



Oklahoma Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics Program



To be an OK-LSAMP Scholar:

Eligibility Requirements

1. Minimum GPA 3.00
2. US citizen or permanent resident
3. Able to participate in and contribute to program activities
4. Full time student in an approved STEM field (see approved majors below)
5. Demonstrated intent in pursuing investigative studies and a graduate degree in STEM
6. Demonstrated desire to promote the efforts of LSAMP and NSF in underrepresented communities

Specific Requirements for Continued Support

1. Maintain GPA of 3.00
2. Regular class attendance
3. Provide a current class schedule at the beginning of the semester
4. Retain full-time status (Immediate notification of any drop/add changes required)
5. Remain in eligible STEM major (Immediate notification of major change is required)
6. Continued active participation in the required program activities. Any scholar whose participation rate is below 75% may be dismissed from the program the following semester

Required Activities for All Participants

- **Scholars Meetings** – once a month unless specified otherwise
- **Mentoring Component** - Under the guidance of faculty mentors, all scholars are expected to participate in 5-10 hours of research-related experiences per week. Enrollment in 3 hours of departmental Special Problems permitted.
- **Graduate School Preparation** - Scholars will be involved in vigorous preparation for graduate studies. Specific activities will be based on academic classification. By the end of the semester BEFORE you graduate, you are required to submit a minimum of five applications for admission to graduate school.
- **Summer Research Internships** – All scholars will be involved in a two-month summer internship and must present their research at the annual research symposium held at OSU.
- **Occasional leadership, peer-mentoring, or other program activities** - This will not interfere with your academics.
- **Acknowledgement of support by OK-LSAMP and NSF** - (Cooperative Agreement HRD-0902027) in appropriate publications and public events is required. Display of the OK-LSAMP (and NSF if desired) logo on posters and on last slide of PowerPoint Presentations is required. Logos will be provided by the OK-LSAMP office.

<u>Approved STEM Majors</u>		
<p><u>SCIENCES</u></p> <p><u>BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES</u> Agronomy Horticulture Animal Sciences, Microbiology Biology, Molecular Genetics Botany Nutritional Science Cell & Molecular Bio. Physiology Entomology Zoology Forestry Horticulture</p> <p><u>PHYSICAL SCIENCES</u> Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Chemistry Physics Geology Meteorology</p>	<p><u>MATHEMATICS</u></p> <p><u>MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES</u> Mathematics Computer Science Statistics</p> <p><u>INFORMATION SYSTEMS</u></p> <p>Management Information Systems Management Science & Computer Systems</p>	<p><u>TECHNOLOGY & ENGINEERING</u></p> <p>Biosystems Chemical Civil & Environmental Electrical & Computer Industrial Mechanical & Aerospace All Engineering Technologies</p>