



NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Awards 2020 - 2021 NSERC USRA Coordinators – Contact Information

Note: For more information, please visit <https://students.ubc.ca/career/campus-experiences/nserc-undergraduate-student-research-awards>

Faculty/School/ Department	USRA Coordinator	Deadline	Finding USRA Positions
Applied Science (UBC-V)	Gayatri Thakor apsc.pd@ubc.ca	March 12, 2020	Contact professors directly Refer to department-specific information
Arts	Marcy Caouette arts.awards@ubc.ca	February 21, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contact the USRA Coordinator 2. Contact professors directly
<i>Psychology</i>	Psychology Undergraduate Program undergrad@psych.ubc.ca	February 21, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contact the USRA Coordinator 2. Contact professors directly
<i>Geography</i>	Undergraduate Program undergraduate.program@geog.ubc.ca	February 21, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Contact the USRA Coordinator 2. Contact professors directly
Dentistry	Ingrid Ellis iellis@dentistry.ubc.ca	February 24, 2020	Contact professors directly



Education	Robert Olaj	March 6, 2020	Submit application directly to USRA Coordinators NOTE: The Faculty of Education is not receiving NSERC-USRA applications for the 2020-21 cycle.
Forestry	Chiara Longhi chiara.longhi@ubc.ca	March 9, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Contact professors directly2. Apply online and ensure USRA Coordinator receives all non UBC transcripts
Kinesiology	Dr. Jean-Sebastien Blouin jean-sebastien.blouin@ubc.ca Fran Harrison fran.harrison@ubc.ca	March 6, 2020	Submit application directly to USRA Coordinators
Land and Food Systems	David Kitts david.kitts@ubc.ca Baohua Wang ifs.nserc-usra@ubc.ca	March 6, 2020	Instructions for students to apply for the award are posted on the Faculty website: http://researchsupport.landfood.ubc.ca/nserc-undergraduate-student-research-awards/
Medicine	Dr. Deborah Giaschi fom.nserc.usra@ubc.ca	February 27, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Find more information on the Faculty of Medicine's NSERC USRA page2. Contact supervisors directly
Pharmaceutical Sciences	Dr. Sarah Hedtrich sarah.hedtrich@ubc.ca	February 17, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Contact supervisors directly before filling out the NSERC USRA application.2. Submit a paper copy of your NSERC USRA application (signatures not needed) with



			your SSRP application by the SSRP deadline - visit the website for information on how to apply to the program.
Sauder School of Business	Stuart Donald info@coe.ubc.ca	March 6, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Look for in-class announcements by professors 2. Contact the Sauder USRA Coordinator to find a supervisor 3. Contact professors directly
Science	<i>Contact the Department Coordinator as listed below.</i>		
<i>Botany</i>	Alice Lou alice.lou@botany.ubc.ca	February 20, 2020	Contact professors directly
<i>Chemistry</i>	Wayne Mah undergrad@chem.ubc.ca	January 30, 2020	Go to the Chemistry NSERC USRA website for application instructions
<i>Computer Science</i>	Ana K. Drole ugrad-admin@cs.ubc.ca	February 11, 2020 at 4:00 PM	Application instructions for students: https://students.ubc.ca/career/campus-experiences/nserc-undergraduate-student-research-awards



<i>Earth and Atmospheric Sciences</i>	inquiries@eos.ubc.ca	March 6, 2020 at 9:00 AM	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Complete the online application Form 202 – Part I on the NSERC website. You will need to upload a copy (front and back) of your official transcript.2. Have your proposed faculty supervisor complete Form 202 – Part II on the NSERC website. You are responsible for seeking out a faculty supervisor.3. Print a copy of your completed Form 202 – Part I, including submitted transcripts. Have your faculty supervisor print a copy of the completed Form 202 – Part II. Submit both to ESB 2020.
<i>Institute for Resources, Environment and Sustainability (IRES)</i>	Stefanie Ickert stefanie.ickert@ubc.ca Kelsey Robertson kelsey.robertson@ubc.ca	February 24, 2020	Contact professors directly
<i>Institute for the Ocean and Fisheries</i>	Eden Fellner e.fellner@oceans.ubc.ca	February 26, 2020	Contact professors directly
<i>Mathematics</i>	Jenny Liddie ugradsec@math.ubc.ca	February 7, 2020	Find out more information, look for available projects and how to apply for a research position on the Mathematics Department's NSERC USRA page



<i>Microbiology and Immunology</i>	Dr. David Oliver dcoliver@mail.ubc.ca	February 15, 2020	Find more information on the Department of Microbiology and Immunology's summer studentship information page .
<i>Physics and Astronomy</i>	Kirsty Dickson ug-coord@phas.ubc.ca	January 31, 2020	Refer to the Physics and Astronomy NSERC USRA page for specific departmental procedures and postings
<i>Statistics</i>	Nicholas Geers gradinfo@stat.ubc.ca	February 14, 2020	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Check the Statistics Summer Research Assistant webpage for a list of available projects and further details.2. As soon as you see a project you like, submit unofficial transcripts and a cover letter to the professor with whom you are interested in working. Make sure you submit your application right away, or the project you are interested in might be gone! Students from other programs with a background and interest in Statistics are welcome to apply.3. After the deadline, professors will interview candidates and will make a decision.
<i>Zoology</i>	Shandra Stephenson coordinator@zoology.ubc.ca	February 20, 2020	Contact professors directly
UBC-O Health and Exercise Sciences	Dr. Tanya Forneris tanya.forneris@ubc.ca	February 28, 2020	Please visit the URSA award link for instructions and links to the NSERC website.



UBC-O IKE Barber School of Arts and Science	Dr. John Klironomos john.klironomos@ubc.ca Julie Martin julie.martin@ubc.ca	January 27, 2020 at 4:00 PM	Go to the website for instructions on how to apply: https://ikbsas.ok.ubc.ca/awards/undergrad/nserc-usra/
UBC-O School of Engineering	Samantha Luckow tanya.chartrand@ubc.ca	February 28, 2020	Contact professors directly Refer to department-specific information