For application forms and additional information please see your Science Teacher or contact us directly at:

### **Summer Science Institute (SSI)**

UAB — CORD, Room 503, CHSB 19
933 19th Street South
Birmingham, AL 35294-2041
Phone (205) 934-5171
or visit us on the web at: www.uab.edu/cord

## Application Deadline: March 14, 2014 All Student Application Packets Must Include:

- A completed application form
- ◆ A current high school transcript received from the school
- Two teacher recommendation forms; preferably one from a science and or mathematics teacher
- A one-paragraph essay describing your personal and career interests
- Please submit all forms at the same time. Incomplete application packets will not be reviewed. Faxed or Emailed applications are unacceptable.
- Full tuition must be paid prior to participation in SSI.
- No Credit Cards accepted.

#### Application Forms may be printed from our website: www.uab.edu/cord

A very limited number of financial need-based Scholarships are available for students from underrepresented groups in the research community. Submit a one paragraph explanation request for a Need-Based Scholarship with your application forms.

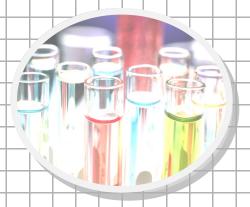
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# **UAB-CORD**Opportunities for Rising Stars

SSI I
Students Entering Grades 10-12
(first-time attendees)

SSI II
Students Entering Grades 11-12



### SSI III

Research Internship
Students Entering Senior Year

Acceptance Preference is given to SSI I and SSI II Graduates

APPLICATION DEADLINE MARCH 14, 2014

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### SSI I

### Fundamentals of Cellular and Molecular Biology

Experience a two-week, five-days per week (8am-4pm) introductory seminar course and hands-on laboratory in Molecular Biology taught by faculty from UAB and area high schools.

SSI I features experiments on:

- Mealworm DNA
- Microorganisms
- Sea Turtle Genetics
- Protein Crystallization



Two Sessions Offered: June 2 — June 13, 2014 June 16 — June 27, 2014

Tuition \$250.00\*

Application Deadline: March 14, 2014

**No Extended Deadlines** 

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Students Entering Grades 11-12 may apply for...

### SSI II

### Advanced Principles of Molecular Biology and Neuroscience

This two-week, five-days per week (8am-4 pm) hands-on laboratory and seminar course in Molecular Biology and Neuroscience is taught by UAB and area high school faculty. SSI II builds on the SSI I experience.

SSI II features research projects on:

- DNA Fingerprinting
  - Vision Science
  - Neurobiology



Two Sessions Offered: July 7 — July 18, 2014 July 21 — August 1, 2014

Tuition \$350.00\*

Application Deadline: March 14, 2014

**No Extended Deadlines** 

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### SSI III

#### **Research Internship**

Preference given to SSI I and SSI II Graduates

During this five-days per week (8am-5pm) advanced laboratory and seminar experience in scientific research, students will:

- Refresh their knowledge of biomedical laboratory techniques during an intensive Orientation.
- Utilize skills learned to conduct an independent project under the direction of a UAB research faculty mentor.
- Prepare a research poster eligible for entry into the Central Alabama Regional Science & Engineering Fair.



One Session Offered: June 5 — August 1, 2014

Each student is required to present their research at the Closing Ceremony Scheduled for Friday, August 1, 2014.

Top Winner will receive a Scholarship to UAB

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