We invite applications for a nine week summer research program in bioengineering sponsored by the National Science Foundation REU Program. Details of the REU program, our department, and project descriptions can be found at the website: bioengreu.slu.edu

The NSF-sponsored program is specifically targeted at early career undergraduates, including those who are entering their first or second years in college. Students currently in their sophomore year are also eligible to apply. The program will run for nine consecutive weeks, beginning May 30, 2011 through July 29, 2011. Students in the program will receive a stipend of $4275 in addition to housing, a food subsidy and partial travel expenses for non-local participants.

REQUIREMENTS: Students interested in the program must be enrolled as an undergraduate for Fall 2011. All students should have a demonstrated interest in bioengineering. Applications are especially encouraged from students at institutions where research is not available to undergraduates, students who are underrepresented in engineering and science in the US, and students with disabilities. Participants must be US citizens or permanent residents of the USA.

APPLICATION: Applications are available online at bioengreu.slu.edu. Please email Dr. David W. Barnett at bioengreu@slu.edu with any questions about the program. Admissions will be on a rolling basis and complete applications must be received by March 15, 2011 for full consideration.