**Center for Healthy Aging Research**

**Life Scholars Summer Research Program**

#### Application Form-2023

Due Friday April 14th, 2023 by 5pm PST

***Life Scholars must work with a faculty mentor from the Center for Healthy Aging Research.***

**Submission Instructions: SUBMIT application via this link** <https://oregonstate.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bDEkzDSuhv4L7sG>

**You will need to complete survey and upload (as PDF or Word Doc) application form and the following documents**

* Application form (this form)
* Resume *(including GPA)*
* *Transcript (unofficial))*
* Letter of support from faculty project advisor
  + Brief support letter, indicating willingness to mentor and availability of matching funds
* Proposal (Project Description & Synergy)
* The files must have the name of the applicant in the title.

**Proposal packets must be received by 5:00 P.M. on the deadline date (April 14, 2023).** Incomplete proposal packets will not be considered for funding.

*For program overview go to:* <https://health.oregonstate.edu/healthy-aging/student-opportunities/life-scholars>

**#1-6 will be entered into application qualtrics survey, please complete info before going to the submission link:**

1. **Student Name:**

*First Middle Last*

1. **Major:** **College:**

**Mailing Address:**

**Phone:** **E-mail:**

**Expected Date of Graduation *(m/m/yy)*:** **Current GPA:**

1. **Project Title:**
2. **Project Facilitated through which program/department/school?**

**5. Faculty Project Advisor:**

**Program/Department:**

**Phone:** **E-mail:**

**Name of Department/School Head:**

**Name of College Dean:**

**6. BUDGET REQUEST – CHAR LIFE Scholars Program will match up to $1,000**

**CHAR LIFE Scholars request:**

**Faculty match amount: Index:**

**7. REGULATORY COMPLIANCE:**

If your research project involves the use of human subjects, live vertebrate animals, DNA, ionizing radiation or chemical carcinogens, you must be compliant and receive approval from the compliance committee prior to the start of your research. If you are unsure, check both with your faculty advisor and the appropriate committee.

**Check each box that applies to your research:**

**Does this proposal involve the use of human subjects?**   Yes  No

**If yes**, approval from IRB must be received prior to start of project.

<https://research.oregonstate.edu/irb/does-your-study-require-irb-review>

**Does this proposal involve the use of live vertebrate animals?**   Yes  No

**If yes**, approval from IACUC must be received prior to start of project.

<https://research.oregonstate.edu/iacuc>

**Does this proposal involve the use of Recombinant DNA molecules?**   Yes  No

**If yes**, approval from Environmental Health & Safety must be received prior to start of project.

<https://ehs.oregonstate.edu/bio/institutional-committee>

**Does this proposal involve sources of ionizing radiation?**  Yes  No

**If yes**, approval from Radiation Safety Office must be received prior to start of project.

<https://ehs.oregonstate.edu/rso/radiation-safety-committee>

**Does this proposal involve the use of chemical carcinogens or agents/ materials that are potentially pathogenic to humans?**   Yes  No

**If yes**, approval from Environmental Health & Safety must be received prior to start of project.

<https://ehs.oregonstate.edu/chemical-safety-committee>

**8. SIGNATURES:** *(Provide all signatures using docusign – see* <https://is.oregonstate.edu/docusign>.

a. I (the student) give Oregon State University permission to use my name, proposal, report, a summary and/or excerpts of it, for the Center for Healthy Aging Research website, other OSU websites and/or other publications for the sole purpose of sharing information about research and scholarship for students.

b. I (student and advisor) understand that participation in the LIFE Scholars program includes the preparation of a scholarly report on my research, submitted in September, participation in a lab tour and a presentation on my research at a colloquia or approved event.

**Student Date Faculty Project Advisor Date**

**9. LIFE SCHOLAR PROPOSAL- INSTRUCTIONS (UPLOAD as separate document with student name header)**

**Project Description** ***(2 pages, double-spaced, 12 pt. font)*:** Briefly describe the research that is proposed including methodologies and approaches. Summarize the scholarly and creative aspects of the project and how this supports your educational objectives and fit to healthy aging research. What are the expected outcomes from your research (*e.g. senior thesis, or an increased understanding of research)*, and how will you achieve these outcomes?

**Synergy *(1 page, double-spaced, 12 pt. font)*:**  What aspects of your research enhance your collaborative learning between you and your project advisor? What are the leveraging opportunities for funding or further research? In other words, will the project lead to additional opportunities for either you or the advisor? (*New or additional funding for the work; professional/creative opportunities that would not have otherwise been developed)*, or is the activity being used as a mechanism to fund a project (*senior thesis)*?

**10. In addition, please be sure to UPLOAD the following to application survey:**

- LIFE Scholar application form

- CV/Resume

- transcript (unofficial OK)

- Proposal (Project description and synergy)

- Faculty statement of support.

Any questions please contact [healthyaging@oregonstate.edu](mailto:healthyaging@oregonstate.edu)