



STEP-UP

Short-Term Research Experience
Program to Unlock Potential

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1 OBJECTIVE?

STEP-UP is a **summer research internship** that allows students to gain exposure and experience in STEM fields.



2 ELIGIBILITY

STEP-UP is open to **high school and undergraduate students** belonging to underrepresented minorities in STEM fields. All applicants must be 16 years or older and must be a U.S. citizen to apply.

3 WHERE

Accepted applicants have the flexibility of choosing their **preferred location**. Students may choose labs close to home or otherwise.



4 WHY APPLY

- Wide range of research projects to choose from.
- Access to Mentors beyond span of research program
- Expand post-graduate network through program networks
- Get paid a **stipend**.



5 APPLY

Deadline to apply: **February 1** for undergraduate students and **February 15** for HS students.