BRUSH Undergraduate Summer Research Program

What is the program?

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute is sponsoring a summer research program at Michigan State University for undergraduate students.

The goal of this program is to provide hands-on research exposure and graduate or professional school preparation opportunities for individuals who are from diverse backgrounds that are underrepresented in biomedical research.

The NIH has specific criteria for acceptance into the program, which may be found at the program website under Check Eligibility.

When is the program?

The program runs from May 13 to August 2, 2019 with some flexibility afforded to non-MSU students.

Is this a compensated opportunity?

Students are paid a $4,800 stipend with additional funds available for room, board, and other program-related expenses (conference travel, etc.). US citizenship or permanent residency is required. The stipend is considered income, and will be taxed accordingly.

Where does the training take place?

Students participating in this program will work on a research project under the mentorship of leading biomedical researchers in the fields of cardiovascular, airway, or blood diseases at Michigan State University. The research experience will be supplemented with seminars and workshops, as well as networking and presentation opportunities.

BRUSH allows undergraduate students to:

- Explore a career in biomedical research
- Prepare for graduate, medical, or veterinary school
- Enjoy a great-paying summer job

How do I apply?

The deadline for applications is February 1, 2019. The application review and position offers will begin before the deadline, so submitting your application early is encouraged.

The application is online (see link below).

For more information and to apply visit: https://cvm.msu.edu/research/student-research/undergraduate-student-summer-research-program
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