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# Institute for Health Disparities

Summer Undergraduate  
Research Internship Program

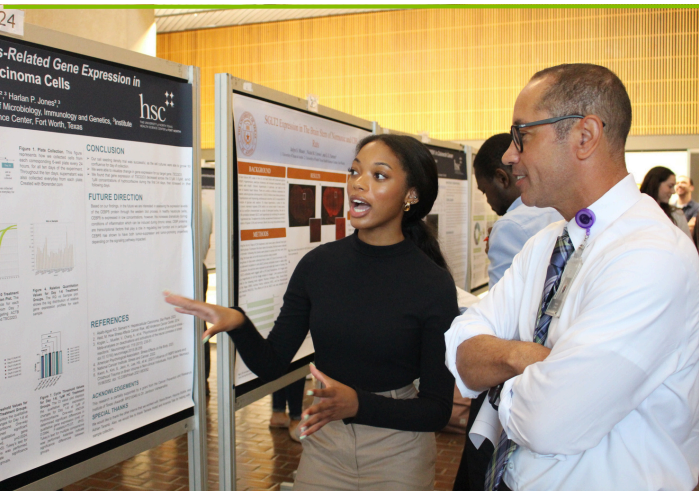


## Eligibility requirements:

- Students currently enrolled in freshmen, sophomore or junior
- 3.0 minimum cumulative grade point average

- Students from underrepresented groups (racial/ethnic groups, disabilities, disadvantaged backgrounds) are highly encouraged to apply.

- U.S. citizen or permanent residency
- Major in biology, biochemistry, chemistry or other life science
- Intention to pursue biomedical research careers



## DEVELOPING UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHERS- MATTER, DURA-M

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The **DURA-M** program is designed to address the underrepresentation of minorities, disadvantaged populations, and individuals with disabilities in biomedical and behavioral science careers. This 10-week summer experience offers undergraduate students the opportunity to engage in NIDA-related research, working alongside experienced mentors in a laboratory setting. In addition to hands-on research, participants will attend workshops focused on academic growth and career development, equipping them with the skills and knowledge needed to pursue advanced careers in the biomedical and behavioral sciences.

## SUMMER MULTICULTURAL ADVANCED RESEARCH TRAINING, SMART

Supported by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute of the National Institutes of Health, NIH, under Award Number R25HL007786 (NHLBI)

The **SMART** program at UNTHSC provides undergraduate students with a unique, 10-week immersive experience in biomedical research. Participants are introduced to a wide range of disciplines and research methodologies. Through comprehensive training, students are paired with experienced mentors in laboratory or community-based settings, gaining hands-on experience and valuable insights into the biomedical research field. This program offers an enriching opportunity to explore career paths in science while building essential skills for future academic and professional success.

## SUMMER SUMMER SCHOLARS IN CANCER RESEARCH, SSCR

Supported by the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas, CPRIT, under Award Number RP210046

**SSCR** is one of the program components of the HSC Scholar in Cancer Research Program offered to undergraduate students. This program is designed to provide stage-specific competencies for undergraduates in science knowledge, research skill development, professionalism and communication. The students will be trained through short-term exposures in the field of cancer and health disparities.

The summer scholars will have a 10-week mentor-guided cancer research training experience with enrichment activities (didactic workshops and ethics training) expected to provide a comprehensive introductory exposure to cancer-related biomedical research.



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