# **Undergraduate Research Apprenticeship Contract**

As a research apprentice, I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ agree to the following:

* I will spend an average of three hours per week on the apprenticeship. This includes independent research and related work; meetings with faculty mentor; readings and assignments associated with the Directed Studies; attend orientation and any additional required training opportunities; preparation for ACERS competition.
* My research will adhere to the Laurier policies on Academic and Non-academic Codes of Conduct and Laurier’s Freedom of Expression in relation to Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion principles.
* If conducting research with human participants or human biological material, I will get approval for my project from the university research ethics board before commencing research.
* I will submit a poster, video, or podcast project for the annual ACERS undergraduate research competition (2024 Date TBA – usually end of the winter term)
* I will participate in the internal promotion of the apprenticeship program, i.e., sharing testimonials related to my apprenticeship experience for the Laurier website or social media.

Student signature: Date:

Faculty signature: Date: