UVM Cancer Center Summer Student Fellowship in Cancer Research Program

Gain hands-on experience in cancer research under the mentorship of a UVM Cancer Center member, as a paid Summer Student Fellow in Cancer Research!

Under this program, students will receive a stipend of $4,000 to conduct cancer-related basic, clinical/translational, or population science research working with a UVM Cancer Center researcher. Training undergraduate, medical and graduate students to do cancer research is a key goal of the Cancer Center fellowship program. This program has offered students a broad spectrum of cancer research opportunities in disciplines ranging from surgery, pharmacology, and radiation oncology to biochemistry, pathology, and psychiatry. The summer research program culminates in a fall poster session where students can share their work with UVM staff, faculty and students.

ELIGIBILITY

• Eligible candidates are undergraduate students, medical students, and graduate students from any of the university’s colleges.
• Students with alternative salary or stipend support for the summer are not eligible for this program except under limited circumstances (students should reach out with any questions before submitting their application).
• All awards will be reviewed with Student Financial Services in order to minimize any financial aid implications.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

• Students are expected to support the research project on a full-time basis over an 8-week period during the months of June through August. Students will work with their mentors to identify a specific schedule.
• Students can apply with a mentor OR apply independently and be matched with a mentor based on availability and interest area.
• All students will be expected to participate in an end-of-program poster session in October. The Cancer Center will cover expenses related to poster printing.

APPLICATION

Application and program details will be available March 2024.

Become a UVM Cancer Center Trainee to receive information about the Summer Fellowship. Trainees are also invited to scientific retreats, seminars, conferences, and special programs, especially those focused on training and career development. Trainees have access to and assistance by UVMCC coordinator mentoring activities.

Scan the QR code to fill out the Trainee application.

QUESTIONS

Please contact Hanna Snyder with any questions at Hanna.Snyder@med.uvm.edu.