Student-Researcher Responsibilities

The *Natural Sciences Summer Undergraduate Research Program*'s available funding limits the number of student fellowships awarded. Before submitting your application, please examine your willingness to demonstrate focused interest in, and commitment to, this valuable research experience.

Student-researchers will:

- → be free from other obligations during the mentor's designated research hours, which may include weekdays, evenings, weekends, and/or 24/7 field work, depending on the specific research project's nature and the demands of the research processes defined by your mentor
- → expect a 10-week research fellowship maximum of \$6,512.00* for participation in all program commitments through November, or a pro-rated dollar amount for a reduced week participation (*student responsible for securing and paying one's own room and board)
- → meet formally with mentors before, and regularly during, summer research
- → participate in All-Participant Professional Development Gatherings
- → submit the completed Student-Researcher Program Evaluation Google form by Friday, 09 August 2024
- → submit a thoughtfully written Research Summary or Report that includes the research title and abstract by *Friday*, 16 August 2024
- → prepare a Research Poster and Talk for presentation at one or more PLU research events
- → fully participate in the 33rd M. J. Murdock College Science Research Conference (MCSRC), 8-9 November 2024, Vancouver WA, with Thursday evening travel
- → uphold the highest ethical standards in research, and with respectful attitude and appropriate behavior, show willingness to engage in teamwork to fulfill all responsibilities, as requested by your assigned mentor