

Contact Information

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Purdue ID Number (9 digits): _____

Email Address: _____

Educational Background

Disciplinary College (Primary): _____

Major(s): _____

Expected Graduation: _____

Honors Advisor: _____

Project Type

Project related to your major, to other educational/scholarly experiences, or a project of your own design. You may use this option to propose a project you will complete through a college- or department-level honors program (such as biology honors, psychology honors, etc.).

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I am proposing a research, scholarly, or design project, mentored by faculty or an industry professional.

In 150 words or less, please state the research question that you are trying to answer or the problem you are trying to solve. If you are working on a team, you may be seeking to answer a larger question together (e.g., “How can we use nutrition to fight cancer?” or “What is the best way to digitize multiple editions of a Shakespeare play?”) but *your* research question will likely be something narrower (“How does vitamin D affect cancer cells?” or “What is the most effective way to digitize the variants of Act I, scene I or *Hamlet*?”).

In 150 words or less, please explain the context of your research question – in what ways might the answer to your question be important? In other words, who might be interested in your project and why should they care? Have there been attempts by others to answer your question? What have these attempts looked like and how does your approach differ?

In 50 words or less, explain the “deliverable” that the project is expected to deliver. Most often, the deliverable will be demonstrated by the end result (a paper, report, website, code, interpretation, data analysis, etc.). In some cases (for instance, when the expected results will be patented or copyrighted and therefore must be held in confidence for some time), a student may document the methods and process that made the project possible rather than the findings or results. In all cases, but especially for projects that are subject to nondisclosure or confidentiality considerations, students are encouraged to include a short critical reflection on their work as part of the project plan.

In 100 words or less, explain the individual contribution you expect to make to the project. If you are working independently with your mentor, please indicate that the project is yours alone. If you are working collaboratively on a project, explain the nature of the collaboration and your particular contribution to the team effort. If your collaborators are Honors College students, please list their names here, as well.

In 50 words or less, explain the communication expectations on which you have agreed with your mentor (for instance, how often you plan to meet, attendance at group meetings, special preparation or training, authorship rights, etc.). If your work involved human or animal subjects, please specify if you have (or will) submit an Animal Use Qualification form or IRB protocol related to your research.

In 50 words or less, indicate the venue for the public presentation that you expect to make (conference paper, published journal essay, presentation, university poster symposium, *JPUR* publication, etc.).

Leadership Participation

If your scholarly project or research-based portfolio is being completed in conjunction with the Lead Forward and/or Leadership Praxis credential, please select the appropriate option below:

Lead Forward

Leadership Praxis

Project Supervisor Information

Name of Faculty Supervisor or Industry Professional: _____

Supervisor Title: _____

Supervisor Email Address: _____

If you are working with a direct mentor other than the project supervisor listed above, please include their name and email address here. For example, the overall supervisor listed above may be the principal investigator (PI) for a lab whereas your direct mentor may be a graduate student working in that lab.
