

# Hornet Leadership SCHOLARS Program Application

## Applications due November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024

Applicants must have demonstrated a meaningful interest in leadership development through engagement at the college level including, but not limited to at least one of the following:

- Leadership in academic group work
- Leadership in **student professional organizations**
- Leadership as an elected **Associated Students Board member**
- Leadership as a **Peer-Assisted-Learning facilitator**
- Leadership as a **University “New Student Orientation” Leader**

Applicants must also be willing to meet the following programmatic expectations:

- Weekly in-person meetings during the Spring 2025 semester (Mondays 12-1:15 PM)
- Completion of assigned readings prior to group meetings
- Completion of Responsible Conduct of Research training
- Intermediate deliverables tied to compensation
- Submission of final project proposal (determined jointly by participant and supervising faculty) by May 2025
- Presentation of project poster in May 2025.

Those successfully completing the HLP Scholars experience will receive hourly compensation up to a maximum of \$2700 for their work.

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<b>Name:</b>	<b>Student ID:</b>
<b>Major:</b>	<b>Overall GPA:</b>
<b>Cell Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>
<b>Expected Graduation Date (if known):</b>	

*For demographic data gathering purposes only:*

Ethnic/cultural background:

Are you a first-generation college student?

Pell grant eligible?

**Availability**

*Do you have the time to commit to the Scholars experience?*

**Reference**

Please provide the contact information for at least one CSUS **faculty member** who can speak to your potential for leadership development.

<b>Faculty Member Name:</b>	
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>

**Questions**

1. Leadership is a process that is inclusive and accessible to all people, not just those in an official position. With this in mind, how have you engaged with the process of leadership throughout your own college experiences? What have you most enjoyed about this process?"

2. What leadership skills do you hope to gain through this experience? Why is it personally important to you to further develop these leadership skills?

3. What are your career goals, and how does leadership development fit within your long-term plans?

4. Participants will work independently on the design and development of a project which will positively impact the lives of Sacramento State students or the local community. These projects will be conducted over the Spring semester. Please submit a short (2-3 paragraph) essay outlining your project idea. Be sure to include (1) why you are motivated to work on this project and (2) how it will impact the lives of Sac State students or the local community.