-minute meeting between the student-mentor pair and members of the TRP working group. It is intended to provide constructive feedback on the nature of the project as well as give the committee perspective on how voucher monies will be spent (both student and mentor must be present for the studio or the meeting will be cancelled, and the application rejected). The studio committee will also be interested in anticipated deliverables resulting from the support.

To apply, please visit the SRP Application website:

<https://www.augusta.edu/mcg/medicine/research/trp/apply-srp-studio.php>

All studio meetings will be held via Microsoft Teams.