

Student Research

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM, June 22

Discussion Moderators: Acting Dean Elaine Marzluff and Associate Dean Mark Levandoski

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- The College is committed to including research in classes with research components and investing in electronic resources.
- Approval of independent study apps for the fall have been delayed.
 - ◆ Over 90 students doing independent studies or MAPs online in the fall
- Proposals will likely change depending on circumstances
- Applications currently only being considered based on merit alone
- MAP will still be semester-long, broken up over the two fall terms or the two spring terms.
- They will be graded midway through the project and at the end of the first term.
- Guided reading/directed research will still be able to be done for two credits
- Summer MAP students are able to apply for continuation of MAP during the fall.
- MAPs will be available for summer term next year.
- MAP applications won't be accepted now. They were due last May.
- Postponed Summer 2020 research projects will be rescheduled based on individual circumstances.
- Research will be split into a Part A and Part B, to allow for credits to be split between terms.
- There are limited opportunities for first years, unless interest is expressed.
 - ◆ (Typically students have to have completed first year of coursework before doing research)
- Students with Spring 2020 MAPs can apply to continue.
- On-campus invitations will not consider MAPs, but rather your coursework in general.
- MAP presentations are still expected, working on ways to modify this
- Hoping to bring back student research symposium in the spring
- No college-sponsored travel rule eliminates possibility for travel to present at conferences
- Virtual conferences are a possibility, College will likely support these opportunities



- Students abroad in the spring will have opportunity to still apply for MAPs at later deadline
- Requirement to present research to attain honors may be more flexible
- December graduates' eligibility to be invited to campus is uncertain