

Hawaii State INBRE Summer Research Program Application

PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME:	SSN /ITIN:	CITIZENSHIP/ETHNICITY:
FEMALE <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/>	DOB: (M/D/Yr)	Visa Type/Other:
YOUR CURRENT MAILING ADDRESS/ TELEPHONE:		
VALID UNTIL:		
PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS/TELEPHONE:		
EMAIL ADDRESS:		

Have you received an INBRE summer research fellowship before? YES NO

Have you ever received a stipend of fellowship from a source other than INBRE to attend a summer research program? YES NO

- If yes, when? _____
- Type of fellowship _____

PROJECT MENTOR INFORMATION

Please provide information of mentor, advisor or Principal Investigator who will be assisting with your research project.

NAME: _____ DEPARTMENT: _____

INSTITUTION/ORGANIZATION NAME: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION: _____

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Expected Degree Type: _____ Degree Major/Program : _____
Cum. GPA : _____ Expected Date of Graduation: _____
Class Standing: _____

SCHOOL

Please list the name and type of institutions (college, university, trade school, business school, high school, etc.) that you have attended. Please list with the most recent one you attended (or currently attending).

Years: From – To	Institution	Location	Type of Institution	Degree/ Diploma

WORK EXPERIENCE

Please list any prior work experiences and provide a brief description of your duties (separate page)

RESEARCH INTERESTS and PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please provide your answers to the following on separate sheets (4 page maximum).

1. Describe your qualifications for participation in this program. Include examples of any specific experiments in science, including course-related work. List previous summer programs and courses that included hands-on laboratory experience. (Previous lab experience is not a requirement for admission)
2. Describe your education and career goals, your reasons for pursuing them, and how this program may contribute to your research interests.
3. Why do you want to attend this program?
4. Explain why you chose the mentor you have listed above, including any strong preferences you have for or against working in a specific area.
5. What do you do in your spare time?
6. Please provide a title and a description of your project objectives. Briefly describe your methods and evaluation. Describe why you are interested in this type of research, who your mentor is and how you have worked with your mentor in the past (if applicable).

INBRE Summer Student Agreement

I _____, agree to acknowledge the INBRE grant in presentations and publications supported through INBRE funding, and I agree to cooperate with internal and external program review, such as survey or interview data collection. I further agree to notify the INBRE Summer Program if my address and contact information should change during and after my participation in the program.

Signed,

_____ Date _____

**Hawaii State IDeA Network of Biomedical Research Excellence (INBRE)
Outreach Core**

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Teacher/Mentor Recommendation

Student Name: _____ Institution: _____

Evaluator Name: _____ Title: _____

Evaluator's Institution: _____

Address: _____

Telephone number: _____ email: _____

How long have you known the applicant?: _____ In what capacity?: _____

A. Using the following table, please rank the applicant's position in his/her group by checking the appropriate box.

	Unable to evaluate	Below average	Average	Above average	Superior
Knowledge of biological science					
Intellectual ability					
Originality of ideas					
Laboratory skills					
Verbal facility					
Writing facility					
Persistence under pressure/difficulty					
Acceptance of responsibility					
Ability to work independently					

B. Please attach a short one-page narrative evaluation of the applicant, addressing each of the following points, if possible. Please write the applicant's name at the top of the page.

1. Indicate the applicant's strongest positive characteristic and give a brief example.
2. Indicate the applicant's weakest point and its importance to the applicant's effectiveness.
3. Please comment on the applicant's demeanor in a group environment.
4. Please print and sign your name at the end of the narrative.
5. Return the recommendation to the student in a sealed envelope with your signature across the back of the envelope over the seal.