



Interested in chemistry?
Want to experience research at a top university?

Apply for the
Research Experience for Undergraduates Program
hosted by the Department of Chemistry
at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign



Become a member of a research group and carry out one or more projects under the supervision of a faculty member and post-doc or graduate student during this 10-week **Research Experience for Undergraduates** summer program.

Opportunities available in:

- Analytical Chemistry
- Chemical Biology
- Inorganic Chemistry
- Materials Chemistry
- Organic Chemistry
- Physical Chemistry
- Theoretical Chemistry

The program provides:

- \$5,000 stipend
- University housing
- Round trip travel cost (up to \$800)

**Application
Deadline:
February 16,
2018**

Apply at:

<http://chemistry.illinois.edu/reu>

Applicants should be planning to obtain a Bachelor of Science or Bachelor of Arts degree in chemistry or related fields between January 1, 2019 and August 31, 2020.

Additional information and program contacts available at:
<http://chemistry.illinois.edu/reu>

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Program Dates: May 29 - August 3, 2018

Activities include:

- Attend weekly REU group meetings and a final poster session.
- Social activities include a mystery room experience, local activities, and socializing with students from other summer programs at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Enrichment activities include:

- Ethics, safety and library training
- Discussion of chemistry careers
- Learning how to communicate your science
- Applying to graduate school

Applications accepted:

Nov. 20, 2017 - Feb. 16, 2018

Applicants are asked to provide:

- Contact information (name, address, phone, email, current academic institution)
- Two letters of reference
- A personal statement explaining the reasons for interest in the program. The application form requires you to select at least one faculty member with whom you'd like to work. Additional selection of up to two more members is allowed (please see the UIUC Chemistry website, <http://chemistry.illinois.edu/faculty> for information on each research group). Your personal statement should explain how your interests and those of the faculty you've selected relate to each other. Assignments to research groups will depend on mutual interest of students and faculty.
- PDF copy of your transcript. When asked for your GPA, an estimate as of the end of the prior semester is adequate.

