



Mount Sinai Short-Term Research Training Program for Minority Students

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MOUNT SINAI SHORT-TERM RESEARCH TRAINING PROGRAM FOR MINORITY STUDENTS

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROGRAM:

The goal of this program is to train minority students in the area of public health with a focus in the areas of environmental health, epidemiology, pulmonary health, cardiovascular health and occupational health. Selected students will be paired with a faculty mentor and will complete a research project in public health. Students are accepted and placed all throughout the year but are required to commit to a 10 to 12 weeks internships. A stipend of maximum \$6,887/per student is provided based on the time completed in the program. The program is funded by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute from the National Institute of Health.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE

Applicants must be:

- U.S. Citizens or permanent residents.
- 18 years of age or older.
- Students currently enrolled in or recently graduated from a Master's degree program.
- Minority status (underrepresented in the sciences – African-American, Latino, Native American, Alaska Native, Pacific Islanders).
- Applicants must be available for a full-time, 3-month-long internship in New York City. Willing to commit a minimum of 10 full weeks to the program. However, it's recommended to complete a 12 weeks program.
- Previous experience in research and statistical analysis is preferred.

APPLICATION DEADLINES:

Spring 2012

Program dates: February to May (12 weeks)

Deadline: Applications received by November 2, 2011

Summer 2012

Program dates: June to August (12 weeks)

Deadline: Applications received by February 24, 2012

Fall 2012

Program dates: September to November (12 weeks)

Deadline: Applications received by May 25, 2012



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HOW TO APPLY

Applicants must be available for a full-time, 3-month-long internship in New York City. Send the following information, along with your application, to the address below.

Curriculum Vitae/Resume: that includes contact information and race/ethnicity and when you prefer to be considered for placement (Spring, Fall, Summer, etc)

Education Information: including school currently attending, expected year of graduation, expected degree, listed of science courses taken and grade received (transcripts are preferred!)

Previous Experience: detailed description of any previous research experience and/or list description of any extracurricular activities

Personal Statement: one-page statement of interest in this program and/or future academic and professional plans.

Letter of Recommendation: (optional)

Send your application to:

By mail: Short-term Research Training Program for Minority Students

Mount Sinai School of Medicine

ATTN: Katherine Svensson

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New York, NY 10029-6574

By email: katherine.svensson@mssm.edu

Please read this announcement carefully before you send an email inquiry.

By fax: (212) 996-0407, ATTN: Katherine Svensson

****No Phone Calls Please****