Internships In Plant Biology
Donald Danforth Plant Science Center
St. Louis, MO

11 Weeks each summer
May 21-August 3, 2018
$7,474 Stipend
Housing for non-local interns

Experience a rich research environment and learn everything from research design to experimentation to reporting.

Hands-on research experience
Workshops in state-of-the-art facilities
Field trips
Biotechnology seminars
Research paper and symposium

Apply November-February
Applications due February 9, 2018

www.danforthcenter.org/internship/
internship@danforthcenter.org

An NSF Research Experiences for Undergraduates Site
Steps & information needed to apply

1. Visit https://www.danforthcenter.org/education-outreach/research-internships to learn about the details of our program

2. Gather the materials you need to submit your application:

   **Personal Statement**: Write a personal statement that demonstrates why you are interested in this internship program. This statement is an opportunity to talk about your interests in your own words and will be an important consideration in selection of candidates.

   **Resume**

   **Current GPA** (this will be entered on the application form)

   **Transcript**: official or unofficial. Please make sure it is readable.

   **Academic Experience Form**: downloaded from our website, use this form to highlight pertinent classes you have taken that directly apply to the internship program.

   **List of laboratory skills**: This will be pasted in a text box on the application. Please paste unformatted text only. Formatted text may cause submission errors.

   **Faculty advisor’s contact information**: if you do not have a faculty advisor, choose a faculty member with whom you have a relationship OR from whom you’ve taken a class in a pertinent course of study.

   **Two letters of recommendation**: contact two people who will serve as references for you (you may choose to submit an optional third letter). These letters should be sent directly to us by your references (on or before February 9, 2018) via:
   - Email: Internship@danforthcenter.org
   - Fax: 314-587-1988
   - Mail: Donald Danforth Plant Science Center, Attn: Internship Program, 975 N Warson Rd, St. Louis, MO  63132

3. On or before February 9, 2018, submit your application on-line at:
   https://www.danforthcenter.org/education-outreach/research-internships/apply

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A Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) Site

The Danforth Plant Science Center’s REU summer Internship program is held eleven weeks each summer and exposes students to a rich research environment. The program gives students experience with all aspects of modern scientific research, from design to experimentation to reporting. Faculty mentors and staff provide insight into the personal qualities that make a good researcher, the process and training involved in becoming a scientist, and the broader impact of scientific discovery.

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