

NIH research opportunities for undergraduate students

Fellowship Office

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National Institutes of Health Summer and Post-baccalaureate awards

- What is the NIH?
- Summer Internship Program
- Post-bac Intramural Research Training Award

(IRTA)



National Institutes of Health Summer Internship Program (SIP)

- Eight-week summer research program
 - You might be able to get LUC credit
- Interns from high school to dissertation level
- Application – resume, list of coursework, cover letter, two references
- Research to find opportunities
- Deadline is March 1, but start NOW



National Institutes of Health

Post-bac Intramural Research Training Award (IRTA)

- Graduating seniors and recent alumni
- One to two years paid research
- Research to find opportunities
- Rolling deadlines – i.e., you can apply anytime



NIH Resources Online

- [Office of Intramural Training & Education \(OITE\)](#)
- [Summer Internship Program how to apply video](#)
- [Postbac IRTA how to apply video](#)
(33 minutes long)
- [Presentation by Anisha Sharma on FO website](#)



Internship credit

- While run by the CEL, some must contact your academic department first, including:
 - Biology
 - Computer Science
 - Honors Program
 - Nursing
 - Psychology
- If your department not listed, contact Cynthia Stewart in the CEL



Other awards

- DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service)
 - RISE: summer internship
- Critical Languages Scholarships



Questions?

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