

The National Cancer Institute (NCI) of the NIH is excited to sponsor the [DCB Summer Undergraduate Research Program \(DCB SURP\)](#) in 2022. The DCB SURP program includes a **10-week in-person fellowship, a 2-day research conference at NIH in Bethesda, MD, and an introductory course in cancer data science. Everything (\$4,000 stipend, conference travel, and summer housing) is paid for by the NCI.** We encourage you to check on the [website](#) and apply to this program if you are interested in performing interdisciplinary research in cancer biology. The application deadline is **February 14, 2022.**

The DCB SURP program is for **rising junior and senior undergraduates** with limited research experience who are interested in working with faculty mentors from NCI-supported institutions. The program is designed for students with 0-1 years of previous research experience. Students who are especially interested in future cancer research careers are encouraged to apply. Opportunities are available at **15** research institutions across the United States.

Each student participant will be working with a faculty mentor whose lab is pursuing a multi-disciplinary approach to cancer research. Projects include experimental and computational studies of the mechanisms underlying cancer processes. Students will either assist faculty member's lab in an ongoing research project or work collaboratively with the mentor and/or lab members on a new project of mutual interest.

In addition to performing research at their selected institution, students will have the opportunity to travel to the NIH campus in Bethesda, MD for a two-day undergraduate research conference. The conference will include a scientific poster session, career mentorship keynote talks, and the opportunity to meet other students from around the country. The summer program will also feature weekly webinars centered around collaborative activities and an introductory course in cancer data science

Please reach out to Tiffany Ferguson (tiffany.ferguson@nih.gov) with any questions about the program.

Best,

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