

## Mentor Agreement Form

As the research supervisor of ..... (student submitter's name), I affirm that his/her submitted work is original and that all contributions by other parties are cited and acknowledged. The aforementioned student has my permission to submit this material to the University of Michigan Undergraduate Research Forum for publication in a non-technical research journal.

(Signed)..... Date: .....

Name (print): ..... Email: .....

Department: .....

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