

## APPLICATION: WCU-CARES

All Sections (I, II, and III below) must be submitted **as a pdf file** to [studentresearch@wcupa.edu](mailto:studentresearch@wcupa.edu) from the faculty mentor's email address by 5:00pm on **Wednesday, November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022**. **Applications that are not submitted from the email address of the faculty mentor will not be considered.**

### I. STUDENT PROFILE

Student Name:

Student Email Address:

Major Department:

Classification:

☐ 1<sup>st</sup> year (freshman)      ☐ 2<sup>nd</sup> year (sophomore)      ☐ 3<sup>rd</sup> year (junior)

☐ 4<sup>th</sup> year (senior)      ☐ other (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

College or School:

☐ Arts & Humanities      ☐ Business & Management      ☐ Education & Social Work

☐ Health Sciences      ☐ Music      ☐ Sciences & Mathematics      ☐ Honors

### II. MENTOR PROFILE

Mentor Name:

Mentor Email:

Mentor Department:

Mentor Signature and Date \_\_\_\_\_

### III. RESEARCH or CREATIVE ACTIVITY DESCRIPTION *(One single-spaced page with 1-inch margins to be completed by the Undergraduate Applicant and edited/proofread by the faculty mentor)*

1. Provide a brief description of your project including (a) background and significance and (b) research or creative activity plan across the Spring semester.

2. Provide a brief explanation of the potential impact the WCU-CARES opportunity could have on your future career aspirations.

#### IV. MENTOR'S EVALUATION *(To be completed by the Faculty Mentor)*

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please rate the student's proficiency, in comparison to other students you have worked with/taught, in the following areas on a scale of 0 (not observed) to 5 (exceptional, top 5%).

Grasp of concepts	0 Not Observed	1 Below Average	2 Average	3 Above Average	4 Outstanding	5 Exceptional
Understanding of research methodology or creative activity process						
Motivation to complete work						
Ability to solve problems						
Imagination and creativity						
Written communication skills						
Oral Communication skills						
Maturity and reliability						
Ability to work independently						
Ability to collaborate with others						
Ability to uphold professional ethics						
<b>TOTAL</b>						

#### V. Summary Mentor Evaluation:

Not recommended ☐

Recommended with some reservations ☐

Highly recommended ☐

Highest recommendation ☐

Mentors name (print) \_\_\_\_\_

Mentor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_