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DiVERGE

Diversity Visitation Event for Research and Graduate Education

October 23–25, 2014

TSRI Florida Campus (Jupiter, FL)



The Scripps Research Institute (TSRI) invites undergraduate students who are currently enrolled at a college or university in the US to apply for TSRI's Diversity Visitation Event for Research and Graduate Education (DiVERGE), a three-day, all-expense-paid visit on the institute's Florida campus. Designed for undergraduates interested in pursuing careers in biomedical research, the program will give participants an in-depth preview of TSRI's Summer Undergraduate Research Fellows (SURF) program and top-10 ranked doctoral program in the chemical and biological sciences.

While open to all students interested in biomedical research, TSRI's DiVERGE Program is especially geared toward students from underrepresented minority groups or disadvantaged backgrounds, including individuals from low-income families or first-generation science students. Eligibility is limited to undergraduate students currently in their sophomore, junior or senior year.

Students who are selected for DiVERGE will attend workshops and talks led by TSRI faculty, meet with current graduate students, tour state-of-the-art research laboratories, and attend the campus' annual ResearchFest event. Travel to the TSRI campus in Jupiter, Florida, as well as all food, lodging and other expenses will be paid by TSRI for the selected students.

To apply to DiVERGE, an online application with the following documents must be submitted:

- A personal statement describing your purpose in applying and the types of research that interest you
- Unofficial academic transcript
- Current resume or CV
- Two letters of recommendation

*All application materials must be submitted by **Friday, October 3, 2014.***

For more information and to apply online, visit: education.scripps.edu/diverge

