**Office of Research and Sponsored Programs**

**Student Engagement in Research, Scholarship, and Creative Activity (SERSCA)**

**Undergraduate Assistantships Spring 2015**

**Application Deadline: Monday, January 12, 2015 at 5:00 p.m.**

**PURPOSE**
Up to thirteen (13) $750 SERSCA Undergraduate Assistantship (UGA) awards are available to provide opportunities for undergraduate students to engage in faculty-led research, scholarship and/or creative activities. Students apply with a faculty sponsor to compete for Assistantship awards to work under faculty supervision on research, scholarship and/or creative projects. Each UGA award is equivalent to 71 hours of student employment at $10/hour.\*

**REQUIREMENTS**

* All undergraduate students currently enrolled at CSU Stanislaus are eligible to apply.
* All applicants must be sponsored by a faculty member.
* Each UGA award may be shared among up to three students.
* Students and Faculty Sponsors may only apply for one UGA award per semester.
* Upon completion of the Assistantship, students must submit a final report. (Awardees will receive instructions.)

**AWARD CRITERIA**

The review committee will rank applications and determine awards according to:

* Strength of the student statement(s) of interest, which will detail the connection between the job description and the academic and/or professional goals of student applicants.
* Clarity and thoroughness of the job description.
* Clarity and cogency of the project description.

**APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS**

Please go to [www.csustan.edu/office-research-sponsored-programs/sersca-opportunities](http://www.csustan.edu/office-research-sponsored-programs/sersca-opportunities) for full application information. Applications are to be scanned and emailed as a single pdf document to orsp@csustan.edu. **The email subject line must read: “SERSCA UGA Application Submission.”**

***Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.***

Award notification will occur by Monday, January 26, 2015.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

Visit **ORSP** online at [www.csustan.edu/orsp](http://www.csustan.edu/orsp) , email orsp@csustan.edu , or call (209) 667-3493.

\* The remainder of the award is allocated to employee benefits.

