

QUANTITATIVE AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES SUMMER UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIPS

in

Biophysics

Computational Biology

Quantitative and Analytical Chemistry



Graduate School of Biomedical Sciences

OBJECTIVE

To provide an intensive research training experience that leads to an understanding of the planning, discipline, and teamwork involved in the pursuit of basic answers to current questions at the interface of quantitative science and basic biomedical research. Fellows will pursue individual research projects under the direction of a member of the graduate school faculty. Lectures, journal clubs, and seminars by faculty members will supplement the research experience.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must be enrolled in a physics, computer science, mathematics, or chemistry degree program at the undergraduate level and have completed the sophomore year. Criteria used in selecting fellowship recipients will include college grades, relevant experience, and letters of recommendation from faculty who can assess the applicant's potential for advanced training and success in research that integrates quantitative and biomedical science.

SALARY AND TENURE

Each fellowship award carries with it a \$4,750 salary (\$5,250 in support if housing is needed) for the 10-week period beginning June 2, 2008 through August 8, 2008. This support is taxable and is the mechanism used by the university to pay QP-SURF students for their training. Fellows must cover travel and housing expenses from the awarded salary. Complete details about the QP-SURF program can be found at www.utsouthwestern.edu/QP-SURF.

HOW TO APPLY

The QP-SURF application is available on-line at www.utsouthwestern.edu/QP-SURF/QP-SURFAPP. Completed applications should be submitted by February 8, 2008. In addition to submitting an on-line application, official transcripts and reference letters must be received through the mail by February 8, 2008.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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