

EPSCoR Supervised Undergraduate Research Experiences (SURE)

Answers given by Board of Regents staff in response to questions in response to the SURE Request for Applications (RFA) as of **February 26, 2018**.

Last Day to answer questions: **March 26, 2018**

Proposals Due: April 5, 2018

Question:

Are College of Pharmacy faculty eligible to apply for the Supervised Undergraduate Research Experiences (SURE)?

Answer:

The PI on the application, and if awarded the subsequent contract, must be a faculty mentor in an STEM discipline supported by NSF. However, SURE applications with joint mentors would be considered. For your convenience, I have attached a list of NSF approved STEM fields.

Question:

I was wondering if the April deadline for the SURE proposals is the only deadline or if there is another one in the fall.

Answer:

The April 5 deadline is firm. The Board of Regents is not planning to release another SURE RFP this year.

Question:

Also, when will the applicants find out if they have been awarded? Just wondering if it would be soon enough for a student to begin research this summer.

Answer:

The Board expects to issue notification to all applicants by the beginning of May. This would allow awardees to begin their research experience this summer, if so desired.