

Department of Political Science
Fall 2010
JUNIOR/SENIOR UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANT

The Department of Political Science announces the Fall 2010 program of undergraduate research grants for juniors and seniors majoring in political science. The purpose of this award is to encourage qualified students who are potentially interested in graduate work in political science to undertake a research project under the direction of a faculty member.

The grant will be in the amount of \$250. The student will work under the direction of a political science faculty member on a research project defined by the student. Course credit through POL 590 will be available.

Eligibility:

1. Applicants must be political science majors with junior or senior standing.
2. 3.0 minimum Grade Point Average.

Application procedure:

Applicants should submit the following:

- a. A cover sheet that includes contact information for the student (mailing address and email) and the name and signature of the faculty member supervising the project.
- b. A 3-5 page research proposal outlining the project, its goals, its research design, and its importance.
- c. A 2-3 paragraph statement of applicant's career objectives.
- d. Transcript of grades.

Applications should be submitted no later than **Friday, April 9, 2010** to:

Junior/Senior Undergraduate Research Grant
Purdue University
Department of Political Science
Beering Hall of Liberal Arts and Education
100 N. University St.
West Lafayette, IN 47907-2098

The winner will be announced on or after Friday, April 16, 2010.

If you would like assistance in finding an appropriate faculty member with whom to work, contact one of our Political Science Advisors, Coleen Williams or Carol Randel in the Liberal Arts Advising Office; or any Political Science professor. You can also visit the Political Science web site <http://www.cla.purdue.edu/polsci> for a list of faculty members and their research interests.