

Center for Community Engagement, Learning & Leadership

Louisiana State University Center for Community Engagement, Learning, and Leadership Checklist for Community-Engaged Research (CER) Designation

This rubric will be used to determine if your research project qualifies as community-engaged so that students can log hours on the project and have them count toward CCELL's Engaged Citizen Program graduation distinction requirements. Please use this checklist to be sure your application conveys the following information:

Project design:

_____ Research addresses a community-identified need (campus, local, regional, global)

_____ Project involves reciprocity between course and community that can increase student civic awareness and engagement

_____ Research has a community partner(s) who is/are: a non-profit organization, governmental agency, PreK-12 school, philanthropic arm of a for-profit organization, or other initiative approved by CCELL

Project includes plans for assessing how well community need has been met

_____ Research hours the student will provide directly benefit the community partner