

Presidential Scholars Educational Plan

Your educational plan is intended to help you structure a curricular and extra-curricular academic experience that will help you fulfill your educational goals.

You may find a blank copy of an educational plan on our website.

You are expected to discuss and submit your plan with your Presidential Scholar Advisor each year. Once it is approved, it should be signed by your advisor then emailed to appliedlearning@potsdam.edu

Section I: GOALS

In this section, please detail your intellectual and academic goals and explain how your educational experience at SUNY Potsdam will lead to your future career goals. Describe the goals of your current project and explain how the completion of your project will enhance your educational experience.

Section II: IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGIES

Explain the details of your project and formulate strategies for achieving your goals. This is your opportunity to tell us about what you need at SUNY Potsdam to be successful, and, within the parameters of the program, we will help you find the resources to make the most of your experience here. You can address things like:

- What disciplines or subject areas would you like to have?
- Do you need to consult faculty from various disciplines?
- If you see gaps in your current curriculum, how will you fill these gaps?
- What kinds of materials or supplies will help you?
- What types of conferences would you hope to attend?
- How do you intend to spend your stipend?

Section III: CURRICULAR AND EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Please explain how you plan to meet the above goals within your major and/or minor while at SUNY Potsdam. Describe how you will incorporate special interests, research projects, and other extra-curricular activities into your academic plans.

Please feel free to seek advice from the Steering Committee at any time.