**University Scholars Program Requirements**

**Initial Requirement**

**April 7, 2026**

* Attend Program Orientation. Submit reflection activity no later than April 13th.

**Fall Deadlines**

**August 28, 2026**

* Register for research course in mentor’s department

**August 30, 2026**

* Submit Scholar Profile
* Complete required trainings
	+ Mentee 101
	+ RCR for Undergraduates

**November 22, 2026**

* Complete mid-point check-in (Student)
* Complete mid-point evaluation (Faculty Mentor)

**Spring Deadlines**

**January 17, 2027**

* Register for research course in mentor’s department

**Early April 2027**

* Present research poster at the Spring Undergraduate Research Symposium \*

**April 1, 2027**

* Submit research paper requirement (select from the following options) \*
	+ Co-authorship in a professional publication prior to December 2025
	+ Publish in Journal of Undergraduate Research
	+ Research paper in JUR format
		- Choose this option to preserve data for future publication.
	+ Progress report
		- Choose this option if insufficient data yielded for publication.

**April 23, 2027**

* Complete exit survey (Student)

\* Faculty Mentor is required to review paper and poster submissions to ensure work meets the standards of your discipline.