

Dr. Cyrus M. McKell Memorial Research Scholarship

This prestigious one-year, \$5000 scholarship recognizes the commitment to scientific research of Dr. Cyrus M. McKell, former Dean of the College of Science at Weber State University. The successful applicant must demonstrate a commitment to undergraduate research during his/her junior or senior year.

Selection Criteria:

- A declared major in one or more of the departments in the College of Science
- A minimum of a 3.0 GPA
- Junior or senior standing during the year of the scholarship
- Full-time enrollment during the year of the scholarship (minimum of 12 hours per semester)
- Enrollment in at least three credit hours of research during the year of the scholarship, selected from the following:
 - BTNY 4800, 4850, 4970
 - CHEM 4800, 4990
 - GEO 4800, 4970
 - MATH 4910
 - MICR 4800
 - PHYS 4800, 4970
 - ZOOL 4800, 4970
- A one- to two-page description of the research project that will be conducted during the year of the scholarship, including a brief review, and annotated bibliography, of the relevant literature.
- A letter of endorsement from a faculty member who has agreed to support the proposed research project. The letter should address the student's ability to carry out the project as outlined and the likelihood that the work could result in a presentation or publication at the regional or national level.

The award may be used for tuition, student fees, course/laboratory fees, and textbooks.