



**THE OHIO STATE
UNIVERSITY**

COLLEGE OF PHARMACY

BSPS Graduation with Distinction Initiation Form

Undergraduate research activities in the College of Pharmacy help students to develop skills in the research process, including development of good questions/hypotheses to explore, planning strategies for testing hypotheses or answering questions, carrying out experiments, analyzing data, and writing results.

Student Name.#: _____

Student ID: _____

Project Title: _____

Name of Faculty Mentor: _____

Faculty Mentor title: _____

Faculty Mentor College/Department: _____

Faculty Mentor Contact email/phone: _____

Please attach a one paragraph description of your project, and list the learning goals you hope to accomplish.

I agree to and understand the following:

- I will be responsible for coordinating regular communication with my Faculty Mentor in order to regularly evaluate the progress of my research project.
- I will communicate with my Academic Advisor if the nature of my research project should change, or if any other notable issues/challenges should arise.
- I will register for PHR 4998 or 4999 for 4-6 credit hours over at least 2 semesters
- I will produce a document summarizing the project and present at either the Denman Undergraduate Research Forum, the College of Pharmacy Research Day, or another approved program.
- I will submit my research project to the OSU Knowledge Bank (kb.osu.edu).
- I am responsible for completing the *BSPS Research Distinction Completion Form* and submitting it to my BSPS Academic Advisor within two weeks of presenting my project.
- Please initial here if you are also a member of the BSPS Honors Program _____.

(Student Signature)

(Date)

Please return this form to your assigned academic advisor