Mitchell Summer Research Scholarships Application Form

Mitchell and other Summer Research Scholarships are awarded to ***declared***physics majors. They are competitive and awarded annually by the Department to rising 3rd and 4th year students. The selection process will be based on submission of this application, a recent academic SIS transcript, and a letter of support from the Physics Department faculty member with whom you will be working. The award amount this year will be $600 per week for up to 10 weeks for fulltime research (to a maximum of $6,000).

**The application (including supporting faculty letter) deadline is February 28th, 2025**

(*Note*! Please fill out this application on the computer and e-mail a PDF file to Beth Guyton ([eko5r@virginia.edu](mailto:eko5r@virginia.edu)).)

Name: Email:

1. Have you declared to be a physics major?
2. In what academic year will you be in 2025-2026?
3. Are you are planning a career in some form of medical science, and have an overall GPA of 3.5 or better? (This would make you eligible for the Bostrom scholarship, improving your overall chance of funding.)
4. Describe why you have chosen to major in physics. How does this relate to your future goals?
5. Describe any extracurricular or research activities that relate to your interest in physics. Feel free to include any other relevant information.
6. Write a description (300 - 500 words) of the research program you plan to work on this summer, and include it with your application (This should be written after consultation with the faculty member you will be working with.)

Attach this application along with

1. An unofficial transcript;
2. A letter of support from the faculty member you will be working with in a single electronic file (scan if necessary).

Send completed application in PDF to Beth Guyton at eko5r@virginia.edu.