

**WHITTIER COLLEGE
JEFFREY LINDSTROM FELLOWSHIP
STUDENT CONTRACT**

Dear Lindstrom Fellow:

In accepting our offer of receiving a Lindstrom Fellowship, you have read and agreed to abide by the below stated requirements. If you fail to meet the requirements it will result in the possible loss of your stipend, and or possible dismissal from the fellowship.

Lindstrom Fellow Requirements

1. Maintain a minimum GPA of 3.2 every semester.
2. Conduct an individual or guided research project under the guidance of a faculty-research mentor.
3. Attend all required/mandatory meetings including but not limited to:
 - Weekly or biweekly meetings with your faculty-research mentor
 - Fall term SCCUR Conference (**will require travel**)
 - Spring term URSCA Conference
 - Recruitment Sessions
 - Spring Scholarship and Fellowship Luncheon (when applicable)
4. Submit a complete research project (written and public presentation) at the completion of your fellowship.
5. Understand that the \$2000.00 fellowship will be distributed over three (summer projects) or four (academic year projects) stipend distributions. The last stipend will be distributed at the completion of the project and its public presentation.

Institutional Review Board Compliance Notice

Please be aware that your proposed project must adhere to Whittier College policies addressing research ethics and safety compliance. If you are awarded a fellowship and your project involves human subjects, vertebrate animals, hazardous materials, infectious agents, recombinant DNA, or genetically altered organisms, it may require institutional approval **before** fellowship funds can be disbursed. Please work closely with your Faculty Mentor and familiarize yourself in advance with the [policies and procedures](#) so that you develop your project accordingly. Pay special attention to compliance committee deadlines and be prepared with an alternate approach in the event your project is not approved.

I agree to abide by the five requirements and understand if I do not fulfill all requirements I could lose all or a portion of my stipend and also be dismissed from the program. I have also read and understand the IRB compliance notice.

Fellow Name: _____ Date: _____

Fellow Signature: _____ Date: _____