



The University of Kansas

SUMMER UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP (SURF) PROGRAM

Department of Pharmacology, Toxicology and Therapeutics
University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas
<http://www.kumc.edu/pharmacology/>

- Program:** The faculty of the Department of Pharmacology, Toxicology and Therapeutics at the University of Kansas Medical Center is pleased to announce the availability of basic research internships for the summer. Students accepted into the program will perform basic research in Pharmacology or Toxicology in the Department or in the affiliated Centers for Cancer, Environmental and Occupational Health, and the Smith Mental Retardation & Human Development, while studying interactions between biological systems and chemical agents. Each student works in the laboratory of an individual member of the faculty on an independent research project. The program also includes weekly discussion sessions with faculty member on selected topics in Pharmacology and Toxicology as well as a weekly graduate student series addressing academic and research topics.
- Eligibility:** The most competitive applications are those from students interested in graduate study and currently majoring in Chemistry, Biology, Pharmacy or related disciplines who are completing their sophomore or junior years in college. The University of Kansas Medical Center is an Equal Opportunity Affirmative Action Employer.
- Stipends:** Aside from gaining experience in basic biomedical research and being introduced to the disciplines of Pharmacology and Toxicology, each summer intern will receive a \$3,000 stipend upon completion of the 10-week program.
- Application:** Forward a letter describing your background, educational experience and career goals, and a statement regarding your interest in pharmacology or toxicology research. College transcripts and two letters of recommendation from faculty familiar with your academic abilities and career plans are also required. Include your current and permanent address, e-mail address, phone number, social security number, birth date and birthplace. These materials should be submitted to the address below no later than April 15th, 2007.
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