

**College of Pharmacy**

University of Louisiana at Monroe

**Summer Research Internship Program 2024**

Starting on June 3, 2024, the ULM College of Pharmacy will offer either an eight-week ($3,000) or four -week ($1,500), paid program designed for ULM Pharmacy students wanting to participate in scientific research. The Summer Research Internship Program (SRIP) hopes to attract applicants who desire to learn the rationale, design strategies, methods and other aspects of biomedical, pharmaceutical and/or clinical research by engaging in studies under the direct supervision of experienced research faculty. Applicants must have completed at least two full semesters of Pharmacy professional program coursework by the June 2024 start date to be eligible. Associate Dean Dr. Paul W. Sylvester, the SRIP Coordinator, will work with the Office of Experiential Education to develop a schedule that will allow participation while completing Introductory Pharmacy Practice Experiences (IPPEs) and Advanced Pharmacy Practice Experiences (APPEs).

To apply for the 2024 SRIP, application materials must be sent electronically as described below. **Please include all materials in a single email communication.**

**The 2024 full-time eight-week SRIP program will run from Monday, June 3, 2024 through Friday, June 28, 2024 and July 8, 2024 through July 26, 2024. The 2024 part-time four-week SRIP program will run from either Monday, June 3, 2024 through June 28, 2024 or July 8, 2024 through August 2, 2024.**

Students will devote 40 hours a week on their respective research projects. Students must be available and present for the duration of the internship (i.e. no vacations/breaks will be taken outside of recognized ULM national holidays). Students will present their research to their fellow SRIP peers, faculty mentors and the research community at the conclusion of their internship. The research symposium is mandatory for all participants and will take place during the last week of the program.

**Program Eligibility:**

* We are looking for motivated current ULM Pharmacy students in good academic standing.
* Have a cumulative Pharmacy GPA of 3.0 or higher (on a 4-point scale).
* Have completed at least two (2) semesters of their Pharmacy education and have at least one year of their Pharmacy education remaining after completing the SRIP program.
* Students must be available and present for the duration of the internship (i.e. no vacations/breaks will be taken outside of recognized ULM national holidays)

**APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING AND MUST BE RECEIVED BY MAY 1, 2024**

1. The Student Application Form

2. A Statement of Purpose: Essay crafted to convey your academic and career goals with an emphasis on your current research interest and how this program will help you reach your future academic goals. (*Please limit to one page single-spaced).*

3. A copy of your resume or CV

4. Two letters of recommendation in support of your application.

5. A summary of your current ULM academic transcript (unofficial is acceptable)

**Research Abstracts/Publications**:

It is anticipated that students, based on their participation in a research project, will be included as a co-author on one or more research presentations submitted to national or regional meetings and/or successfully written manuscripts submitted for publication.

**Other Activities/ Expectations/Opportunities:** Although the primary focus of the internship is participation in conducting basic and clinical research and writing (90% of an intern’s time), there will also be opportunity to engage in other academic or research activities such as lectures and seminars.

**Stipend**

Participants in the SRIP who are working full-time (8 weeks, 40 hour/week) or part-time (4 weeks, 40 hours/week will receive a $3,000 or $1,500 stipend, respectively.

**Application Process & Deadline**

The submission deadline is Monday May 1, 2024, all materials must be received by that date. It is anticipated that notification of award for an internship will be made before the end of May, 2024.

**Send your completed application and required attachments, and direct any questions to:**

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**2024 Summer Research Internship Program (SRIP)**

**Application Form**

**Last Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_First Name\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_CWID\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Permanent Address\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_City\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_State\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Zip\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

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**Date of Birth\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Male\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Female\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Name of Current College\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Undergraduate Major: Pre-Pharmacy\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Biology\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Chemistry\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**GPA (cumulative)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Statement of Purpose:** What are your interests and what do you hope to accomplish during this summer internship? Please be as specific as possible with your expectations of what sorts of experience you want to have this summer. You may include information about relevant past experiences (research, academic, or personal). Please limit your response to a one-page, single spaced attachment included with this form. Federal, state and local law prohibit discrimination because of age, race, creed, color, religion, sex, national origin, citizenship status, disability or sexual preference.

I certify that all matters contained in this application are true, authorize their investigation and agree that any misleading or false statements would render this application void and would be sufficient cause for immediate dismissal from the Program. I understand that I will be required to participate in the full-time Program from June 3, 2024 through June 28, 2024 and July 8, 2024 through August 2, 2024, whereas, I understand that if I participate in the part-time Program I am required to work from either June 3, 2024 through June 28, 2024 or July 8, 2024 through August 2, 2024. I also understand that I am required to work 40 hours/week.

**Signature of Applicant**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**Date**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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