NSF-CREST Center for Cellular and Biomolecular Machines (CCBM)
Science and Technology Enrichment Program (STEP)
For Local High School Students
University of California, Merced - Summer 2018

Program Overview
- Research/lab experience and professional development for Merced area high school students
- Access to STEM research labs & lab safety training
- Faculty-led learning & research activities; campus lab tours
- Research & academic guidance and mentoring from faculty, graduate students, staff & affiliates, with networking opportunities

Additional Benefits
- Gain experience for resume and college application
- Explore hands-on STEM lab/research
- Participate in workshops
- Connect to UC Merced research
- Receive $150 for participation

Eligibility for high school students:
- Rising, current or recently graduated high school student
- Must be at least 14 years old (per UC Policy) at start of program
- U.S. citizen, U.S. national, or permanent resident (NSF requirement) to receive payment

Application Deadline: May 13, 2018
To Apply:
- Fill out electronic application form at [http://ccbm.ucmerced.edu/](http://ccbm.ucmerced.edu/)
- Upload Resume & 250-500 word statement of interest in program, and contact information for one reference

For More Information:
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A program overview meeting may be held in May 2018.
Please note: transportation, parking, and room and board are not provided.
Program details subject to modifications.