Acknowledgment & Support Guidelines

Overview

This document provides guidance on how to properly acknowledge the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI) in your academic and professional work. Students and faculty involved in DUIRI-supported projects, whether through funding, mentorship, or participation in research showcases such as the ISF Symposium or the Undergraduate Research Symposiums (Spring, Summer, or Fall), are encouraged to highlight DUIRI's role. Recognizing this support in papers, presentations, and other communications helps showcase the impact of the program and the broader Purdue research community.

When to Acknowledge DUIRI

You should acknowledge DUIRI when:

- You are participating in a DUIRI session during the Spring, Summer, or Fall semesters.
- DUIRI provides funding, mentorship, or research infrastructure for your project.
- You are presenting your work at the ISF Symposium or at Purdue's Undergraduate Research Symposiums (Spring, Summer, or Fall).
- Your research benefits directly from DUIRI-facilitated collaboration or interdisciplinary engagement.

Standard Acknowledgment Language

For Research Papers, Theses, and Reports:

When referencing DUIRI support in your written work, you may use wording such as:

- "This research was supported by the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI)."
- "This work was made possible through the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI) at Purdue University."

- "This project was supported in part by the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI) and [Other Funding Source]."

For Posters and Presentations:

- Include the DUIRI logo (high-resolution formats will be made available on the DUIRI website).

- In your acknowledgment section, use:

"Support provided by the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI)."

- Optionally, you may also include:

"We thank the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI) for the support that made this project possible."

Poster templates will be available for download on the **DUIRI website resources page**.

Logo Usage Guidelines

- Always include the DUIRI logo in a visible and professional manner on posters, slides, and promotional materials.

- Logo files will be made available through the DUIRI website, and usage guidelines will align with Purdue Brand Studio standards.

- Do not stretch, crop, or recolor the logo.

- Maintain clear space around the logo.

- Place the logo on a neutral or contrasting background for best visibility.

For Websites and Public-Facing Materials

Use:

"Supported by DUIRI at Purdue University."

If posting on social media or in a press release, please tag:

- Hashtag: **#DUIRI**

Acknowledgment   example:
"Grateful for support from the Discovery Undergraduate Interdisciplinary Research Internship (DUIRI) in advancing our undergraduate research on [topic/project]. #DUIRI #PurdueResearch"

Photos & Publicity

We encourage all DUIRI students and faculty to share photos of your **poster sessions, presentations, and project work**. This helps us amplify your achievements through Purdue Research communications.

Questions?

For additional questions about acknowledgment, logo files, poster templates, or publicity opportunities, please contact:

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