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Upcoming Events:

Friday Faculty Seminar: Summer MAP Opportunities

Participating in a Biology Mentored Advanced Project is an experience you do not want to miss! Professors Jacobson, DeRidder, Whitworth, Lindgren, and Hinsa will present summer research opportunities. Applications for science division MAP opportunities will be handed out at the meeting, but can also be found online. These applications must be completed and submitted to the Science Division Office by February 20th. Even if you are not interested in a summer MAP, it will be fun to listen to hear biology professors talk about their research interests!

Friday January 30, 2009 at NOON in Room 2021

Apply to Present Research at a Friday Seminar

If you wish to give a seminar, please fill out the application below and submit it to the Science Division office **by 5 PM Friday January 30**. Open dates this Spring are 2/6, 2/20, 3/13, 4/3 and 4/10. Depending on demand, preference may be given to senior candidates for Honors in the major.

T-Shirt Design:

Every year, the biology department makes t-shirts worn by faculty and students alike. Send the BioSEPC your ideas for the annual biology department T-shirt! We know you cannot put a time limit on creativity, but please try to send in your ideas by Monday, February 16th!

More Student Research Opportunities:

Summer Research Experience for the Undergraduate:

These are just a few, so keep your eyes open for emails that come your way with more opportunities!

University of Missouri-Columbia:

Research projects in the areas of biology, biochemistry, cell & molecular biology, animal sciences, and plant genomics are available this summer. The program runs for nine weeks (May 31-July 31) and pays a stipend of \$3400. For general information, a description of projects for this summer, and an application form please see Professor DeRidder. Applications are due at the University of Missouri by February 13, so please contact him by February 6.

Cornell University:

The Boyce Thompson Institute for Plant Research and Cornell University offers projects in genetics, biochemistry, microbiology, bioinformatics, cell biology, plant insect interactions and more. The application deadline is February 15th 2009. Our Plant Genome Research Program (PGRP) offers paid summer internships (\$500 weekly plus housing) to undergraduate students interested in gaining scientific research experience in laboratory settings.

More Information at: <http://www.bti.cornell.edu/educationInternships.php>

Pepperdine University:

Program Information at: <http://www.pepperdine.edu/seaver/natsci/surb/>

University of Minnesota:

Risk Analysis for Introduced Species and Genotypes at the University of Minnesota: Please see our website at: isg-igert.umn.edu. This program provides support and unique opportunities for undergraduate students. Many pressing questions currently face the scientific and policy communities regarding introduced species and genotypes. I invite you to review some of the critical research projects that you could help with as a summer researcher at: isg-igert.umn.edu/faculty/full_faculty_info.htm. To learn more about this summer opportunity and how to apply please visit our website at: isg-igert.umn.edu/summer_undergrads.

Applications are due 15 February 2009. Apply to the Life Sciences Summer Undergraduate Research Programs directly at:

http://www.cbs.umn.edu/main/summer_research/ApplyInstr.html



"Don't mind Ashley. After looking through a microscope all day, anything large startles him."

<http://www.sciencecartoonsplus.com/gallery/biology/index.php>

We can be contacted at [biosepc].

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