Undergraduate students may fulfill the Stony Brook Curriculum's EXP+ learning objectives through a mentored learning activity in which the student applies knowledge and skills acquired within the classroom in real-world and/or laboratory settings and in which insights and skills developed through such experience enhance academic success and professional development. Successful experiential learning requires reflection, mentoring, feedback, critical analysis and synthesis.

**Note:** This form should be completed by the student in close consultation with the faculty mentor or supervisor.

Student name______________________________________   ID#___________________________________________

Student email__________________________ Faculty Sponsor________________________

Faculty Sponsor Department __________________________ Faculty Email __________________________

Non-faculty supervisor (if any) ________________________________ Email __________________________

Course #_____________  Section#_____________________ Year______

Semester: Fall___  Spring___  Summer 1___  Summer 2___

Credit hours requested_________ (1 credit =45 hours effort/semester for 200 level, and =60 hours/semester for 400 level)

Prerequisites completed (if applicable)__________________________________________________________________

What additional training (if any) must student complete prior to enrollment?_____________________________________

Site of research activity (e.g., psychology)_______________________________________________________________

**Project Description:** In 1-3 paragraphs describe the proposed research project, internship, or other learning experience.

**Responsibilities and Structure:** How many hours/week will you work? Who will be your primary on-site supervisor/mentor? Describe your responsibilities.

**Learning Objectives:** What skills/knowledge do you hope to gain from this experience? Check all that apply; describe briefly.

___develop problem solving skills__________________________________________________________

___work independently, setting goals and managing time_______________________________________

___work effectively with a team_____________________________________________________________

___develop communication skills____________________________________________________________

___improve knowledge of your discipline and/or future profession________________________________

___acquire discipline-specific skills (e.g., computer, research skills):______________________________

___other:_________________________________________________________________________________

**Student Reflection:** Describe your goals and responsibilities.

1) How do you expect this activity will contribute to your development--academic, professional, intellectual, other?
2) How do you expect to contribute to the goals of the project? (E.g. What are your specific responsibilities and how many hours per week will you be spending?)

**Student Reflection**: Describe the specific forms in which you will reflect upon and record what you are learning.

1) **During the activity**: How will you record what you are doing and reflect upon what you are learning?  
(e.g., lab notebooks, journal, blog, emails to academic mentor)

2) **At the end of the activity**: How will you synthesize/present outcomes and reflect upon what you have learned? (Final reflection may take the form of a paper, a presentation, or another substantial product that addresses: the skills developed; relevance to your academic studies; insights that changed/confirmed your future professional goals, etc.)

**Monitoring**: How will the academic mentor (and on-site supervisor if applicable) provide feedback?

1) **During the activity**?

2) **At the end of the activity**?

**Research Certification for Sponsor/Mentor**:  
1) Does this EXP+ experience take place in a setting where research involving human or animal subjects is conducted?  
___Yes ___No

2) Will the student be taking part in these research activities? ___Yes ___No

3) If you answered “yes” to #2, please list the active IACUC or CORIHS protocol numbers covering this research and on which the student will be listed. ____________________________________________________________

_________________________________________  ______________________  __________________________________________
Signature of Student          Date          Signature of Faculty Sponsor, Title, Department          Date
Note: Students in Section 01 should submit the completed form with signatures and supporting materials to the UG Director or Coordinator (PSY B, room 117). Otherwise, please submit it to your research advisor.