INSTRUCTIONS AND INTRODUCTION

Please complete this form to apply for the 2019 Smith College Summer Undergraduate Research Fellows (SURF) program by Friday, February 8, 2019.

Please do [review the SURF website](mailto:review_the_SURF_website) with all of the practical information and obligations for participants.

Please complete all REQUIRED (*) fields below. You will be required to enter a choice or some text for each required field before you can progress through the application. Note that you may return to and edit the application on multiple occasions FROM THE SAME COMPUTER OR DEVICE.

A copy of your application will be automatically forwarded to you via email upon submission.

If you have questions about the SURF program or the application please email [surf@smith.edu](mailto:surf@smith.edu).

*Legal first name:

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* Legal last name:

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Preferred first name, if different:

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Your preferred pronouns:

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Smith graduating class:

- 2019 (2)
- 2020 (3)
- 2021 (4)
- 2022 (1)
- Other (5)

If you are graduating in January, are an Ada, or are enrolled in a Smith graduate program, please indicate below (please check all that apply.)

- January Graduate (1)
- Ada Comstock Scholar (2)

Smith ID# (your 9 digit "99" number):

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Smith College email address:

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Nationality/Residence status (Some funding sources are specifically reserved for international students.)

I am....

- a US citizen. (1)
- a US permanent resident (hold green card). (2)
- an international student, with citizenship and residence outside the US (please specify).
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- Other: ________________________________________________

Please share your previous research experience.

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I have participated in

- AEMES (1)
- Peer Mentoring Program (2)
- STRIDE (11)
- Praxis (20)
I have...

☐ participated in a summer research program outside Smith. Indicate program(s) and location(s): (6) ____________________________________________________________

☐ worked as a research assistant or lab technician. Provide brief details: (7) ________________________________________________________________

☐ taken a research course or special studies. Provide # and name of course(s): (8) ____________________________________________________________

☐ Other research involvement and/or experience: (9) ____________________________________________________________

Previous SURF Experience (if any).

☐ I received a SURF award in a prior year. Please indicate which year. (1) ____________________________________________________________

☐ I applied for SURF in a previous year and was waitlisted or not offered an award. Please indicate which year. (2) ____________________________________________________________

Please select your first major.

Drop down of all majors

My first major is...

☐ Prospective (1)

☐ Declared (2)
Please select your second major, if applicable.

Drop Down of all Majors

My second major is...

- Prospective (1)
- Declared (2)

Please select your minor, if applicable.

Drop down of all minors

Please choose your concentration, if applicable

Drop of all concentrations

Is there anything else you’d like to mention about your major(s), minor, or concentration?

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Please upload a copy of your unofficial Smith transcript. Make a PDF of it or take a screen shot or scan your transcript and upload a picture file. Please use .jpg or .png file formats for images.

End of Block: INFORMATION ABOUT THE APPLICANT

Start of Block: INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR APPLICATION AND PROPOSAL

Please choose the DEPARTMENT of the faculty advisor you would like to work with during SURF.

Drop down of all departments

Please select the name of the research advisor at Smith you would like to work with.

Applications to the Smith SURF Program must be endorsed by a Smith faculty member, instructor, or staff member in the sciences. This is the advisor of your summer research project.

Drop down of all science faculty

If your faculty advisor was not on the list above, please enter it here.

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Explain the three most important things that you hope to learn through completing this project of summer undergraduate research.

○ 1. (1) ________________________________________________

○ 2. (2) ________________________________________________

○ 3. (3) ________________________________________________
What are your goals/plans after graduating from Smith?

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* Explain how your summer undergraduate research experience will help you with your career goals, including after you graduate from Smith College. (3,000 character limit).

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End of Block: INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR APPLICATION AND PROPOSAL
Start of Block: SUBMISSION
Q34 * ANSWER THIS QUESTION WHEN YOU ARE READY TO SUBMIT YOUR APPLICATION!!

My application is now complete. Please consider my application for a SURF Program award.

☐ Yes, my application is complete (signed by typing your name below): (1)
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☐ When I am ready to submit, I will type the word "SUBMIT" below, in all CAPS (yes, it is case sensitive) and then hit the advance button below ["Next Page"]. (We don't want you to submit your application until it is totally complete. Check your responses one last time before you hit the advance button below!!) (2)
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End of Block: SUBMISSION