



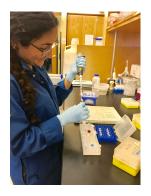


Apply to become a CREST Scholar today!

Center for Cellular & Biomolecular Machines

Undergraduate Research Fellowship

AY 2018-19



Program Description: The NSF-CREST Center for Cellular & Biomolecular Machines (CCBM) is offering a research fellowship to UC Merced undergraduate students across STEM disciplines.

These **CREST Scholars** will have opportunities to:

- Conduct research with a CCBM faculty of their choice for at least 10 hours per week
- Participate in CREST Scholars Research Symposium
- Prep for applications for internships, jobs and grad school

Program Benefits:

Research experience in biophysics, biochemistry & bioengineering

Experimental learning & hands-on training on cutting edge research instrumentation

Research and academic guidance and mentoring from CCBM faculty and graduate students

Professional development & networking activities

Special priority for summer research experiences (REUs) at partner institutions throughout the U.S.

Those who are selected are required to not engage in another research project. Participants will be expected to apply for summer research experiences (if not graduating May 2019).

Previous participants must reapply



Strongly encouraged to apply: Students from underrepresented minority groups, women, and students with disabilities



Must be a U.S. citizen, U.S. national, or permanent resident to receive funding, per **NSF** guidelines

Eligibility: UC Merced enrolled full-time undergraduate students with at least two semesters of college experience (GPA 3.0 or above)

1. Fill out electronic application form at ccbm.ucmerced.edu

2. Email unofficial transcript to ncole2@ucmerced.edu

(If selected, official transcripts may be requested.)

Award: \$1,200/semester

Research experience is for the 2018-19 academic year. Faculty advisor must approve renewal for Spring 2019.

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DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 8, 2018