Undergraduate STEM Research Scholarship Opportunity
2014-2015

VIRGINIA SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM

Virginia Space Grant Consortium (VSGC) provides Undergraduate Research Scholarships of up to $8,500 to encourage talented individuals to conduct research in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) that supports NASA's mission and the aerospace industry.

Undergraduate Research Scholarships require that students participate in an active faculty-mentored research experience that aligns with the aerospace sector and meets NASA's mission. Student stipends and research support totaling $4,000 during the academic year and $4,500 during a summer semester are available.

This is a competitive program and awards are based on student academic merit, quality of research proposal and alignment of research with the goals of NASA and the aerospace sector. Awards are one year and non-renewable. VSGC can assist students in identifying research opportunities. Underrepresented minority students, female students, and students with disabilities are encouraged to apply.

Eligibility:

- Must be U.S. citizen
- Must be enrolled as a full-time student (minimum 12 credit hours) at one of the five Virginia Space Grant Consortium member institutions
- Must have completed at least two years of a STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) undergraduate program and be a junior or senior during the 2014-2015 academic year
- Must be in a program of study demonstrating an interest in aerospace or supporting NASA's mission
- Must have a grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale

Sponsor:

The Virginia Space Grant Consortium (VSGC) is a coalition of five Virginia Space Grant universities (College of William and Mary, Hampton University, Old Dominion University, University of Virginia, and Virginia Tech), the Virginia Community College System, NASA, state educational agencies, and other organizations representing diverse aerospace education and research interests.

How to Apply:

For more information and to complete the online application for 2013-2014 please visit:

http://www.vsgc.odu.edu

Applications must be received by

February 10, 2014