CAROL BECKER MCGAUGH AWARD
DUE DATE: APRIL 5, 2016

Purpose and Criteria:
This award was established in the School of Biological Science in 2003 by Carol Joyce Becker McGaugh and James L. McGaugh. The award will be presented to an undergraduate student completing the junior year or their second to last year of studies for outstanding research in the neurobiology of learning and memory. The purpose of this award is to recognize and reward a student who excels in both scholarship and research, and to support the student in completing research in their senior year.

Awards given: One per year

Eligibility: Must be a UCI undergraduate completing the junior (or second to last) year of studies.

Application:
1) The faculty member who is nominating the student should advise him or her to prepare an application letter as outlined below:
2) The student must prepare a one page letter including:
   - Name
   - Year in school and major
   - Laboratory in which he/she will be working
   - 199 research experience
   - Explanation of what he/she will do in the lab, including methods and techniques to be employed; the purpose of the work; and with whom he/she will work
   - Brief comments on long-term aspirations and how working in the laboratory is important to these goals
   - The faculty member needs to submit a letter of recommendation directly to Naima Louridi.

Submit to: Naima Louridi
nlouridi@uci.edu

Presentation:
The award will be presented at the School of Biological Sciences Honors Convocation on June 12 and will be acknowledged at a reception in the CNLM - TBA.

The award will be $1000. The award is to be used for research and education related expenses that directly benefit the recipient – for example, books, computers, research-associated travel and conference expenses.