2017 Summer Internship Program

How to Apply
The complete application package has four components:


   Two references are required — both should be written by practicing scientists who know you personally and can speak to your ability to train in a biomedical research laboratory.

2. **Statement of Interest** (no more than one typewritten page) should be sent by January 19th to vb55k@nih.gov with:
   a. Name/school/major/graduation date
   b. Career objective
   c. Identification of under-represented group
   d. Specific cancer-related interests
   e. Short essay: Describe what you will bring to the program and why this training will make a difference in your academic trajectory.
   f. Skills, including computer skills

3. **Official Transcript** should be mailed by January 19th to: Center for Cancer Research, Office of Training and Education, 9609 Medical Center Drive - 3W 122, Bethesda, MD 20892-9707

4. **Statement of Financial Eligibility** should be sent by U.S. mail to the address above no later than March 1, 2017.

STUDENT ELIGIBILITY
Applicants must be:
- In good standing, with a GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- U.S. citizens or permanent residents
- 18 years of age or older
- Students with cancer-related research interests
- From under-represented groups* and/or financially disadvantaged backgrounds

*The following groups are considered under-represented in biomedical science: African Americans/Black Americans, Hispanic/Latino Americans, Native Americans, Alaska Natives, and non-Asian Pacific Islanders

OTHER PROGRAM NOTES
Prospective CRI fellows will be interviewed by the selection panel and notified of their acceptance into the program in early March, 2017. Interviews are conducted via telephone or Skype. Acceptance into the program does not guarantee placement in a lab.

For information regarding stipend amounts, please go to: [http://intranet.cancer.gov/admin/crta/appendix1.htm](http://intranet.cancer.gov/admin/crta/appendix1.htm).

All CRI fellows are required to present posters for the NIH Annual Summer Intern Poster Day in Bethesda and/or the Summer Student Poster Day in Frederick, Maryland.

If you have any questions, please contact:

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