**COAST Scholars-In-Training Pilot Program**

**AY 2018-19**

**Graduate Student Mentor Application Form**

To apply to be a mentor to a CSU Monterey Bay first or second year undergraduate students during AY 2018-19, please complete and return this form to Beth Pardieck (epardieck@csumb.edu) by **Monday, June 25, 2018, 5:00 p.m. PDT**. If your application is selected for further consideration, a letter of recommendation from your thesis advisor will be requested.

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| First Name: |   |
| Last Name:  |   |
| Email: |   |
| Phone: |   |
| Advisor: |  |
| Home Campus (SJSU, CSUMB, etc.) |  |
| Year began at MLML: |  | Anticipated Graduation Date: |  |
| Working Thesis Title: |  |

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| **Thesis Research Description** Please provide a brief (300-word maximum) description of your overall thesis research. |
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| **Undergraduate Student Activities**1. Please describe the specific aspect of your thesis research the undergraduate student will help with, such as “collecting samples in the field for stomach content analysis” or “lab-based experiments of the effect of temperature on growth rates.”
2. Please list (using bullet points) the specific activities in which the undergraduate student will participate. Examples may include intertidal transect surveys, lab dissection, invertebrate identification, experimental manipulations, etc.
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| **Special Working Conditions**Please list any special or extreme working conditions or requirements, such as the ability to carry 50 lbs., getting wet and dirty, looking through a microscope for extended periods of time, etc.  |
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| **Skills and Experience Gained**Please list the skills and experience you believe the undergraduate student will gain by working with you. Examples include field work, GIS, statistics, invertebrate taxonomy, etc.  |
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| **Desired Characteristics**Please list the personal characteristics or traits you are looking for in an undergraduate student, such as enthusiastic, hard working, resilient, diligent, etc.  |
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| **Interest**Please describe why you are interested in participating in this program.  |
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