

# GEARS PROGRAM

GLOBAL EDUCATION, ACADEMICS & RESEARCH SKILLS

## SIGN UP TO BE A RESEARCH FACULTY MENTOR - ONLINE & CAMPUS OPTIONS

### Program Details

- Professors mentor international students online for a research experience lasting 5 - 8 weeks
- Qualified students are pre-screened
- Professors can request 1- 6 students
- Open to all fields of research
- Winter session starts in January
- Summer session starts in July

### Benefits

- Recruit future graduate students
- Build research links with students from top universities
- Provide current graduate students with supervisory experience
- Advance your own research
- A modest stipend, per student mentored, is provided.

### Faculty Responsibilities

- Provide students with any needed background readings
- Schedule at least one in-person or live video chat per week with your student
- Set up concrete research tasks that they will be able to accomplish
- Introduce them to graduate students who may be supervising their work
- Set up guidelines for communication and a calendar of online meetings, deadlines, etc.
- Write a short, final evaluation of your students' research experience

### Register as a Faculty Mentor

<https://go.ncsu.edu/gears-faculty>



### For More Information

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