

Undergraduate Summer Research Internship Program in Biological and Biomedical Sciences

May 26 – July 31, 2026

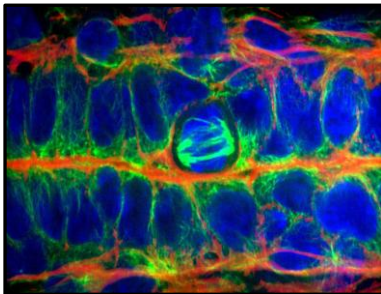
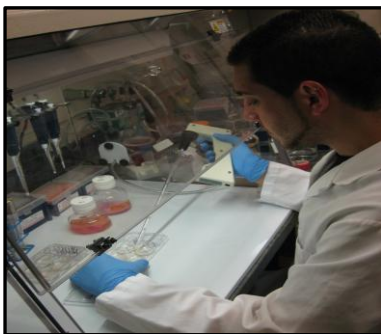


UConn Health Graduate School sponsors an 10-week research-intensive summer program for highly qualified and motivated undergraduate students who have an interest in obtaining a PhD, dual MD/PhD or DMD/PhD degree in the biomedical sciences. Students will engage in a hands-on research project in a laboratory, guided by a faculty mentor. They will expand their professional skills and gain insights into various career paths within the field.

SUMMER 2026 PROGRAM

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 01, 2026

<https://health.uconn.edu/graduate-school/academics/programs/summer/>



Eligibility

- U.S. citizens, Permanent Residents or International Students who have an F-1 student visa
- Current freshman, sophomores, or juniors. Students who will have graduated by the time the program begins are not eligible
- Some college coursework in biology and chemistry (preferably through organic chemistry)
- Previous laboratory experience is desirable but not necessary
- Students interested in pursuing a PhD, dual MD/PhD or DMD/PhD degree in the biomedical sciences after graduation

Training

Each student will work on a research project in their faculty advisor's laboratory and participate in weekly biomedical science seminars and professional development workshops given by the program. At the end of the program, students will present their work to fellow participants and faculty advisors.

Support

Students will receive a \$4,000 stipend for the 10-week period.

Location

UConn Health is located in Farmington, CT. It is home to a division of the University of Connecticut Graduate School, the School of Medicine, the School of Dental Medicine, and the John Dempsey Hospital.

How to Apply

An Online Application, personal statement, 2 letters of recommendation, and a copy of transcript(s).

For more information, please contact:

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