

SwI STEM Early Undergraduate Research Program

Faculty Research Leader Application

The primary purpose of the SwI STEM early undergraduate research program is to provide well-qualified students with early hands-on experimentation, increased interaction with other students and faculty, hands-on advising and mentoring, and increased retention and quality among our undergraduate STEM majors.

In the Early Undergraduate Research Program, STEM majors will work with faculty mentors as research assistants in ongoing research projects. In this process the students will not only be learning new science, but using the skills and knowledge acquired in the classroom to produce new scientific knowledge. With the guidance and nurturing of their faculty mentor and collaboration with the other student members of the research group, a more collegial and team-oriented approach will ensue.

The Dean of the Pott College of Science and Engineering seeks applications from faculty who are committed to helping students achieve their academic and career goals. To apply, please fill out the form below and attach a resume to assure the application receives proper consideration. To be considered, applications must be received in the Office of the Dean by 4:30 PM on the second Friday in October (**October 8, 2010**).

Name of Applicant: _____

Years at USI: _____ **Email:** _____

Office Location: _____ **Office Phone:** _____

Number of Research Students You Would Like: _____

Please provide an outline of research area(s), objectives, methods, goals, etc. Use the back if additional space is needed. Please attach a resume to this form. Student applicants will use this information to select projects on which they would like to work.

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