SUMMER STUDENT RESEARCH PROGRAM JUNE 1 — AUGUST 6, 2010

The Summer Student Research Program (SSRP) offers pre-college and college students a unique opportunity to conduct educational research in diverse biomedical science fields during the summer months. During the ten-week program, students participate in mentored, independent research projects either in our state-of-the-art research laboratories, or working with physicians to impact patient care or the outcome of treatment. Students also attend a comprehensive course featuring topics including bioethics, animal use in biomedical science and scientific presentation skills, and attend lectures presented by distinguished guest scientists and faculty members.

I encourage you to visit our web site, <u>www.mmcri.org</u>, to learn more about the program. Sincerely,

Jeong Yoon, PhD Director, Summer Student Research Program



Class of 2009

Research Interests

• vascular biology

• clinical & translational

skeletal biology

- stem cell biology
- cancer biology
- developmental biology
- regenerative biology

"I truly enjoyed my experience here at MMCRI. This was such a great opportunity and one which I truly cherish. I got the pleasure of working with great physicians and scientists, and learned a great deal. I also enjoyed the social experiences with the LIBRA Foundation, which made this summer a memorable one!" Courtney Minzy, University of New England, Summer Student 2009, Center for Outcomes and Research Evaluation, Dr. Nananda Col





"I don't think I could have spent my summer any better way. My time in this program has allowed me to experience a side of science many students don't get to see, has given me

laboratory exposure no college curriculum can offer, and has allowed me to make some great friends and memories along the way."

Dan Gerges, University of Maine, Orono, Summer Student 2009, Laboratory of Dr. Volkhard Lindner

"I learned much about research, how it is conducted and its social and clinical relevance. I really know that I made a positive contribution and that sensation is particularly rewarding." Jared Murdoch, Liberty University, Summer Student 2009, Laboratory of Dr. Ilka Pinz



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