

Valente Center
for Arts & Sciences



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NEW! Valente Center Undergraduate Research Fellowships

Overview

The Valente Center for Arts & Sciences is soliciting applications for **paid** undergraduate research fellowships for students to pursue an arts and sciences-focused research project for the AY 2016/2017. **Hours are flexible and should average five hours per week (up to 120 hours over the academic year) with an hourly wage of \$12.** Research fellowships include periodic milestones to track progress and culminate in a written paper, manuscript, conference presentation, or other deliverable in May 2017, which **must** include a poster or oral presentation at the spring Undergraduate Research Conference.

Undergraduate Research Fellows are required to have a faculty mentor (see attached description) to provide guidance over the course of the year as the student independently undertakes his/her project. Prior to submitting an application, candidates must seek out a faculty mentor. **Note:** Fellowship research projects may **not** be used simultaneously for **any** course or program-related credit, including the Honors capstone project, a directed study, or an LSM culminating experience.

Apply Today

Applications may be submitted on a rolling basis until September 12, 2016. There are a limited number of fellowships, so potential applicants are encouraged to learn more about the program and apply as early as possible. Selection and notification will take place by September 23, with work on the project to begin immediately after. **Freshmen and sophomores are encouraged to apply!**

If interested, submit:

- Detailed résumé/CV
- Cover letter
- Research proposal (description attached)
- Letter of support from a full-time Bentley faculty willing to serve as mentor (description attached)

Please contact Matt Zeglen, Valente Center Student Research Manager, (zeglen_mate@bentley.edu) for more information.