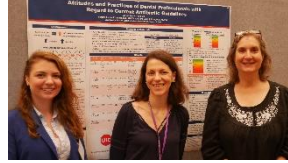




Health Professions Navigator Program

~Summer Research Opportunity~



WE ARE NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR THE RESEARCH TRAINING AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (RTCP)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW:

The Research Training and Career Development Program (RTCP) is for highly motivated undergraduate and graduate students from disadvantaged backgrounds. The purpose of the program is to familiarize students with biomedical research and practice opportunities. Participants will be exposed to issues related to health disparities and health equity and assess the impact these and other factors have on patient care, health promotion and prevention. *Program participants will receive a stipend.*

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

- Eight week summer research and practice experience under the mentorship of a UIC faculty member or researcher
- Three day training and certification orientation to enhance professional skills and to be acclimated to a research/practice setting
- Workshops and activities that foster longitudinal mentorship and professional development
- End of program poster presentation

ELIGIBILITY:

- Undergraduate and graduate students interested in pursuing careers in the health sciences.
- To be competitive, applicant should have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0
- Applicant must self-identify as coming from an economically and educationally disadvantaged background.
- Applicant must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident; documentation may be requested.
- Applicant cannot be registered or planning to register for any academic courses during program participation

UPCOMING DATES:

Application submission deadline: **February 3, 2017**

Participants will be notified by early March 2017

Program Start: **May 31, 2017**

Program End: **July 28, 2017**

Application Link: <https://uofi.uic.edu/fb/sec/6478457>

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