
**Announcing a call for proposals for the
2008-2009 Humanities
Undergraduate Research Awards (HUGRA)**
To support and encourage undergraduate research in the humanities

Number of Awards: Up to 10. In addition, the Melkonian Prize for Undergraduate Research, will be awarded to the student who submits the top proposal.

Amount: Each award will consist of a stipend of **\$500**. There are no constraints in the expenditure of the stipend.

Application: A 1-3 page description of the proposed research project must be accompanied by a completed application form and a letter of support from a faculty sponsor. Application forms are available in Humanities department offices or may be downloaded from the website at: <http://humwww.ucsc.edu>

Judging: The Dean of Humanities and a Divisional Awards Committee will collectively decide on winning proposals.

Any project involving research within or including any of the humanities disciplines is eligible for consideration. Proposals must be for research to be performed during the 2008-09 academic year. Proposals will be judged on the basis of:

- (a) Intellectual substance
- (b) Promise of results
- (c) Preparation of applicant
- (d) Feasibility

The proposal should be a 1-3 page description of the research problem to be addressed, what will be done in the project, and what end product (e.g. research paper, senior thesis, project report) is expected. A timetable should be included. Do not include a budget.

A letter of support from a faculty sponsor is required and should address items (a) through (d) above. The applicant is responsible for ensuring that the letter of support is submitted by the deadline.

**Submit all application materials to the Humanities Division Deans's Office,
Room 503, 5th Floor, Humanities Bldg 1, by
5:00 p.m. on Monday, November 3, 2008.**

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