Allport Scholar Award
Examples of Activities in Each Skill Domain
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1. Written Communication Skills
   • Research proposal
   • Research paper/lab report
   • Literature review
   • Honors Thesis
   • APA poster preparation
   • Not a required paper for a class

2. Research Methodology Skills
   • Experimental design
   • Survey/questionnaire development
   • Data collection, analysis and interpretation
   • Learning and using an assessment tool

3. Computer/Technology Skills
   • Novel adaptation of computer programs for research
   • Programming computer software for data collection
   • Use of spreadsheets and data analysis software
   • Creation of graphical representation of data
   • Power point presentation related to research project
   • Web site design

4. Oral Communication Skills
   • Development and presentation of a poster
   • Oral presentation on a research topic
   • Didactic instruction in a classroom setting
   • Teaching assistantship
   • Research experience that involves intense interaction with other people (e.g., focus groups)
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1. Written Communication Skills
   • Literature review
   • Creation of resource materials or other projects
   • Journal of experiences
   • Experience summary paper

2. Applied Experience
   • Documentation of a minimum of 90 hours invested in a community based psychology-related setting.
   • Evidence that learning goals were accomplished
     ▪ supervisor’s assessment
     ▪ final project creation

3. Oral Communication Skills
   • Oral presentation (as part of the experience or about the experience)
   • Advocacy experience
   • Workshop
   • Experience that involves intense interaction with other people