



RAWLINGS CORNELL PRESIDENTIAL RESEARCH SCHOLARS

FRESHMAN RESEARCH PLAN

due February 28

Instructions: Please complete this form and submit it, along with your answers to questions 1-3, to 103 Day Hall or to rcprs@cornell.edu by the end of the day, February 28th.

IF YOU SUBMIT VIA EMAIL, you MUST name your file in this manner or it will be rejected:
Last_first_researchplan (.doc or .pdf only.)

STUDENT NAME: _____

FACULTY MENTOR & DEPARTMENT: _____

Please attach answers to the following 3 questions:

- 1) Why did you choose your faculty mentor? (2-3 sentences)
- 2) Project description: this should include, but is not limited to, specific details about the project, activities in which you will be engaged, and your role in the project.
- 3) What are 2-3 measurable goals you hope to accomplish this year? Establish deadlines for their completion. These could include learning specific techniques, safety training, acquiring new research skills, enhancing knowledge regarding project, etc.

RESEARCH SUPERVISOR (if different from Faculty Mentor)

Direct supervisor's name and title: _____

OTHER PEOPLE IN THE RESEARCH GROUP

None - just self and mentor Number of **Undergraduates** - _____

Number of **Graduate students** - _____ Number of **Post-doctoral fellows** - _____

TIME YOU EXPECT TO DEVOTE TO THIS PROJECT: _____ **hrs/week**

I PLAN TO DO MY RESEARCH: **for credit** * OR **for wages*****

RESEARCH OR INDEPENDENT STUDY COURSE NUMBER: _____ **Number of Credits:** _____

* If doing research for credit, this form is sufficient (no separate "credit" form needed) *this semester only*.

***If doing research for wages, you **must also** complete a [Research for Wages](#) form.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

STUDENT'S SIGNATURE & DATE

X

FACULTY MENTOR'S SIGNATURE & DATE

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