Summer Research Internship Program - 2013

Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC

Each summer, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh offers an eight-week, paid program designed for undergraduate, graduate and medical students from any college or university who wish to learn the rationale, design strategies, methods and other aspects of biomedical research by engaging in studies under the direct supervision of experienced researchers. Candidates must have completed two semesters of undergraduate education by the June, 2013 start date to be eligible. Current undergraduate seniors must document continuing education acceptance in an advanced degree program for fall 2013 to be eligible.

To apply for the 2013 Summer Research Internship Program (SRIP), you will need to complete the **two step** application process. Only when both steps have been completed will your application and information be considered for the program. Application materials may be set electronically as noted below.

The summer 2013 program will run from Monday, June 3, 2013 through Friday, July 26, 2013. Students will devote 40 hours a week on their respective research projects. At the conclusion of the program, students will present their research to their fellow SRIP peers, faculty mentors and the research community. This research symposium is the culminating event and takes places during the last week of the program and is mandatory for all participants.

Program Eligibility:

- Be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident
- Be enrolled in a degree-granting program at a college/university
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher (on a 4-point scale)
- Have completed at least two (2) semesters of undergraduate education
- Have at least one semester of undergraduate education remaining after completing the CHP program or documentation of acceptance into an advanced degree program.

ALL APPLIATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

1. The Student Application Form
2. A Personal Statement of Interest in pediatric biomedical research and career goals. *Please limit to one page.*
3. A copy of your resume or CV
4. A copy of your college transcript (unofficial is acceptable)
   Complete the on-line UPMC application **Job ID - 2030917**
5. http://www.upmc.com/careersatUPMC/Pages/default.aspx

Send this completed application to:
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ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 1, 2013

To be eligible for this program you must have completed 2 semesters of undergraduate course work as of 6/1/13. Current undergraduate seniors must document continuing education acceptance in an advanced degree program for fall 2013 to be eligible.

General Information

Name (Last):	(First):	(MI):
Date of Birth:	Gender: Male ☐ Female ☐	US Citizen: Yes ☐ No ☐ OR Permanent Resident Yes ☐ No ☐
E-mail Address:	Telephone :	SSN:
Current Address Line 1:		
Address Line 2:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
This address will be current until what date?		
Permanent Address Line 1:		
Address Line 2:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:

Academic Information

College/University:

Undergraduate Class Status as of 6/1/2013 ☐ Sophomore ☐ Junior ☐ Senior

Major/Minor:	Cumulative GPA:	Science GPA:

Expected Date of Undergraduate Graduation:

Graduate or Medical School:

Level of Post Grad Education Completed:

Other Information:

Have you previously participated in this program? ☐Yes ☐No

If Yes provide date and mentor: *(Participation is limited to 2 years)*

How did you hear about our program? ☐ From a past participant ☐ From Faculty ☐Online Search ☐Other

If applicable, please identify specific areas of interest and/or faculty with which you would like to work. If you have a preference for basic vs clinical internship, please let us know.

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Emergency Contact Information:

Name:	Relationship:
Address:	Telephone:

Statement of Commitment:

The SRIP program is designed as a Monday through Friday, daylight internship, however research responsibilities sometimes require work outside of these parameters at any hour of the day and any day of the week. If admitted to the program, will you be able to participate fully in ALL program activities? Yes ☐ No ☐

The program dates for 2013 are June 3, 2013 to July 26, 2013. Are you able to participate in the entire program? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, please state the reason:

Signature:_____ Date:___ _____

Essay:

The essay should directly answer why you are considering the summer internship and how it fits into your current and future academic, research, and career plans. Please also discuss any research or related work you have been involved in which will benefit you as a summer intern at the Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh of UPMC. (The essay should not exceed 1 page).

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