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22 December 2016

Dear Professor & Chair:

The West Virginia University Blanchette Rockefeller Neurosciences Institute continues to cultivate the next generation of neuroscientists with an opportunity for undergraduate students to participate in our 9-week Summer Undergraduate Research Internship (SURI) program. Accepted students will gain invaluable experience as they study and work in high-tech laboratories across almost 50 laboratories housed in modern research facilities.

Students accepted to the 2017 SURI program will receive a \$4,000 salary, paid throughout the program, plus housing in a WVU dormitory, located near the Medical Center Campus. More information about the 2017 SURI program can be found here: <u>http://neuroscience.wvu.edu/training-and-internships/suri</u>

Attached with this letter is a flyer describing the 2017 SURI program. Please forward this flyer to prospective students who may be interested in the WVU SURI program. If you would also kindly post a hard copy of the flyer to your department's bulletin news board, it would be greatly appreciated.

We appreciate your assistance in announcing our program and hope to recruit qualified students from your institution.

Sincerely,

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George A. Spirou, Ph.D. Co-director, Blanchette Rockefeller Neurosciences Institute

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# **INTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE!**

### Summer Undergraduate Research Internship May 30 - July 29, 2017

The WVU Blanchette Rockefeller Neurosciences Institute will offer up to 15 summer internships of research-intensive training to qualified undergraduate students who are currently enrolled at a US college or institution and have completed their second or third year.

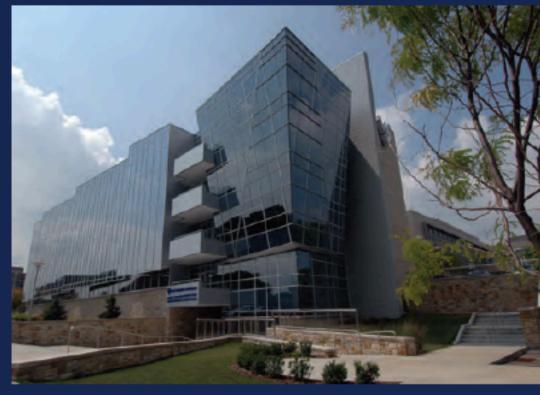
## The Opportunity:

- 9-week research-intensive training in one of these areas:
  - Sensory, cognitive, and behavioral neuroscience
  - Neural injury, including stroke
  - Neurodegeneration
  - Neuropsychiatric diseases

#### The Benefits:

- \$4,000 salary! On-campus housing provided!
- Research experience! Poster presentation experience!
- A fun, interactive, educational, awesome summer experience!







#### The Requirements:

- ≥3.0 overall GPA and currently enrolled in a US college or university
- Strong background in biology, neuroscience, physics, chemistry, engineering, or psychology
- Online application, résumé, two letters of recommendation, and official transcripts required to apply

Application deadline is February 13, 2017. Applicants will be notified of selection as early as March 13, 2017. For more information, or to apply, visit: <u>http://neuroscience.wvu.edu/training-and-internships/suri</u>

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