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ANR Undergraduate Advisors:

Please consider passing this information along to students, student groups with which you are associated, etc. The deadline for scholarships is November 2.

Thanks!

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Dear Undergraduate Student in CANR:

Have you considered becoming involved in a faculty-guided research project as part of your undergraduate education? Independent research can provide instruction that may not be available through traditional coursework, strengthen analytical, writing and speaking skills, help define future career options, and boost your application to graduate or professional school.

The College of Ag and Natural Resource (CANR) Undergraduate Research Program assists in linking students and faculty in research projects, provides structure to enhance the student/faculty research experience, and provides funding to partially or fully support selected research projects. This year, the Program will award more than \$36,000 to faculty/undergraduate research teams. Applicants may receive up to \$2,000 per semester to directly support the research, with no less than 80% of the funds used in the form of stipend or scholarship to you, the student.

More information about this opportunity can be found at the ANR Undergraduate Research website, <http://web2.msue.msu.edu/undergradResearch/>. The deadline to apply for funding for the Spring 2011 and/or Summer 2011 semesters is Tuesday, Nov 2. Only CANR students are eligible to apply. Seniors in their last semester may participate in the Program and can apply for travel/presentation support funding, but will not be eligible for research support funding. If you have questions, concerns or need assistance linking with a faculty, please visit the URP website <http://web2.msue.msu.edu/undergradResearch/> or contact the Program Coordinator, Dr. Steve van Nocker, at [vannocke@msu.edu](mailto:vannocke@msu.edu).

*Additional information about undergraduate research at MSU can be found at <http://urca.msu.edu/>.*