

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITY

Ohio University's Voinovich School actively engages the University's social and educational missions to help make the region and state a better place while providing students with unique opportunities to apply classroom knowledge to real-world projects.

VOINOVICH SCHOOL UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH SCHOLARS

The Voinovich School of Leadership and Public Affairs is offering Undergraduate Research Scholar funded positions for the 2020-2021 academic year. Students selected for these positions will work 10 hours per week, 15 weeks per semester for two semesters at the rate of \$11 per hour. Scholars will be assigned to work with Voinovich School faculty and professional staff. Opportunities include innovative research and work related to:

Energy & the Environment

Sustainability | Watershed management | Ecology
GIS | Field and lab research opportunities

Entrepreneurship & Regional Development

Small business planning | Economic development
Product design and marketing

Public Policy & Leadership

Community health | Public policy | Public relations
& communication | Research and evaluation

Eligibility Requirements

- Highly motivated students from all schools and departments are encouraged to apply
- Strong academic record (3.5 GPA preferred)
- Must be a registered student through the full 2020-2021 academic year.



"It has been a great opportunity to understand the role of environmental studies in a variety of real-world applications. I love being able to see the impact of my work in ongoing projects and knowing that my work contributes to long-term projects as well."

Sarah Stanzi, Junior, Environmental Geography



"I plan to dedicate my life to public service and leadership, so the Voinovich program has been a great opportunity for me to get hands-on experience with public policy. From assisting with scholarly articles on public policy to synthesizing regulatory documents, and surveying Ohio's wood industry, I have been able to work on a variety of projects and immerse myself in many areas."

Justin Riley, Junior, HTC Political Science



"As a Voinovich Scholar, I have had numerous opportunities to collaborate with staff and students on projects aimed at addressing some of the issues affecting communities in Ohio. I understand how the work that I do in the classroom overlaps with my work here, and it is encouraging to see how they are both helping me to prepare for the work in my chosen field."

Aleah Cumberbatch, Senior, Psychology

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 24, 2020

Interested students should email a cover letter, resume, recent DARS report and short writing sample to:

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