Research Reflection

For each response, please provide specific examples.

- 1. List the key steps of your research experience or creative project.
- 2. Briefly describe your project in terms of what you have learned and how it has expanded or enhanced your undergraduate experience at FSU. How has your research shaped your understanding of the way knowledge evolves?
- 3. Describe the specific skills, knowledge and abilities that you used and new ones you acquired through your project.
- 4. Research is collaboration among people drawing from both previous and current ideas. It involves entering an ongoing conversation in your field of study. Who did you collaborate with on this project and how did the relationship shape your work? How did you contribute to or engage with the ongoing discussion in your field?
- 5. How does your research contribute to the development of your field and how has it prepared you for the next stage of your life and career?
- 6. Research requires you to be adaptable. Briefly describe how you had to adapt to the challenges of your project once it was underway. Were you faced with any unexpected circumstances that had to be addressed, and if so, how did you handle these?
- 7. What did your research reveal to you? Did your hypothesis or initial vision for your project match your findings or final product?

Scores of Satisfactory (S) in each of the four Reflection Criteria must be achieved for the area to be approved. If your reflection is not approved, you have one week to revise and resubmit. You only have one chance to revise. Revisions are only needed for the question(s) scored as Unsatisfactory (U). If your reflection is rejected a second time, you must submit a formal appeal.

Reflection Criteria	Satisfactory (S)	Unsatisfactory (U)
Experiences Q2 and Q3	Experiences and challenges are stated with examples of experiences.	Does not articulate examples of experiences and challenges.
Collaboration Q4	Collaborative aspect is stated including how student built relationships with others and/or situated the project within the field of study.	Collaborative element is not adequately articulated in either area.
Learning Q5 and Q6	Student learning is described including how student utilized skills, new ones acquired and assessment of the final project.	Student learning is not clearly evident and/or is not described in sufficient detail.
Application Q7	How experience will be or has been applied to student's life including post- graduation plans is described and reflection on contributions to the field is included.	How experience contributes to the field and will be or has been applied to student's life are not articulated.