



# *NSF-CREST Center for Cellular and Biomolecular Machines (CCBM)*

## **CREST Science Communication Internship**

UC Merced – Fall 2019 - Spring 2020

The **CREST Science Communication Intern** will collaborate with affiliates to generate **novel and stimulating science communication resources** related to center research, education and outreach. Focusing on **biophysics, bioengineering and biochemistry** topics and science communication best practices, the Intern will develop and widely disseminate science communication resources. The Intern's efforts will allow the scientific achievements of the center to be publicized widely in the Merced area and beyond, to draw increased attention to UC Merced's research mission, and to focus on the development of strong science communication skills.

### **Eligibility:**

- Currently enrolled undergraduate student with plans to be enrolled in Fall 2019 & Spring 2020.
- GPA 3.0 or above.
- Students must have been enrolled for at least one semester at time of application.
- Students must be in good standing academically and in terms of conduct before and during internship.
- Devote 10-12 hours per week for both fall and spring.

### **To Apply:**

<https://jobs.ucmerced.edu>

### **Questions:**

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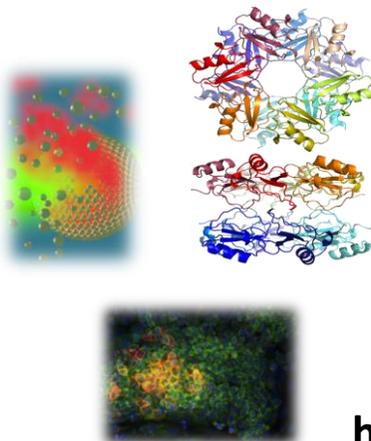
### **Application Deadline:**

**Nov. 22, 2019**

### **Projects:**

- Study** - Engage in study and practice of effective science communication best practices; collect and make these resources available through center website and social media. Study scientific areas of center and interact with center faculty, scientists, and graduate students.
- Develop** - Create center-focused science communication resources, (articles, interviews, radio, movies, presentations, and posters) to be shared via website and social media, at UC Merced events, and in community. Collect feedback, working center external evaluator, so resources can be further refined during internship.
- Share** - Make movie and poster to be presented in spring that discusses achievements of internship experience, and publish finalized versions of resources generated on website.

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study, plan, listen, research, explain, write,  
summarize, analyze.**



### **Benefits:**

- Earn \$15/hr, 10-12 hrs/wk in fall/spring (up to \$3500)
- Gain science communication experience, focused on center research
- Become an active participant in a National Science Foundation-funded center

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