

College of Science and Engineering Student Research Experience Award Application Form for Non-Flinders University Students

THIS APPLICATION FORM IS FOR NON-FLINDERS STUDENTS ONLY

The College of Science and Engineering has established the Student Research Experience Awards to provide opportunities for students interested in experiencing research.

The award will provide students with an opportunity to gain an insight into research by participating in a research project under the supervision of a member of staff. As a part of the award, the student will gain valuable hands-on experience in the planning, conduct and analysis of research in their chosen field. The award is solely for educational purposes and not intended to be an employment relationship.

The College will grant a minimum of four student awards of up to \$1,500 each for an approximately four- to six-week research project. The project will be undertaken between December 2026 and end of June 2027 at a time that is negotiated between the supervisor and student (typically between early December and end of February). The award payment will be paid in a single lump sum payment on commencement of the project. The timing will be agreed on acceptance of the award.

Eligibility

Applicants must:

- Generally, be a current student at an Australian university and in the 2nd or 3rd year of their undergraduate degree, or the equivalent.
- Intend to enrol the next year at an Australian university.
- Have, by December of the current year, completed between 54-90 units of a relevant undergraduate degree, or the equivalent.
- Be available for a placement of a minimum of four-to-six weeks between December 2026 and end of June 2027 (typically between early December and end of February).
- Have not previously been awarded a CSE Student Research Experience Award or CSE Summer Research Scholarship.

Selection

Awardees will be selected based on:

- Progress in relevant degree (Flinders equivalent units) by December of the current year (calculation of units to include any credit transfers and does not include Honours units).
 - 54 - 72 units - rank one
 - 73 - 90 units - rank two
- GPA of last 36 units completed towards undergraduate study, not including current semester 2 results.
- A personal statement, of no more than 300 words, detailing the applicant's suitability for the award.



Application

Please complete the form and submit via e-mail to cse.research@flinders.edu.au.

PERSONAL DETAILS

First Name:

Last Name:

Title:

Gender:

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Male

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Female

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Other

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Prefer not to say

Date of Birth:

Permanent Home Address:

Semester Postal Address:

Email:

Mobile phone:

Home phone:

Are you:

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An Australian Citizen

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An Australian Permanent Resident

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Other (see below)

If you are not an Australian Citizen or Permanent Resident, do you have a current visa that extends beyond February 2027?

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Yes

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No

Visa Subclass:

Passport Number:

UNIVERSITY STUDY DETAILS

At which institution are you currently studying?

What is the name of your degree?

What is your progress through your degree (months of equivalent full-time study)?

Have you applied, or do you intend to apply, for a course of study at Flinders University in 2026?

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Yes

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No

If 'Yes', please provide details:

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PROJECT DETAILS

You may nominate up to three preferences for opportunities published in the Research Project eBooklet or propose a bespoke project through negotiation and agreement with a College Supervisor. At least one option must be provided for all applications.

Research Project Title Preference 1:

Project Supervisor:

Research Project Title Preference 2:

Project Supervisor:

Research Project Title Preference 3:

Project Supervisor:

Personal statement detailing your suitability and why you wish to participate in a summer research project at Flinders University (no more than 300 words):

ATTACHMENTS

When emailing this application to cse.research@flinders.edu.au, please attach a certified copy of your academic transcript(s).

DECLARATION

I declare that the information supplied in the application and any attachments (including academic transcripts if you are currently not a Flinders University student), is complete, true, and correct.

I acknowledge that the submission of incorrect information relating to my application may result in the withdrawal of any offer of award, and that this withdrawal may take place at any time during my project.

I authorise Flinders University to obtain relevant information about me to support this application from educational and other sources as required.

I am currently enrolled at an Australian University.

Giving false or misleading information is a serious offence under the Criminal Code (Commonwealth).

Signature of Applicant:

Date: