Additional Resources for MCBcDNA’s Summer Opportunities Night

1) **Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF):** The Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship program (SURF) is designed to allow Berkeley undergraduates in the College of Letters and Science to spend the summer doing concentrated research in preparation for a senior thesis or another major capstone research project. In Summer 2010 fellows will receive a $3,250 summer stipend, which is intended to cover basic living expenses for two months. Students with need-based financial aid may be eligible for additional funds. Find more details at [http://research.berkeley.edu/surf/](http://research.berkeley.edu/surf/)

2) **iGEM:** The International Genetically Engineered Machine (iGEM) Competition challenges teams of students from universities around the world to design and implement a synthetic biology project over the summer and present their results in juried competition at MIT. Students receive a stipend, plus travel/hotel allowance for the iGEM Jamboree at MIT. Find more details at: [http://synberc.org/iGEM/ucb/](http://synberc.org/iGEM/ucb/)

3) **Health Career Connection 2010 Summer Internship:** Health Career Connection (HCC) offers ten-week, full time summer internships from mid-June through mid-August to undergraduates interested in pursuing careers in healthcare management and policy, health education, community health, nurse administration, and other public health options. Interns are paid educational and training stipends of approximately $300 - $400 per week. Find more details at: [http://www.healthcareers.org/main/index.htm](http://www.healthcareers.org/main/index.htm) or email: info@healthcareers.org

4) **Genentech:** 10-12 weeks paid internship. Interns work side-by-side with some of the most talented people in technology on project teams in topics related to Research, Development, Manufacturing etc. They work with professionals on projects, present project findings, experience career development. Find more details at: [http://www.gene.com/gene/careers/university/internships/](http://www.gene.com/gene/careers/university/internships/)

5) **Genencor:** Interns get hands on experience conducting world-class biotechnology research and development projects.

6) Looking for something close to campus this summer? Check out the job listings for the place on the hill, the Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory. Find more details at: [http://jobs.lbl.gov/home.asp?mode=search](http://jobs.lbl.gov/home.asp?mode=search)

7) Interested in environmental biology? Read up on summer research going on at Berkeley's sister school in Davis, the NIEHS Undergraduate Summer Training in Environmental Toxicology. Find more details at: [http://www.envtox.ucdavis.edu/niehs_summer/default.htm](http://www.envtox.ucdavis.edu/niehs_summer/default.htm)
8) Taking summer courses? Get a job on campus! The labs don't shut down here just because school's out! [https://career.berkeley.edu/Callisto/CalJobs.stm](https://career.berkeley.edu/Callisto/CalJobs.stm)

***Paid Summer Apprenticeships at Other Major Research Centers: There are also MANY opportunities away from Berkeley! Overwhelmingly, these are paid summer apprenticeships, often paying about $3,500 AND covering living expenses. Frequently GRE prep is also a program benefit. Doing a summer program elsewhere can be a great way to "get your foot in the door" for graduate admissions. See this page for a few links to start your search. [http://research.berkeley.edu/opportunities.php?option=bawayb](http://research.berkeley.edu/opportunities.php?option=bawayb)

Other Helpful Websites:


2) Roche: [http://www.roche.com/careers.htm](http://www.roche.com/careers.htm)


4) Gilead: [http://www.gilead.com/internships](http://www.gilead.com/internships)

8) [http://mcb.berkeley.edu/undergrad/research/research/summer_research/](http://mcb.berkeley.edu/undergrad/research/research/summer_research/)