

Harvard-Bangalore Science Initiative

Summer Internship for Harvard College Students



Harvard-Bangalore Science Initiative is aimed at fostering collaboration in the natural sciences between Harvard University and several academic institutions in Bangalore, India. Bangalore is at the hub of Indian science, hosting three premier science institutes: the Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR, <http://www.jncasr.ac.in>), the National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS, <http://www.ncbs.res.in>), and the Indian Institute of Science (IISc, <http://www.iisc.ernet.in>).

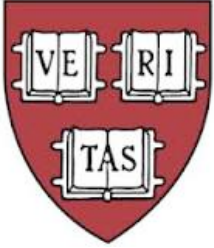
As part of this initiative, we send several Harvard College students for 8-10 weeks in summer to a laboratory of their choice in the three institutes in Bangalore (NCBS, JNCASR and IISc). Room and board will be provided. Everyone is encouraged to apply, but the program may be most appropriate for advanced sophomores and juniors.

To apply, submit the following electronically to harvardbsi@gmail.com

- Curriculum Vitae
- Transcript (if you are not a Harvard Life Science Student)
- One page proposal describing why you are interested in this program and what you hope to achieve.
- Short-listed candidates will be invited for a brief interview.

More detail about the program in: <http://tinyurl.com/b5qwwbu>

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Indian Institute of Science

The National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS)

Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research

10-12 week summer internship ~ June 10th – August 20th

1. Professional development
2. Cultural Immersion



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- Free housing in single occupancy student dorms (internet)
- Free meals, tea, and snacks at the Institute canteen
- Clean water and food
- Recreation facility (gym, pool, squash, rock climbing, etc)
- World class research labs



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Intellectual Activities and Professional Development

Areas of research:

- Life Sciences (regenerative, neuro, ecology, etc)
- Computational and Theoretical Biology
- Mathematics
- Biochemistry and Chemistry
- Applied Physics
- and much more!

Excellent resources:

- Library, internet
- Small labs (5-10 people)
- International seminars, weekly speakers
- Connections to the school of design and art, nearby wild-life conservation projects, hospitals, and entrepreneurial groups (through local Harvard Alums)



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Cultural Immersion

Connect with your India counterparts in the lab



Explore Bangalore



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Funding Deadlines:

1. **Feb 13th**: SAI Summer Grants (undergraduate Internship grants)
2. **Feb 15th**: OCS Summer Funding (non-credit Harvard run international program)

For more information or to apply, contact us!



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