

**Specialized Program of Research Excellence (SPORE)
in Leukemia at Washington University in St. Louis
Postbaccalaureate Program to Promote Diversity
in Health-Related Research**

Application Deadline: February 1, 2016

Research period: July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017

- **Purpose:** The goal of this program is to provide post-baccalaureate trainees from underrepresented backgrounds with an intensive 1-year exposure to leukemia-related research. The trainees will have the opportunity to work with and be mentored by a top leukemia researcher
- **Eligibility:**
 - BA/BS obtained from an accredited university within 1.5 years from the start date of July 1, 2016
 - Willingness to work with staff to submit an NIH Research Supplement grant
 - Residence: Must be a US Citizen or a Permanent Resident
 - Professional interest in M.D./Ph.D. or M.D.
- **Salary and benefits will be comparable to that of first year PhD graduate student at Washington University**
- **Other Program activities:** Participation in a weekly journal club, several weekly shared lab meetings, and an annual retreat
- **Washington University Leukemia Research Faculty (partial list)**
 - Timothy J. Ley - http://dbbs.wustl.edu/faculty/Pages/faculty_bio.aspx?SID=1264
 - John F. DiPersio - http://oncology.wustl.edu/people/faculty/DiPersio/DiPersio_Bio.html
 - Daniel C. Link - http://dbbs.wustl.edu/faculty/Pages/faculty_bio.aspx?SID=3068
 - Matthew Walter - http://dbbs.wustl.edu/faculty/Pages/faculty_bio.aspx?SID=5942
 - John Welch - http://dbbs.wustl.edu/faculty/Pages/faculty_bio.aspx?SID=6336

Applications and additional information for the program may be obtained by contacting the Administrative Coordinator listed below. The application deadline is 2/1/2016

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