



## **U-TEAM NIH FELLOWSHIP: Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Training in Comparative Biomedical Sciences**

The National Institute of Health (NIH) T34 U-TEAM: Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Training in Comparative Biomedical Research, established by the Comparative Medicine Institute and the University Honors and Scholars Program at NC State University, offers research support to qualifying underrepresented (UR) undergraduate students (as defined by the NIH).

**The U-TEAM Program is exclusively for underrepresented undergraduate students who want to major in biomedical research disciplines with training in team science.**

**THIS FELLOWSHIP IS FOR STUDENTS WHO WANT TO PURSUE A PhD IN THE BIOMEDICAL FIELD. THIS IS NOT A PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS WHO WANT TO PURSUE MD/DVM/DDS/PA DEGREES.**

The program emphasizes interdisciplinary research training and provides extensive hands-on experience in challenging research projects, along with extensive professional development designed to prepare trainees for a successful transition to Ph.D. in Biomedical Sciences programs.

### **FELLOWSHIP BENEFITS:**

- Monthly Stipend (>\$1,000/month)
- Tuition and Fees (some fees not included)
- Student health insurance
- Funding and stipend to support summer research
- Funding to support domestic conference travel
- Interdisciplinary mentors, hands-on research mentoring in a challenging project
- Professional development opportunities

### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS:**

- Qualifying U-TEAM candidates must meet requirements for the NC State University Honors Program
- All applicants must fall into the underrepresented category as defined by the NIH. There are no exceptions to this requirement. More information pertaining to NIH Diversity: [NIH DIVERSITY INTEREST](#)
- Successful candidates should be rising juniors with 2 years (4 semesters) left in their undergraduate course of study after the end of the 2022-2023 academic year.
- Successful candidates are required to register for HON 298 (Honors Independent Research) & HON 367 (Introduction to Interdisciplinary Biomedical Teamwork) for Spring 2023.
- **All students receiving the U-TEAM fellowship are required to enroll in the TEAM Minor ([Teamwork Minor](#)).**

### **U-TEAM Fellowship Timeline:**

Application Deadline: October 28, 2022

Interview Dates: Nov 7th-11th, 2022

Decision Date: November 18th, 2022

SIRI ([Summer Interdisciplinary Research Initiative](#).) project application deadline: Nov. 23rd, 2022

SIRI Interviews: Nov. 28-Dec. 2, 2022

SIRI Decisions: Dec. 5th, 2022

**FALL 2022 U-TEAM FELLOWSHIP APPLICATION: [U-TEAM Fellowship Application](#)**