NATURA Student Research Award Outputs

About the outputs

Students should plan for specific, concrete products or outcomes, which might include but are not limited to: blog posts or summary papers, podcasts, academic publications or presentations, focused reports, webinar or live presentations based on their research. Students will become members of the NATURA Early-Career Network, and serve as ambassadors for future research award years.

Expected outputs

- Student to join the NATURA Early-Career Network
    - Our Early-Career Network is a great opportunity to be in contact with like-minded individuals, share about experiences, and stay up to date on relevant opportunities.
- ½ page summary of their research and outcomes
    - The Student Research Award Summary is an opportunity to share details of the student's research and outcomes. This summary will be shared broadly with NATURA Network members through our website, to provide an example of a previous award to those considering participation, and used in official NATURA annual reporting.
    - The summary should include: 1) general information about the student's research (including title); 2) statement of the objectives and how NATURA funding was used in their research; 3) a summary of the main findings of research; and 4) primary outputs from the research (to include publications and other forms of dissemination). The summary should not exceed 1 page in length (i.e., 300-500 words). The submission deadline: no later than 4 weeks after the research ends.
- Deliver a ~10-15-minute presentation on their research at a NATURA webinar no longer than three months after they have completed their research
    - This presentation will be an opportunity for NATURA Network members to

become familiar with your research while it is fresh on your mind. Similar to

the summary, it will also allow for interested members to hear more about how NATURA funds can be used.

● Create and present a poster or short slideshow at the next NATURA All-Hands Meeting after their research ends
  ○ This product will be an opportunity for NATURA Network members to become familiar with your research in another format. Similar to the summary, it will also allow for interested members to hear more about how NATURA funds can be leveraged. What makes this different from the webinar presentation is that we have much more engagement in our All-Hands Meetings which means a broader audience will be reached and this will occur after you have had more time to reflect on your research.
● + any products already stated in the proposal and/or mutually agreed upon by the student and NATURA.

Encouraged outputs

● Create one of the following products for a general audience:
  ○ Participate in/develop a Future Cities Podcast episode that details the research ○ Write up a blog page or public article on the research and your findings