Beinecke Scholarship

The program seeks to encourage and enable highly motivated students to pursue opportunities in graduate study in the arts, humanities and social sciences.

Each scholar receives $4,000 immediately prior to entering graduate school and an additional $30,000 while attending graduate school. There are no geographic restrictions on the use of the scholarship, and recipients are allowed to supplement the award with other scholarships, assistantships and research grants. All funding must be utilized within five years of completion of undergraduate studies.

Each year approximately 125 colleges and universities are invited to nominate a student for a Beinecke, and 20 new scholarships will be awarded in 2016. Each school invited to participate is permitted to make a single nomination each year.

To be eligible for a Beinecke Scholarship, a student must: 1) Have demonstrated superior standards of intellectual ability, scholastic achievement and personal promise during his or her undergraduate career; 2) Be a college junior pursuing a bachelor’s degree during the 2015-2016 academic year. “Junior” means a student who plans to continue full-time undergraduate study and who expects to receive a baccalaureate degree between December 2016 and August 2017; 3) Plan to enter a master’s or doctoral program in the arts, humanities or social sciences. Students in the social sciences who plan to pursue graduate study in neuroscience should not apply for a Beinecke Scholarship; 4) Be a US citizen or a US national; 5) Have a documented history of receiving need-based financial aid during his or her undergraduate years. Primary evidence of meeting this criterion is a student’s history of receiving need-based institutional, state or federal grants-in-aid. An institutional financial aid officer will be required to complete a Financial Data Sheet certifying that the student meets this criterion. During the selection process, the amount of financial need will be one of the factors considered with preference being given to candidates for whom the awarding of a scholarship would significantly increase the likelihood of the student’s being able to attend graduate school.

Summer ORISE Fellowships at the FDA

Summer research opportunities are available at the National Center for Toxicological Research (NCTR), U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) in Jefferson, Arkansas. Selected individuals will participate in research projects on the biological effect of potentially toxic chemicals and the solutions to toxicity problems that have a major impact on human health and the environment.

The appointment period is full-time for up to 10 weeks beginning May 23, 2016. The participant will receive a monthly stipend commensurate with educational level and experience. Proof of health insurance is required for participation in this program. or the program

Applicants must be a U.S. citizen at least 18 years of age at the time of the appointment. Applicants must be a student in good standing at an accredited U.S. college or university, or accepted as an entering graduate or professional student at an accredited college or university, with a cumulative GPA of 2.50 or higher (based on a 4.0 scale).

Majors that are eligible include Physics, Mathematics, Statistics, Engineering (Bioengineering, Biomedical, Chemical, and Engineering Sciences), Nanotechnology, and Computer Science (Scientific Computing and Informatics). Other eligible areas of study include life health and medical sciences and other physical sciences.

Apply online at https://www.zintellect.com/Posting/details/1683

Deadline is February 19!
CAFÉ Symposium featuring the Class of 2019

Gettysburg’s first annual CAFÉ Symposium will be held in the CUB Ballroom from 4:00-6:00 pm on Thursday, January 28, 2016.

Nominated students from various First-Year Seminars who have conducted excellent work will showcase their projects in poster form during the time period as well as have the opportunity to visit with their fellow students about their work.

If you work with First-Year Students or you are a member of the Class of 2019, please come to this event to support the presenters. The Ragged Edge is bringing their specialty coffee cart and there will be free pastries and finger foods for all who attend.

“CAFÉ Symposium Class of 2019” t-shirts will be given out for as long as the supply lasts. Please tell your friends, classmates, and bring them along. It should be a great way to kick off the Spring ‘16 semester!

If you have any questions, please contact either mforrest@gettysburg.edu or pbaer@gettysburg.edu.

Celebration ‘16

Our annual undergraduate research, creative activity, and community engagement colloquium will be held this year on Friday, April 29th (poster session) and Saturday, April 30th (panel presentations, and performances). All students from all disciplines are invited to present with approval from their faculty mentors.

PeopleSoft registration will open Monday, February 2nd and will close Friday, March 29th. More detailed information will be forthcoming so please keep your eyes and ears open as it is a wonderful way for you to share your work with the entire Gettysburg campus community.

For further information, go to www.gettysburg.edu/Celebration

Udall Scholarship reminder

The Udall Foundation awards scholarships to college sophomores and juniors for leadership, public service, and commitment to issues related to American Indian nations or to the environment.

In 2016, the Udall Foundation will award 60 scholarships of up to $7,000 each, and anticipates that at least 20 scholarships will be awarded in Tribal Public Policy and Native Health Care.

You will need an institutional endorsement to apply so after reviewing their website information at www.udall.gov, please contact Dean Forrestal (mforrest@) to set up an appointment to discuss applying. Gettysburg’s deadline for receipt of all application materials is Friday, February 5th.
The Council on Undergraduate Research hosts a Registry of Undergraduate Researchers. The purpose of this registry is to facilitate matchmaking between undergraduates trained with research experience and a desire to pursue an advanced degree, and graduate schools seeking high quality students who are well prepared for research.

Any undergraduate may go to http://www.cur.org/projects_and_services/registry/students/ to fill out a simple curriculum vitae form. There is no charge to the student. Graduate School representatives may contact students to invite applications or visits to the campus, or to share information about their research programs and financial support opportunities.

EERE Robotics Internship Program

Are you an innovative, problem-solver with teamwork experience?

The EERE Robotics Internship Program offers hands-on, short-term practical internships at various corporate partners throughout the United States. Interns will perform research or other technical activities under the guidance of a mentor who is a technical staff scientist or engineer at the host facility.

This program is a partnership between the public and private sectors to continue the development of the robotics technical, manufacturing, and engineering workforce. In particular, the internship program is recruiting both current college students and recent high school and college graduates who have experience in robotics competitions.

Apply now: http://www.orise.orau.gov/roboticsinternship/

Deadline: February 29, 2016

American Education Ambassador Program: Teach in China

Basic Requirements for Teaching in China or Paid Summer Internships in China: a) Standard English Speakers in any major; b) Strong Leadership, Public Speaking, Social, and Interpersonal Skills.

Benefits:

1. Free Round-trip international airfare paid by your host school if you teach at the same school for two semesters; 2. Free furnished-apartment usually on school campus; 3. Well-paid positions with paid holidays; 4. Place your friends and family together; and 5. Free Chinese Lessons, TESL (Teaching English as a Second Language) Training and TESL Certification

Online registration at:

www.ChineseCultureCenter.org

For more details, please contact our Career Development Office.