



Franta Chemistry Award Application for  
Chemistry & Biochemistry/Molecular Biology Majors

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

WITT ID# \_\_\_\_\_

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The Franta Chemistry Award is supported by a generous donation by Virginia Ellis Franta to provide financial assistance to the Department of Chemistry, its students, and faculty. The purpose of this fund is to provide annual support for student and faculty research or to help with immediate financial needs as determined by the Chemistry Department. The Chemistry Department has decided to use a portion of the Virginia Ellis Franta Fund to assist students who need financial support to pay for educational expenses at Wittenberg University. Each funding request received is evaluated based primarily on financial need, but years completed, departmental involvement, and identification with historically under-represented groups are also considered. Awards are given as a single award.

**Deadline for Applications**

Fall Semester – Friday, October 20, 2023

Spring Semester – Friday, February 23, 2024

**Required Information**

*Please explain the circumstance or reason that you are requesting assistance from the Franta Chemistry Award.*

**Amount Requested \$** \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Award amounts vary from \$500 to \$7,500 per semester*

*Students applying for the Franta Chemistry Award should contribute to the Chemistry department of Biochemistry/Molecular Biology program. Please describe any contributions to these areas (i.e. teaching assistants, math workshop tutor, Chemistry Club, etc.). If you identify as a member of a historically under-represented group, including as a first-generation college student, indicate that here as well.*

**Certification Statement:** By submitting this application, I am authorizing the Faculty in the Chemistry or Biochemistry/Molecular Biology Departments along with the Director of Financial Aid to review my academic record, my statements, and financial aid awards to determine funding eligibility. I certify that the information that I have supplied through this application is true and accurate. Only the Chemistry Department Chair and the Director of Financial Aid will view this information.

**Student Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

*Please submit this application to Dr. Ray Dudek ([rdudek@wittenberg.edu](mailto:rdudek@wittenberg.edu)), Chemistry Chair.*