



NATIONAL HEART, LUNG AND BLOOD INSTITUTE, SHORT-TERM TRAINING FOR MINORITY STUDENTS PROGRAM AT UMDNJ

Minority Students (Undergraduate & Graduate) from all disciplines who are interested in applying their education to cardiovascular study are eligible to apply for this paid summer research experience.

Visit the Website: http://njms.umdj.edu/departments/cell_biology_and_molecular_medicine/nhlbi.cfm; click NHLBI Summer Student Research then Student Information then 2009 Project Directory.

The Heart, Lung and Blood (HLB) Program is supported by fellowships from an NHLBI Short-term Training for Minority Students Grant awarded to NJMS. In addition to the ten-week project, students are required to submit a written abstract as well as present their work at the HLB Poster Session August 2009.

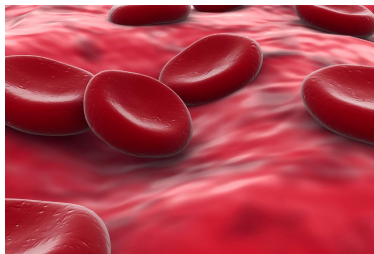
Application Deadline: April 17, 2009

Program Begins: June 8, 2009 (to be confirmed)

Program Ends: August 14, 2009 (to be confirmed)

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Eligibility

Underrepresented minority ethnic groups include Blacks, Hispanics, American Indians, Alaska Natives, and Pacific Islanders. Trainees must have successfully completed **at least one undergraduate year** at an accredited school or university (including baccalaureate schools of nursing) **or have successfully completed one semester** at a school of medicine, optometry, osteopathy, dentistry, veterinary medicine, pharmacy, or public health, **or an institution with an accredited graduate program**, prior to participating in the program. Must be **U.S. citizens, noncitizen nationals, or legal permanent residents** (i.e., in possession of the Alien Registration Receipt Card, I-155, or other legal verification of such status). Individuals on temporary or student visas and individuals holding Ph.D., M.D., D.V.M. or equivalent doctoral degrees in the health sciences **are not eligible**. Students must be in **good academic standing to participate**. Projects are to be carried out **during an eight-week period** in which the students **must not have any other academic activities**.