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Reminder: URECA Summer Program: The URECA (Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities) Program supports SB students doing full-time faculty-mentored research or creative activity for ten weeks. At the end of the ten-week period, the URECA participants will prepare abstracts of their work and commit to presenting their work at the University's annual poster symposium in the following spring. Participants earn a $4,000 stipend.

Application deadline is March 9th, 2018
For more info and application see http://www.stonybrook.edu/commcms/ureca/summer/urecasummer.php

Reminder: Explorations in STEM-PSEG Scholars Program: The Explorations in STEM program -- administered by the Dept. of Technology & Society, URECA and the Career Center -- seeks to provide research/professional development in STEM areas to undergraduate students. Students with demonstrated need (e.g. Pell-eligible students) and/or underrepresented students, particularly freshman/sophomores considering STEM careers, are encouraged to apply. Participants receive a $4,000 stipend.

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Stony Brook University’s Volunteers Around the World Medical Outreach: We are a volunteer organization seeking motivated students to join our team and help some of the most poverty-stricken regions in the world. This summer, we will be traveling to the Dominican Republic from July 12 - 25 and Peru from August 1 - 15. Our focus is to work alongside healthcare professionals and strengthen local communities by providing them with health education, nutritional security, and access to medical care. Volunteers can look forward to gaining direct patient contact experience, medical knowledge, and skills such as CPR and suturing. Also, volunteers are encouraged to explore the country with a multitude of optional activities such as paragliding, rafting, hiking, exploring the city and beaches, and more!

Our Application is now open and can be accessed here: https://tinyurl.com/VAW2018app
Program fees and information can be found on our website at http://www.volunteersaroundtheworld.org/. Contact us at: volunteersaroundtheworld.sbu@gmail.com or on our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/sbuvaw/

Jeffrey Eng Memorial Scholarship: Applications for the Jeffrey Eng Memorial Scholarship in environmental sciences are currently being accepted. Applicants should be full-time undergraduate students studying any area of the environmental sciences at Stony Brook University. Applicants should demonstrate academic excellence and promise, as well as financial need. This will offer a one-time $500 scholarship.

Deadline to apply is Thursday, April 12th at 5 PM
For more info and application directions, see attached file.

Bard College Master of Arts in Teaching Program: The Bard MAT is seeking students who are passionate about studying biology because we believe that great teachers have a solid foundation in the subject matter they teach. The curriculum of our program gives equal weight to graduate study in biology and education. At the same time, our students spend the better part of the year learning to teach with the guidance of Bard supervisors and mentor teachers in public schools in the Hudson Valley. It’s an intensive but supportive program, and we’ve been successful--our students get jobs and stay in education.

The application deadline for summer admission is April 30.
More info about application requirements as well as a link to the online application portal can be found here.
*Disclaimer: Undergraduate Biology does not endorse or take responsibility for any off-campus programs listed in Opportunities emails. While we do our best to vet any opportunity that is shared, please let us know immediately if you are suspicious of any employers/programs.
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Please submit the following documentation to apply:
1) A short statement from the candidate explaining his or her interests in the area of environmental science
2) A brief statement explaining financial need and a short resume
3) A college transcript (unofficial is acceptable)
4) A letter of support from a professor or graduate teaching assistant (sealed in an envelope).

Please submit all applications to Martha Nolan, Secretary of the Ecology and Evolution Department in the Life Sciences Building 650, campus zip Z-5245, with all materials for each candidate together in a single package, clearly marked with the applicant’s name and "Eng Scholarship" on the outside envelope.

DEADLINE IS APRIL 12th, 5 P.M.