

Undergraduate Student Research Opportunities

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At Northeastern, there are several programs at both the university and college-level intended to support [student research](#). In addition to course credit and work-study, students can also volunteer their time, or develop research-based co-ops. Currently, several faculty members and projects associated with the English department are actively recruiting for paid and volunteer research assistants. Hiring takes place at the beginning of each semester. For more details, please feel free to reach out directly to the faculty members on this list or contact the [Undergraduate Program Director](#).

Early Caribbean Digital Archive

Project involves writing headnotes, assisting with online exhibit creation, and database curation. Coding experience not necessary.

URL: <http://ecdaproject.org/>

Supervising Faculty: Professors Nicole Aljoe and Elizabeth Maddock Dillon

How to Apply: Contact Professor Aljoe, n.aljoe@northeastern.edu.

Viral Texts Project

URL: <http://viraltxts.org>

Supervising Faculty: Professor Ryan Cordell

How to Apply: Contact Professor Cordell, r.cordell@northeastern.edu.

The Women Writers Project

A variety of research opportunities including research on women writers, research on text encoding projects and digital humanities, and research on early women of color.

URL: <http://dsg.neu.edu/projects/>

Supervising Faculty: Professor Julia Flanders

How to Apply: Contact Professor Flanders, j.flanders@northeastern.edu.

Snell Library's Digital Scholarship Group (DSG)

Various opportunities

URL: <http://dsg.neu.edu/>

Supervising Faculty: Various faculty from English and other departments

How to Apply: Contact Professor Flanders, j.flanders@northeastern.edu.

Jessica Mitford: British Aristocrat, American Communist, & Queen of the Muckrakers

A wide range of research assistance needed, from history to photographs to everything in-between.

URL: N/A

Supervising Faculty: Professor Carla Kaplan

How to Apply: Contact Professor Kaplan, c.kaplan@northeastern.edu.

Thoreau's Journal

Creating an online, searchable and annotatable database of all the drawings in Henry David Thoreau's journal. Students interested in learning some fundamentals about database-building are encouraged to apply, as well as Thoreau fans and those interested in visual culture and/or ecological/environmental issues. Students must be eligible for Work-Study.

URL: Pending

Supervising Faculty: Professor Kathleen Kelly

How to Apply: Contact Professor Kelly, k.kelly@northeastern.edu.

Natural Language Jury Instructions

URL: N/A

Supervising Faculty: Professor Janet Randall

How to Apply: Contact Professor Randall j.randall@northeastern.edu.