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Bingo Night
July 5, 2017
Summer Undergraduate Research and Creative Achievements Forum

July 27, 2017
Challenge

July 19, 2017
University of Missouri - Summer 2017 Undergraduate Research Internship Program
Educational Activities and Social Programming

ORIENTATION & LOGISTICAL SESSIONS
- Welcome Dinner (May 30)
- Intern Orientation (May 31)
- Mizzou Team Challenge (May 31)
- Environmental Health Safety: Introduction to Lab Safety (June 2)
- Wrap-Up Meeting (July 28)

EVENING SEMINARS (Tuesdays & Thursdays)
June 1: Dr. Tom Phillips, Biological Sciences
June 5: Dr. Tim Evans, Veterinary Pathobiology
June 8: Dr. Michael Martin, English and Linguistics
June 13: Dr. Charlotte Phillips, Biochemistry
June 15: Dr. Michelle Kurnell, Assoc. Vice Chancellor of Research
June 20: Dr. Casey Holland, Pathology and Anatomical Sciences
June 22: Dr. Victoria Wall-Potter, Nutrition & Exercise Physiology
June 27: Dr. Ferece Houston, Bioengineering
June 29: Dr. Lian Egger, Biology

July 2: Dr. Brenda Paclis, Biochemistry
July 6: Dr. Jonathan Dyer, Pediatric Dermatology
July 11: Dr. Angela Spoon, Physics & Astronomy
July 13: Dr. Dene McCarthey, Psychological Sciences
July 20: Dr. Kevin King, Physics & Astronomy

* Required: Responsible Conduct of Research sessions

Small Group Seminar Options (Meeting weekly for an hour)
- Professional Development I - Professional Development Topics for Sophomores & Juniors
  Resumes, Personal Statements, Abstracts & Posters, Letters of Recommendation
- Professional Development II - Professional Development Topics for Seniors
  Approaches to Generating Personal Statements, Fellowships, Resumes, Communicating Research
- #SciPolicy and #SciComm: Science Policy and Communication
- Plant Stress: Challenges to sustainable food production and opportunities for plant research
- Ecology of Disease
- 3D Modeling and Printing in Bioengineering: From Bones to New Joints
- Medical School Small Group Seminar
  Primary Care, Problem Based Learning, Child Psychiatry, Health Disparities, HeLa Cells
- Physics REU Student Meeting
- Neurosciences REU Student Meeting
- Alcohol Research Training Summer School Student Meeting
SOCIAL EVENTS and OTHER ACTIVITIES
- Mentor/Mentor BBQ (June 3)
- Trivia Night with Mentors (June 21)
- Bingo Social & Dinner (July 5)
- MU Life Sciences & Professional Programs Expo featuring 30+ different programs at MU (July 12)
- Egg Drop Challenge (July 13)
- Night at the Art & Archaeology Museum (July 26)
- Summer Undergraduate Research & Creative Achievements Forum (July 27)
- End of the Summer Picnic with mentors and research team members (July 27)

Undergraduate Students officially part of the 2017 Summer Program
26 MU students
37 Visiting students

Funding Sources
9 Life Sciences Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (MU Students)
9 NSF REU - Neurosciences (Visiting students)
9 NIH IMSE Express (MU students)
7 Independent Faculty Research Funding
7 MURAHEE (Visiting students)
6 NSF REU - Physics (MU students)
4 Medical Sciences (Visiting students)
3 Miller Summer Program in Animal Sciences (Visiting students)
3 MU ICATI (Visiting students)
2 Department of Biochemistry (Visiting students)
2 NSF EPSCoR Missouri Transact
2 Switchgrass Ecology & Genetics
1 Cell and Molecular Biology (Visiting student)
1 NIH MARC (Visiting student)
1 Missouri Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (Visiting student)

49 additional students presented research at the Summer Forum

Dates for Summer 2018
February 14: Student Applications Due
May 29: Arrival/Welcome Dinner
May 30: Student Orientation
July 24: Undergraduate Research Forum
July 27: Wrap-Up Day
July 29: Departure
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