# University of California, Santa Barbara
# ICB Summer Applied Biotechnology Research Experience
# June 19 – August 25, 2017

## Research Internship in Science and Engineering

The Institute for Collaborative Biotechnologies (ICB) at the University of California, Santa Barbara is seeking masters and undergraduate science and engineering majors from under-represented groups in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. The internship program will bring masters and undergraduate students from around the country to the UC Santa Barbara campus for a 10-week summer research experience.

Trainees will gain first-hand experience in scientific investigation in a dynamic, collaborative research environment. They will be matched individually with UCSB faculty and graduate student lab mentors who will provide training and support.

In addition to research, the trainees will participate in weekly group meetings to develop oral presentation skills, attend special seminars, and present their results at an end-of-the-summer poster session.

## About ICB

To learn more about the faculty and research of the Institute for Collaborative Biotechnologies, please visit: **www.icb.ucsb.edu**

To learn about previous intern research projects, please visit: **www.icb.ucsb.edu/sabre**

The Institute for Collaborative Biotechnologies supports a broad range of multidisciplinary research in areas including Psychology, Computer Science, Physics, Chemistry and Biochemistry, Chemical Engineering, Biology, Computer Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Bioengineering and Materials Science.

### Questions?
**Email sabre@icb.ucsb.edu**

## Program Details

The ICB Summer Research Program will run from June 19 – August 25, 2017. Approximately 4 internships will be awarded in all areas of science and engineering.

The stipend for masters and undergraduate interns is $4,000 total for 10 weeks. Food and lodging are provided. Travel costs up to $600 will be provided for travel to and from the UCSB campus.

## Student Eligibility

This competitive research program is open to any science and engineering undergraduate or masters student from an under-represented group—Blacks/African Americans, Native Americans/Alaskans, Pacific Islanders, and Latinos/Latinas. The student must be enrolled as a junior, senior, or masters student in the Fall 2017, with a minimum B average.

## Application Requirements

A complete internship application packet will include the following:

1. **A Complete Application**
2. **A Statement of Interest** explaining your research interest, background, and how this internship fits into your career goals. Your essay should be typed and a maximum of one page long.
3. **A Copy of your Unofficial Transcript**
4. **One Letter of Recommendation** from a course instructor, TA, or employer who is familiar with your scientific skills. *Send ONLY ONE letter.*

All items may be sent via e-mail. Attachments should be in Microsoft Word, Adobe PDF, or JPG format. Please include your last name as part of the name file for all attachments. If you are unable to send all parts of the application by e-mail, you may send the rest by mail.

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<span style="color:red">**ONLY COMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL BE REVIEWED**</span>
**Your Application must be e-mailed or postmarked by February 15, 2017.**
Award Announcements will begin April 15, 2017.
E-mail your application to sabre@icb.ucsb.edu *OR* send your application to:
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