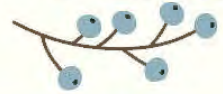


# HEALTH CAREERS PROGRAM DECEMBER NEWSLETTER



## About Us



The Health Careers Program of Spelman College was initiated in 1971 to advance more and better-qualified young women into the professional and allied health professional schools of medicine, dentistry, osteopathy, optometry, podiatry, pharmacy, veterinary medicine, and graduate health programs. Since 1970, the College has been successful in assisting well over 800 of its students in gaining admission to many prestigious professional and allied health professional institutions.

## What we do?

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# UPCOMING EVENTS



## December 3rd

### Peer Mentor Session

Calling all first-years and sophomores! These group sessions are designed for students to hear from trained upperclassman some tips to be successful at Spelman on their pre-health journey. This event begins at 11:00 AM.



## December 5th

### Kaplan On-Boarding

This event starts at 12:00 pm EST. The Kaplan Course provides an opportunity for students to prepare for the MCAT. Students can learn with expert teachers and study with confidence through access to practice materials. [Watch the recording here.](#)



## December 16th

### LECOM Presentation

Our partner schools Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine is hosting an online presentation titled: What is Osteopathic medicine, and how do rotations and residencies work? at 10 am ET. Register Here: [LECOM Presentation Registration](#)



## December 16th

### University of Michigan

Join us on Monday, December 16th at 12:00 PM to learn more about the University of Michigan Leaders in Environmental Health and Diversity (LEAD) Summer Research Experience



# UPCOMING EVENTS

## ❄️ Summer Program Virtual Open House on Dec. 10th

### Harvard Summer and Post-baccalaureate Programs Virtual Open House

The Harvard Kenneth C. Griffin Graduate School of Arts and Sciences will host a virtual open house from 5 - 7pm surrounding post-bacc and summer programs. Students will learn about how to put together a competitive application for summer and post-bacc programs, learn about summer and post-bacc programs at Harvard and how to tailor your application to each program of interest, and connect with program representatives. The open house consists of two sections, the admissions panel and program breakout rooms. Register to attend with this [link](#).



**HARVARD** Kenneth C. Griffin  
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SCIENCES

## ❄️ Summer Program Opportunity due JAN. 21st, 2025

### American Heart Association Supporting Undergraduate Research Experiences (AHA SURE) Summer Program at Boston University

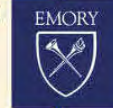
Are you a full-time rising sophomore, junior, or senior undergraduate with exemplary academic performance? The AHA SURE program is designed to provide transformative research opportunities, especially for students from groups historically underrepresented in medicine and health sciences, as defined by the National Institutes of Health (NIH). Program Benefits: \$6,000 stipend, on-campus housing, travel costs to Boston, and attendance at an AHA scientific meeting. For more information, please scan the QR code or contact Teresa Acosta, [tacosta@bu.edu](mailto:tacosta@bu.edu). Apply with this [link](#).



## ❄️ Summer Program Opportunity due JAN. 30th, 2025

### Emory University School of Medicine & the Rollins School of Public Health: Health Professions Readiness Education Program (HPREP)

Emory University School of Medicine hosts an 8 week health related summer program targeted towards undergraduate and graduate scholars. This program has an emphasis on participants who are first-generation as well as low-income. Benefits of this program include networking with healthcare providers, MCAT or GRE prep, professional development opportunities, public health seminars and project, tuition free with a \$1,000+ stipend. The application is open and closes Jan. 30, 2025. Attend the virtual information session on December 5th from 5-6 pm with this [link](#). Learn more information and apply with this [link](#).



# NOVEMBER RECAP



**Missed a Lunch and Learn? Listen here!**



## **Transitioning to Nursing School with Emory Nursing**

[https://spelman.zoom.us/rec/share/SqifVgubulw2yhyTIXZUpPRXpU7gJX2xj3oGG7DpDiueVvUvMjOf77X2LkAMGSVx.wV2cdB5KjvDBx\\_g0](https://spelman.zoom.us/rec/share/SqifVgubulw2yhyTIXZUpPRXpU7gJX2xj3oGG7DpDiueVvUvMjOf77X2LkAMGSVx.wV2cdB5KjvDBx_g0)

## **Medical School Admissions Process with University of Rochester**

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## **Public Health Career Pathways: Boston University School of Public Health**

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## **Approaches to Health Disparities and Summer Program Opportunities at UCONN**

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## **Demystifying Georgetown Post-Bacc Programs: Finding Your Path to Medicine**

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## **Becoming a Clinical Nurse Leader at RUSH University Nursing**

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# NOVEMBER RECAP



## ABRCMS

### Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minoritized Scientists

Some of our Spelman students attended and presented research at ABRCMS (Annual Biomedical Research Conference for Minoritized Scientists) in Pittsburgh, PA. Students were also able to present virtually. They got an opportunity to learn about different research in their field of interest; along with networking with recruiters and medical schools. And a big CONGRATULATIONS to our Spelmanites for the awards they won at the conference! We are so proud!



## HCOPPP Health Fair

### 2024 Adrienne Bauduit HCOPPP Scholar Annual Health Fair

The 13th Annual A. Bauduit Health Career Opportunities Pipeline Preparation Program (HCOPPP) Scholars Health Fair is designed to enhance the health literacy of the Spelman Community especially around diseases and disorders that disproportionately impact people of African descent. For the past 10 years we also have incorporated student capstone projects from the Introduction to Health Science Course. This year, students presented nonprofit pitches addressing health disparities, showcasing their creativity and dedication to making a difference. Also present were representatives from the Health Careers Club, Minority Association of Pre-Medical Students (MAPS), Pre-Nursing Organization, Operation Smile, the National Association of Black Physical Therapists (NABPT), Alpha Epsilon Delta (AED) Honor Society, Mc Nair Scholars, and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated.



# NOVEMBER RECAP

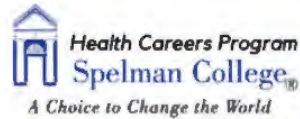


## ABRCMS



## HCOPPP Health Fair





**Calling all Juniors, Seniors, and South Carolina residents interested in Medicine, Dentistry, Nursing, and Allied Health Professions**

**The Spelman College Health Careers Program has a recruitment trip for you!**



**Where?**

Medical University of South Carolina  
(MUSC)

**When?**

Travel Dates: February 21-22, 2025

**Cost?**

\$50.00 (due to the Health Careers Office, Tapley 126).  
Monday-Thursday  
10am-12pm, 2pm-4pm

The fee covers transportation, lodging, and conference registration

**Students must be registered with the Health Careers Program**

**REGISTER HERE TODAY!**

Registration Deadline:  
**February 1, 2025**

**Seating is Limited!**



# POST-BACC & GAP YEAR OPPORTUNITIES

If you are interested in taking a gap year before attending professional school, it is important to know which type of program is best for your academic record. Please view this Zoom recording to learn more.

[WATCH: Demystifying Georgetown Post-Bacc Programs - Finding Your Path to Medicine](#)

## [Duke University School of Medicine](#)

The Duke University School of Medicine offers an innovative full-time 10-month professional master's degree: the Master of Biomedical Sciences program. This program prepares students to be highly competitive candidates for medicine, related health professions, and other biomedical careers. The curriculum integrates graduate level human biological sciences with skill development in critical thinking, communication and teamwork.

## [Drexel University College of Medicine \(MCAT Required\)](#)

The Drexel University College of Medicine delivers an extensive 2 year Master of Science in Biomedical Studies degree. This degree enables students to enhance their skills and deepen their knowledge. It provides insight into the coursework typical of medical school and helps students prepare for the MCAT. Applicants are required to submit their MCAT scores as part of the application process.

## [Rutgers School of Graduate Studies Health Sciences Campus - Newark](#)

This program gives students the opportunity to take professional school classes, gain clinical experience, and receive one-on-one academic advisement. It is both on-site and online, and can be either 12 or 24 months, depending if you partake in the pre-medical, pre-dental, or biomedical research track. All standardized test scores, GRE, MCAT, and DAT are optional to submit and admissions are on a rolling bases.

## [Southern Illinois University School of Medicine](#)

The Southern Illinois University School of Medicine offers a one year program where upon completion students receive a Master's Degree in Biomedical Sciences (BMS) degree. This program enhances students' skills for the MCAT through a variety of courses, particularly within the MEDPREP program, which is designed for those preparing for medical and dental school.

The titles of programs are clickable!



## POST-BACC & GAP YEAR OPPORTUNITIES

### Wright State University Pre-Med Studies Advanced Undergraduate Certificate

Wright State University offers a program designed for motivated undergraduate students eager to pursue careers in medicine, dentistry, and other healthcare fields. The program features a two-year Core Studies option and a one-year Advanced Studies option. Upon completion, students are awarded a post-baccalaureate certificate in pre-medical studies.

### Georgetown University Special Master's Program in Physiology and Biophysics

The Georgetown University Special Master's Program equips students to enhance their competitiveness for medical school. Participants are introduced to medical school coursework at the Georgetown School of Medicine. The program is one-year in duration and upon completion participants receive a Masters of Science in Physiology and Biophysics.

### Barry University Masters of Science in Biomedical Science

Barry University College of Health and Wellness offers a rigorous 12-month (three-semester) program designed to prepare dedicated students on the dental or medical track. The school emphasizes strong academic performance in undergraduate science prerequisites and advanced science coursework. Upon completing the program, students earn a Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences degree.

### Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science

Rosalind Franklin University of Medicine and Science offers a 10-month program that culminates in a Master of Science degree in Biomedical Sciences. This program enhances students' competitiveness as applicants and introduces them to coursework at the medical school level. Also, it provides valuable insights into the medical field, helping students develop the necessary skills and knowledge for their future careers in healthcare.

The titles of programs are clickable!

## POST-BACC & GAP YEAR OPPORTUNITIES

### [Morehouse School of Medicine APEX and Masters of Science in Medical Sciences \(MSMS\) Degree Programs](#)

The Academically Prepared for EXcellence (APEX) program is a post-undergraduate pathway to Morehouse School of Medicine. This is a 10 week program for economically disadvantaged students, to prepare them for medical school. The MSMS degree program aims to enhance students' qualifications for medical school by offering advanced courses and MCAT prep. Upon completion participants receive a Master of Science in Medical Sciences Degree.

### [Philadelphia College of Medicine Philadelphia, PA and Suwanee, GA Campuses](#)

The Philadelphia College of Medicine offers a Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences program. This program is targeted towards students interested in medical, biotechnological, research and clinical applications, with a focus on whole-person health. Its main goal is to aid students with skills to be successful in medical school or other scientific careers. Upon completion, students will receive a Master of Science in Biomedical Sciences Degree.

### [The Ohio State University College of Medicine MEDPATH Program](#)




This program is a one-year medical careers pathway post baccalaureate program (MEDPATH). The main purpose is to enhance the number of students from economically disadvantaged backgrounds who graduate from medical school. To apply to this program, you must apply through the AMCAS application. Once submitted, the MEDPATH application is available by invitation only to those who meet specific criteria for qualification.

### [George Mason University and Georgetown University Medical Center](#)

The Advanced Biomedical Sciences (ABS) graduate certificate program is offered jointly between George Mason University and Georgetown University Medical Center. Its duration is nine months and is a graduate-level program that prepares students to become more competitive for health professional schools like medical or dental. Students also receive guidance on improving their MCAT. The program can be offered both on site and virtual.

The titles of programs are clickable!

# WINTER BREAK BLUEPRINT: GETTING AHEAD ON YOUR PRE-HEALTH JOURNEY!

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1. Work on your personal statement
  2. Gather Recommendations
    - a. Reach out to potential letter writers and provide them with information about your goals.
  3. Apply to summer programs
  4. Gain Clinical Experience
    - a. Shadowing: Arrange to shadow healthcare professionals in your desired field to observe patient care and gain real-world insight.
    - b. Volunteering: Volunteer at hospitals, clinics, nursing homes, or community health programs to gain hands-on exposure.
  5. Network with Mentors and Professionals
    - a. Informational Interviews: Reach out to healthcare professionals or alumni for advice and insights about their careers.
    - b. Connect with Advisors: Use the break to meet with pre-health advisors and plan your academic path or discuss your application timeline.
  6. Engage in Community Service
    - a. Volunteer at food banks, shelters, or organizations serving underprivileged communities. These experiences show your commitment to helping others and align with healthcare values.

# "WINTER BREAK BLUEPRINT: GETTING AHEAD ON YOUR PRE-HEALTH JOURNEY!"




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**Winter break is the perfect time to recharge while also making meaningful progress toward your pre-health goals!**



**CHECK OUT THE REST OF THE  
NEWSLETTER FOR SUMMER PROGRAM  
OPPORTUNITIES FOR FIRST-YEARS,  
SOPHOMORES, AND JUNIORS**

# University of Michigan Summer Research Experience in Environmental Health Sciences (LEAD Program)

Focus of LEAD Program in Environmental Health Sciences:

Spend 8 weeks conducting research at one of the top research universities in the U.S.

Participate in cutting-edge research in Environmental health Sciences: for example, fundamentals of the research process, air pollution monitoring, water and wastewater disease surveillance, epigenetics and toxicology, climate change, toxicology and cancer disparities, noise pollution monitoring, occupational health, environmental epidemiology.

Participate in professional development, scientific writing, translational research and community engagement opportunities.

*Environmental Health Sciences* is the study of how the environment - from toxic agents to built environment - adversely impacts human health. We uncover and address the chemical, biological, physical, and psychosocial issues shaping human and environmental health.



## Faculty Research Topics

Participant Benefits

Professional Development and Academic Training

Experiential Learning Opportunities

Innovative Public Health Research Opportunities

\$ 4,500 Stipend  
Travel to and from the University of Michigan  
On-Campus Housing and Meal Plan  
Access to Campus Libraries and Recreational Facilities

Applications now open!  
Deadline: January 31, 2025



### Applicant Criteria:

- U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident
- Be a rising junior or rising senior in college by June 2025
- Demonstrate community engagement and leadership qualities
- Be interested in graduate studies in the environment, health, and STEM fields

### Materials Needed to Apply:

- Unofficial Transcript
- Resumé or Curriculum Vitae (CV)
- Two letters of Recommendation:
  - Faculty Member or Research Advisor in a STEM field
  - Community Member

Scan the QR Code to Apply

OR  
[APPLY HERE](#)





## Translational Research Immersion Program

May 27 – August 1, 2025

Join us at the University of Pennsylvania for a 10-week mentored summer research experience in clinical and translational science with the potential for extended year-round research opportunities.

Learn more and apply at our [website](#) by **Feb 2, 2025**.

### Questions? Contact:

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 Colleen Itani, MFA  
[citani@upenn.edu](mailto:citani@upenn.edu)



As we enter the holiday season, give the gift of mentorship by sharing our program with someone you might know who dreams of a future career helping their community through health sciences.

The MCW Office of Student Inclusion and Diversity offers exciting summer programs to support, advise, and guide you in reaching these goals. With our dedicated and passionate team including scientists, physicians, and mentors, we aim to provide you with engaging and challenging experiences in a nurturing environment where you can grow and thrive academically.

### Malika Siker, MD

Associate Dean for Student Inclusion and Diversity  
 Professor, Department of Radiation Oncology

**From FAQs to your First Day, the MCW team empowers you to achieve more in preparing for a medical education.**

*"The 10-week period was long enough for me to become independent and feel comfortable working in the lab."*

– Program Participant

### Featured FAQ:

#### How will DSHREP aid my career in biomedical science?

*The summer spent in DSHREP allows you to appreciate the relationship between research and medicine. The professional development sessions can be life lessons that help you position yourself favorably for future endeavors.*

**DSHREP is a competitive program designed to provide research opportunities for undergraduate and graduate students from backgrounds that are historically underrepresented in biomedical science, including individuals from disadvantaged backgrounds, underrepresented cultural and ethnic groups, and individuals with disabilities.**

[View our Program Brochure](#)

[Click here to apply by 5:00 p.m. CST on FEBRUARY 1, 2025](#)



## Cooper Medical School of Rowan University

### PREMEDICAL URBAN LEADERS SUMMER ENRICHMENT (PULSE) PROGRAM SUMMER 2025

Explore careers, gain clinical skills, and broaden your knowledge of medicine and science this summer at

Cooper Medical School of Rowan University's 2025 Premedical Urban Leadership Summer Enrichment (PULSE) Program. The primary goal of the program is to provide students from underrepresented and/or educationally and financially disadvantaged backgrounds exposure to medical professions.

PULSE runs five full days per week for six weeks. College credit is not offered for PULSE, however, the educational enrichment and experiences are invaluable.

#### Program Outline

PULSE offers three phases designed to serve students at all stages of undergraduate education. Program highlights include coursework in basic sciences and one of the following: service learning, hospital volunteering or biostatistics and research. Placement of students in Phases I, II, or III will be based on completed courses and academic performance.

#### PULSE GENERAL ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Applicants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents
- Completed one year of college (by the start of program) and the following coursework:
  - At least one semester of biology or chemistry
  - One semester of math
  - One semester of expository writing or college composition
- GPA requirement (Overall and Science GPA):
  - Phase I: 3.0 or higher
  - Phase II: 3.2 or higher
  - Phase III: 3.3 or higher



Program website and application:  
<https://cmsru.rowan.edu/diversity/undergrad/>

For additional questions, please contact:

Taruna Chugeria  
Director for Pathway programs & Diversity Initiatives  
[chugeria@rowan.edu](mailto:chugeria@rowan.edu)

**2025 PULSE Dates:**  
**June 2 - July 11, 2025**  
**Application Release**  
**Date: November 4, 2024**

# SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS FOR FIRST YEARS

## SHPEP

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 2.5 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 6 WEEKS**
- CURRENTLY ENROLLED AS A FRESHMAN, SOPHOMORE, OR JUNIOR IN COLLEGE.
- HAS DEMONSTRATED AN INTEREST IN ISSUES AFFECTING UNDERSERVED POPULATIONS.
- SUBMITS A COMPELLING PERSONAL STATEMENT AND A STRONG LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION.
- STIPEND INCLUDED
- APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 5 (11:59 PM EST)
- [HTTPS://WWW.SHPEP.ORG/](https://www.shpep.org/)

## STEM SUMMER SCHOLARS INSTITUTE

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: NO MIN GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: MAY 27, 2025–AUGUST 1, 2025**
- 10-WEEK RESEARCH PROJECT
- WEEKLY SEMINAR SERIES
- SOCIAL AND MENTORING ACTIVITIES WITH MD/PHD STUDENTS
- STIPEND & HOUSING INCLUDED
- [HTTPS://MEDICINE.UIOWA.EDU/MSTP/SUMR/INFORMATION](https://medicine.uiowa.edu/mstp/sumr/information)

## AGA-AMAN ARMAAN AHMED FAMILY SURF FOR SUCCESS PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: NO MIN GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 10 WEEKS**
- STIPEND INCLUDED
- GASTROENTEROLOGY AND HEPATOLOGY FOCUSED
- [HTTPS://GASTRO.ORG/RESEARCH-AND-AWARDS/APPLY-FOR-AWARDS/AWARD/AGA-AMAN-ARMAAN-AHMED-FAMILY-SUMMER-UNDERGRADUATE-RESEARCH-FELLOWSHIP-SURF/](https://gastro.org/research-and-awards/apply-for-awards/award/aga-aman-armaan-ahmed-family-summer-undergraduate-research-fellowship-surf/)

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# SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS FOR FIRST YEARS

## CANCER RESEARCH IMMERSION STUDENT PROGRAM (CRISP)

- **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: N/A**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: EIGHT WEEKS**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **MENTORSHIP IN CANCER RESEARCH**
- **MCAT AND GRE WORKSHOPS**
- **[HTTPS://WWW.MSM.EDU/CANCERHEALTHEQUITYINSTITUTE/SUMMERPROGRAMS.PHP](https://www.msm.edu/cancerhealthequityinstitute/summerprograms.php)**

## PITTSBURGH UNDERGRADUATE DIVERSITY RESEARCH PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 2.5 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 8-10 WEEKS**
- **NETWORKING EVENTS**
- **HANDS-ON LAB EXPERIENCES**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **[HTTPS://VMI.PITT.EDU/TRAINING/PURDIP/](https://vmi.pitt.edu/training/purdip/)**

## SUMMER UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: N/A**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: JUNE 9TH - AUGUST 1ST**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **ASSIGNED A MENTOR**
- **TRAIN UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE RESEARCH**
- **[HTTPS://WWW.UNC.EDU/GRADUATESCHOOL/SURE/SURE\\_OVERVIEW.HTML](https://www.unc.edu/graduateschool/sure/sure_overview.html)**

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# SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS FOR FIRST YEARS

## YALE SUMMER ENRICHMENT MEDICAL ACADEMY

- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 2.5 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: SIX WEEKS**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **IMPROVE SUCCESS IN UPPER-DIVISION SCIENCE COURSES**
- **MEDICAL WORKSHOPS**
- **[HTTPS://MEDICINE.YALE.EDU/DICE/ENGAGEMENT/PATHWAY-PROGRAMS/YSEMA/](https://medicine.yale.edu/dice/engagement/pathway-programs/ysema/)**

## SUMMER UNDERGRADUATE INTERNSHIP PROGRAM (SUIP)

- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 3.0**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 10 WEEKS**
- **MATCHED WITH PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR**
- **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOPS**
- **GRADUATE SCHOOL PREPARATION SEMINARS**
- **LABORATORY WORK**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **[HTTPS://WWW.MED.UPENN.EDU/IDEALRESEARCH/SUIP/](https://www.med.upenn.edu/idealresearch/suip/)**

## LSU HEALTH SHREVEPORT MCAT COURSE

- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 3.5 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: JUNE 2-JULY 11**
- **KAPLAN REFERENCE**
- **COURSE REVIEW: BIOLOGY, PHYSICS, MATH, BIOCHEM, GEN. CHEM, ORGO.CHEM, ETC.**
- **[HTTPS://FORMS.LSUHS.EDU/FORMS/MCATP/REP](https://forms.lsuhs.edu/forms/mcatp/rep)**

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# SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS FOR FIRST YEARS

## MICHIGAN HEALTH SCIENCES UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH ACADEMY

- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 3.0 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 10 WEEKS**
- **BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH**
- **UMICHIGAN HOUSING**
- **PROFESSIONAL MENTORSHIP**
- **[HTTPS://WWW.MICHIGANMEDICINE.ORG/DIVERSITY-EQUITY-INCLUSION/STUDENTS-PATHWAYS/UNDERGRADUATE-DEI-PROGRAMS](https://www.michiganmedicine.org/diversity-equity-inclusion/students-pathways/undergraduate-dei-programs)**

## LSU UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 3.3 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: JUNE 2-JULY 27**
- **EXPOSURE TO BASIC AND CLINIC SCIENCE RESEARCH**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **HOSUING FOR ELIGIBLE (NON LOCAL) STUDENTS**
- **DEADLINE: FEB. 1ST, 2025**
- **[HTTPS://FORMS.LSUHS.EDU/FORMS/UNDERGRADUATE-RESEARCH-APPRENTICESHIP-PROGRAM](https://forms.lsuhs.edu/forms/undergraduate-research-apprenticeship-program)**

## FEINSTEIN SUMMER RESEARCH INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: N/A**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 8 WEEKS**
- **DISEASE ORIENTED RESEARCH**
- **INTERNS MATCHED WITH RESEARCH FACULTY**
- **WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **[HTTPS://FEINSTEIN.NORTHWELL.EDU/EDUCATION/SUMMER-STUDENT-INTERN-PROGRAM](https://feinstein.northwell.edu/education/summer-student-intern-program)**

# SUMMER ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS FOR SOPHOMORES

## SHPEP

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 2.5 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 6 WEEKS**
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- STIPEND INCLUDED
- APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 5 (11:59 PM EST)
- [HTTPS://WWW.SHPEP.ORG/](https://www.shpep.org/)

## STEM SUMMER SCHOLARS INSTITUTE

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: NO MIN GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: MAY 27, 2025–AUGUST 1, 2025**
- 10-WEEK RESEARCH PROJECT
- WEEKLY SEMINAR SERIES
- SOCIAL AND MENTORING ACTIVITIES WITH MD/PHD STUDENTS
- STIPEND & HOUSING INCLUDED
- [HTTPS://MEDICINE.UIOWA.EDU/MSTP/SUMR/INFORMATION](https://medicine.uiowa.edu/mstp/sumr/information)

## AGA-AMAN ARMAAN AHMED FAMILY SURF FOR SUCCESS PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: NO MIN GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 10 WEEKS**
- STIPEND INCLUDED
- GASTROENTEROLOGY AND HEPATOLOGY FOCUSED
- [HTTPS://GASTRO.ORG/RESEARCH-AND-AWARDS/APPLY-FOR-AWARDS/AWARD/AGA-AMAN-ARMAAN-AHMED-FAMILY-SUMMER-UNDERGRADUATE-RESEARCH-FELLOWSHIP-SURF/](https://gastro.org/research-and-awards/apply-for-awards/award/aga-aman-armaan-ahmed-family-summer-undergraduate-research-fellowship-surf/)

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- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: N/A**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: JUNE 16- AUGUST 8**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **MENTORSHIP IN CANCER RESEARCH**
- **MCAT AND GRE WORKSHOPS**
- **[HTTPS://WWW.MSM.EDU/CANCERHEALTHEQUITYINSTITUTE/SUMMERPROGRAMS.PHP](https://www.msm.edu/cancerhealthequityinstitute/summerprograms.php)**

## PITTSBURGH UNDERGRADUATE DIVERSITY RESEARCH PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 2.5 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 8-10 WEEKS**
- **NETWORKING EVENTS**
- **HANDS-ON LAB EXPERIENCES**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **[HTTPS://VMI.PITT.EDU/TRAINING/PURDIP/](https://vmi.pitt.edu/training/purdip/)**

## SUMMER UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: N/A**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: JUNE 9TH - AUGUST 1ST**
- **STIPEND INCLUDED**
- **ASSIGNED A MENTOR**
- **TRAIN UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS IN BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE RESEARCH**
- **[HTTPS://WWW.UMD.EDU/GRADUATESCHOOL/SURE/SURE\\_OVERVIEW.HTML](https://www.umd.edu/graduateschool/sure/sure_overview.html)**

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- **PROGRAM LENGTH: SIX WEEKS**
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- **MEDICAL WORKSHOPS**
- **[HTTPS://MEDICINE.YALE.EDU/DICE/ENGAGEME  
NT/PATHWAY-PROGRAMS/YSEMA/](https://medicine.yale.edu/dice/engagemnt/pathway-programs/ysema/)**

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- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 3.0**
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- **[HTTPS://WWW.MED.UPENN.EDU/IDEALRESEAR  
CH/SUIP/](https://www.med.upenn.edu/idealresearch/suip/)**

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- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2025**
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- **PARTICIPATE IN THE AMGEN SCHOLARS SYMPOSIUM**
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- **[HTTPS://PROVOST.HOWARD.EDU/AMGEN-  
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- **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 7, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: 3.0 GPA**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 10 WEEKS**
- **BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH**
- **UMICHIGAN HOUSING**
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- **[HTTPS://WWW.MICHIGANMEDICINE.ORG/DIVERSITY-EQUITY-INCLUSION/STUDENTS-PATHWAYS/UNDERGRADUATE-DEI-PROGRAMS](https://www.michiganmedicine.org/diversity-equity-inclusion/students-pathways/undergraduate-dei-programs)**

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- **PROGRAM LENGTH: JUNE 2-JULY 27**
- **EXPOSURE TO BASIC AND CLINIC SCIENCE RESEARCH**
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- **DEADLINE: FEB. 1ST, 2025**
- **[HTTPS://FORMS.LSUHS.EDU/FORMS/UNDERGRADUATE-RESEARCH-APPRENTICESHIP-PROGRAM](https://forms.lsuhs.edu/forms/undergraduate-research-apprenticeship-program)**

## FEINSTEIN SUMMER RESEARCH INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

- **DEADLINE: JANUARY 24, 2025**
- **MIN. REQUIREMENTS: N/A**
- **PROGRAM LENGTH: 8 WEEKS**
- **DISEASE ORIENTED RESEARCH**
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