







2018-2019 **Faculty Mentor Application**

Deadline: 5 pm, October 1, 2017

Faculty members who conduct biomedical research, broadly defined, are invited to become CSUN BUILD PODER mentors. This program will introduce mentors to an innovative framework, Critical Race Theory, and explain how the theory translates into mentoring practices with BUILD PODER students. Mentors will participate in training and certification. In addition to travel funds and some shared financial resources, BUILD PODER mentors will receive \$3,000 for 1 student, \$4,000 for 2 students or \$5,000 for 3 students, the maximum number mentees allowed. BUILD PODER mentors are expected to spend a minimum of 5+ hours per week in direct contact with each student (1:1, lab meetings, data collection, and mentoring meetings). BUILD PODER mentors are encouraged to invite their own students to apply to BUILD PODER, but may also be matched with other students.

Mentor Name: _____

Campus and Department:

Phone: ______ E-mail: _____

I understand that the person named above will receive compensation for mentoring NIH BUILD PODER students.

Signature of Chair, date

What to send:

- 1) This cover sheet, completed with chair signature
- 2) Current NIH biosketch (grants.nih.gov, Forms and Applications)
- 3) A description of your biomedically relevant STEM research opportunity with a maximum of 500 words:
 - (a) Purpose/context, (b) Research questions or hypotheses, (c) Method, (d) Analytic process,
 - (e) Roles students can play at sophomore, junior, senior levels, (f) Conferences typically attended,
 - (g) Other information that is pertinent to students selecting your research experience

Send all materials in one PDF to: buildpoder@csun.edu

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