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# The Center for Undergraduate Research Board of Students

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# About CURBS

•**Mission:** The mission of the Center for Undergraduate Research Board of Students (CURBS) is to help undergraduates become more involved in the research process and to improve the student research experience in existing undergraduate programs.

•**Divisions:**

- Campus Outreach
- Educational Outreach
- Advising Team
- Workshops Team
- Ambassadors

# What's Next?

## **Campus Outreach:**

- Increasing student awareness through respective faculty departments
- Becoming an integrated part of undergraduate research in all majors
- 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Undergraduate Research Expo

## **Peer Advising:**

- Initiating Summer 2017 Office Hours.
- Expanding office hours from 10:40am-3:50pm to 8:30am-3:50pm starting Fall 2017

## **Educational Outreach:**

- Developing year long curriculum to allow expansion into more schools

## **Workshops:**

- Working with other organizations to eliminate redundancies
- Creating diverse workshops with appeal to different majors

# Current Obstacles

- Awareness
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# Ways To Continue Growth

- Having informational handouts distributed to faculty and departments.
- Becoming an actively referred resource by Advising Centers
- Giving presentations and talks to classes
- Being highlighted on department websites and research focused tabs
- Meeting with the Colleges to discuss ways to help undergraduates find research in your college

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