

KU Undergraduate Research Resources & Programs

Architecture:

- Center for Design Research: <https://arcd.ku.edu/center-design-research>

Arts:

- <http://sota.ku.edu/researchgrants>

Beckman Scholars

- <https://beckman.ku.edu/>
- beckmanscholars@ku.edu
- 785-864-4670

Building Emerging STEM Scholars of Tomorrow (BESST) Mentorship Program

- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/building-emerging-stem-scholars-tomorrow-besst-mentorship-program>
- caleb.latas@ku.edu (Caleb Latas, Research Project Specialist)
- 785-864-5733

Biology:

- Faculty page: <https://kuub.ku.edu/faculty>
- Director of (Biology) Labs: <https://kuub.ku.edu/directors-laboratories>
- Resources for Biology Students: <https://kuub.ku.edu/students>
- Undergraduate Research Opportunities: <https://kuub.ku.edu/undergraduate-research>

Business:

- <https://business.ku.edu/research-and-faculty>

Chemistry:

- Here is the link to the faculty page of the Chemistry Department: <http://chem.ku.edu/people/faculty>
- Undergraduate Research Overview for Chemistry: <http://chem.ku.edu/getting-involved-ug-research>
- Chemistry Research Areas: <http://chem.ku.edu/research/areas>
- Chemistry Department Research Groups: <http://chem.ku.edu/research/groups>

Center for Undergraduate Research Student Programs:

- [Getting Started | Center for Undergraduate Research \(ku.edu\)](#)
 - Booking Link for Getting Started in Research consultation appointment:
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/student/fund/research-awards>
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/student/fund/travel-award>
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/student/share/capitol>
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/2021-undergraduate-research-symposium>
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/summer-undergraduate-research-poster-session-registration>
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/student/share/fall>
- <https://ugresearch.ku.edu/volunteer>
- **Center for Undergraduate Research social media:**
 - **Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/ugresearchku>
 - **Twitter:** @ugresearchKU
 - **Instagram:** ugresearchku

Chemistry:

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- <https://chem.ku.edu/getting-involved-ug-research>

College of Liberal Arts & Sciences:

- <https://college.ku.edu/research>

Education and Human Sciences:

- <https://soehs.ku.edu/mission-vision/research>

Engineering:

- <https://enr.ku.edu/undergraduate-research>

Environmental Studies Program:

- <https://esp.ku.edu/independent-research-projects>

Hall Center for Humanities:

- <http://hallcenter.ku.edu/humanities-undergraduate-research-grants>

Highlight your research on our resume.

- <https://career.ku.edu/job-search-prep>

Human Biology Program:

- <https://humanbio.ku.edu/research>

They list some suggested steps for finding a research program:

1. Think about research topics that interest you.

2. Visit faculty members' web pages to find research programs that interest you:

- [Dept. of Anthropology](#)
- [Dept. of Applied Behavioral Science](#)
- [Dept. of Ecology and Evolutionary Biology](#)
- [Dept. of Molecular Biosciences](#)
- [Dept. of Psychology](#)
- [Dept. of Speech-Language-Hearing: Sciences & Disorders](#)

3. When you find research that interests you, we recommend that you learn even more about the program by looking up some of the relevant publications to get a better idea of what the research entails and also to see what scientific publications are like.

4. Contact a faculty member, explaining that you've read about her/his research and that you are interested in volunteering in her/his research program. Keep in mind that not every faculty member will have the availability to take on a new student when you contact her/him, so if you don't meet with success at first, you should keep trying with other faculty members and potentially at other points in time, too. If you e-mail faculty members, please practice good e-mail etiquette (see the Dept. of Psychology's etiquette tips).

Kansas NSF EPSCoR Office

- <https://nsfepscor.ku.edu/kansas-nsf-epscor-office/>
- nsfepscor@ku.edu

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Kansas Idea Network of Biomedical Research Excellence (K-INBRE)

- <https://kinbre.ku.edu/>
- bdackley@ku.edu (Brian Ackley, PhD)
- 785-864-5821

Journalism and Mass Communications:

- <http://journalism.ku.edu/experimental-research-media-lab>

Maximizing Access to Research Careers (MARC)

- <https://marc.ku.edu/>
- marc@ku.edu
- 785-864-7316

McNair Scholars Program

- <https://mcnair.ku.edu/>
- mcnair@ku.edu
- 785-864-3412

Medical Center:

- <https://www.kumc.edu/research.html>

Music:

- <https://music.ku.edu/music-research>

Office for Diversity in Science Training (ODST) – there are several programs listed on their website.

- <https://odst.ku.edu/>
- pcart@ku.edu (Paulyn Cartwright, PhD)
- 785-864-4432

Psychology - Undergraduate Research:

- <https://psych.ku.edu/undergraduate-research>

Pharmaceutical Chemistry Undergraduate Research Program:

- <https://pharmchem.ku.edu/undergraduate-research-programs>

Pharmacy:

- Faculty page: <https://pharmacy.ku.edu/faculty>
- Research: <https://pharmacy.ku.edu/departmental-research>
- Student Resources: <https://pharmacy.ku.edu/student-resources>

Psychology:

- Faculty page: <https://psych.ku.edu/faculty>
- Undergraduate Research: <https://psych.ku.edu/undergraduate-research>

Research-related student jobs are typically posted on KU's job listings:

- <https://employment.ku.edu/job-search/student>

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School of Public Affairs & Administration:

- <http://kupa.ku.edu/research>

School of Medicine:

- <https://www.kumc.edu/school-of-medicine/research-x22380.html>

School of Nursing:

- <https://www.kumc.edu/school-of-nursing/research.html>

Self Engineering Leadership Fellows Program – School of Engineering

- <https://enr.ku.edu/self-engineering-leadership-fellows-program>
- engrself@ku.edu
- 785-864-3881

Social Welfare:

- <https://socwel.ku.edu/research>

Spencer Museum of Art:

- <https://spencerart.ku.edu/iari-undergraduate-research-fellowships>

Study Abroad & Global Engagement

- <https://studyabroad.ku.edu/globalscholars>

University Honors Program

- <https://honors.ku.edu/>
- honors@ku.edu
- 785-864-4225

Other Resources:

- Use the "[Experts at KU](#)" search tool.
- University of Kansas Office of Research has a list of Student Research Opportunities: https://research.ku.edu/research_opportunities_for_students
- Expand your network: Join the [Jayhawk Career Network](#) and/or the [Student Alumni Network](#)
- [University Career Center – Student Resources](#)
- [Journals@ku](#)
 - <https://journals.ku.edu/zenith>

Outside KU:

- Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU): <https://www.nsf.gov/crssprgm/reu/>