Interested in scholarly research? Apply for the 2021 Scarbrough Summer Research Program in the humanities and social sciences.

The Scarbrough Summer Research Program supports individualized student summer research in the humanities or social sciences. Scarbrough fellows spend ten weeks conducting full-time research on a project designed in collaboration with a faculty sponsor, receiving a stipend up to $3500. The research period is then followed by a fall 2021 directed study in which you will continue to develop your research project along with your faculty mentor.

Often an initial step toward work on a Senior Honors Thesis or toward future graduate study, recipients of a Scarbrough award engage in the kind of collaborative research typical of graduate programs. To be eligible to apply, you must have a cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher and have completed at least 10 regular full-time credits. The application deadline is February 5, 2021.

"Scarbrough represents everything Austin College is about: close relationships with faculty, undergraduate research, and advocating for your own learning." Leslie Erwin ’21, Summer 2020 Scarbrough Fellow

What you will need:

- Intellectual curiosity and the desire to cultivate your research skills
- A research idea that you develop into a formal proposal
- A faculty sponsor who is willing to mentor your project & one other recommender