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| **BRANDON UNIVERSITY UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH AWARDS (URSA) SUPERVISOR LETTER OF SUPPORT FORM** | | | |
| **Supervisor’s Name** |  | **Student’s Name** |  |
| **Project Title** |  | | |
| **The Letter of Support Form must be completed and submitted directly to the** [**ORS**](mailto:herrj@brandonu.ca) **by the internal deadline. The form should clearly address the student’s research aptitude and ability. Supervisors who have agreed to supervise more than one student are required to provide a ranking in the section provided below.** | | | |
| **Why do you want to work with this student?** | | | |
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| **Explain the fit of the student with your research program.** | | | |
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| **Explain the fit of the student with the chosen research project.** | | | |
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| **Elaborate on the student’s preparation and skills to conduct research, specifically comment on theoretical and applied skills.** | | | |
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| **Describe on the student’s written, oral, and interpersonal skills.** | | | |
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| **What is the student expected to learn and how they will benefit from the research experience.** | | | |
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| **If the student has received a USRA in the past, describe how the student’s research will progress and build on their previous research and what the anticipated outcomes will be.** | | | |
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| **If you are supervising more than one student, rank clearly.** | | | |
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| **Supervisors must commit to providing supplemental funding to meet PSAC RAII wage requirements. Please identify the source and amount of funds for this salary top-up.** | | | |
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