

# NDSU INBRE MONTHLY UPDATE



Year 3/ March 2017

## MARCH HIGHLIGHTS

### UPCOMING WEBINAR

### SURP APPLICATION DEADLINE EXTENDED

### SURP PLANNING PROGRESSES

### PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK

### UPCOMING WEBINAR

The next INBRE webinar will take place on March 28, 2017. Dr. Andrea Huseth-Zosel will share information related to the field of gerontology. Her presentation is titled, "An Examination of Older Driver Issues through a Public Health Lens".



### WEBINAR INFORMATION:

Computer: <https://join.nd.gov/1666144>

Phone: 701-328-7950 with code 483716#

Each of the INBRE webinars will be recorded and are available on our YouTube page at: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCWyLPojBH2yyi14cIBewog>. Links to the YouTube videos are also available on our website.

### SURP APPLICATION DEADLINE EXTENDED

The application for the 2017 Summer Undergraduate Research Program (SURP) has been extended. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis or until filled. Students can apply online. If preferred, paper applications can be sent upon request. Students need to submit 2 letters of recommendation, and complete 3 short essay questions in the application.

We are very excited to offer 1 college course credit as part of this year's program.

The link for the application and more information on the program can be located on our website, [HTTPS://GOO.GL/RP85C1](https://goo.gl/RP85C1). Questions about the application or SURP can be sent to Pearl Walker-Swaney at [pearl.walker@ndsu.edu](mailto:pearl.walker@ndsu.edu). Please forward the application information to those who may be interested.

## SURP PLANNING PROGRESSES

Planning for SURP continues as the INBRE team makes final preparations. New topics will be added this year. A session on “Dealing with Difficult People” will help students learn more about conflict mitigation, including how to work with other personality types in their professional ventures. A series of sessions will also be delivered which discuss writing techniques; the students will participate by performing writing exercises and creating a mock speech to their peers.

Other additions to the program include new lab tours and hands-on activities for the students. Small reading assignments will also focus on building research capacity in tribal communities, in addition to designing community-based participatory research. Several of the workshop sessions will be held in Grandmother’s Sacred Garden and the new STEM building on NDSU’s campus. We are very excited about these additions to the program and we hope students will find great value in them.

## PUBLIC HEALTH WEEK

INBRE will be participating in this year’s National Public Health Week, April 3 -7, 2017 which will be hosted by the NDSU Public Health Association. Public Health week will be open for the public to attend. Below is a list of daily events.

**Monday:** Nutrition and Women’s Health. Keynote given by Dr. Conrad (on campus).

**Tuesday:** American Indian Public Health Day (agenda is being finalized).

**Wednesday:** Public Health Day at the Capitol in Bismarck.

**Thursday:** Global Health Day (on campus). PhotoVoice presentation which will feature the diversity of our program and health within the home countries of current MPH students.

**Friday:** Department of Public Health Open House.

If you would like to attend any of the events, please keep an eye on our social media accounts. We will be posting more details soon!

## STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

### OPEC Fund for International Development

- Awards students from developing countries to obtain master’s degrees
- Deadline: May 1, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/K4zLeL>

### Health Communication Fellowship – CDC

- Assist with projects to promote developmental monitoring of young children
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/hvQx1b>

### Molecular Epidemiology and Bioinformatics Laboratory Fellowship

- Available to post-doctoral students
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/eamJs6>

### Robert Noyce Teacher Scholarship Program

- Seeks to encourage STEM majors to become k-12 mathematics and science teachers
- Deadline: August 29, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/vwV9Ja>

### Higher Education Research Experiences (HERE)

- Experience research or technical projects at the Oak Ridge National Laboratory (ORNL)
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/N4LzI7>

### Native Youth Community Adaptation and Leadership Conference

- 10-12<sup>th</sup> grade AN / AI students are eligible to apply for this week-long environmental conference
- Deadline: April 7, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/YfvOT6>

### 10<sup>th</sup> National Native American Cancer Conference

- September 21-24, 2017 in Niagara Falls, NY
- Abstract submission deadline: April 14, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/3xZmYK>

### List of Summer Student Opportunities

- List of various opportunities for Native American students
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/9EiKus>

### Pollination Nation: Summer Research Experience for Undergraduates

- 10-week summer program at North Dakota State University
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/1iv3DK>

## STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

### North Dakota Nutrition Council Conference

- April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 in West Fargo, ND
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/ENUqug>

### Tribal Conference on the *All of Us* Program on Precision Medicine

- May 25-26, 2017 in Chandler, AZ
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/mDpJhy>

### Oak Ridge Office of Environmental Management Science Education and Internship Program

- Students and college grads have the opportunity to learn about safe clean-up of environmental projects
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/H3gxv7>

### Public Health ORISE Fellowship

- Fellowship in the Division of Violence Prevention in the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/sQ1A2w>

### Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Young Scholars Program

- Available to students in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade to apply and be part of throughout high school
- Deadline: April 5, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/GqQvuQ>

### National Health Service Scholarships

- Eligible students must be committed to a primary care field and be accepted to a U.S. health care program
- Deadline: April 27, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/T4NyfE>

## STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

### White House Internship Program

- Students, or recent graduates, must be 18 to apply
- Deadline: March 31, 2017
- More information at: <https://apply.whitehouse.gov/>

### American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES) Scholarships

- Variety of scholarships available
- Deadline: May 1, 2017
- More information at: <https://aises.awardspring.com/>

### 2017 National Unity Conference

- Workshop submissions are now being accepted
- Deadline: April 14, 2017
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/HTm5JL>

### Woodlands and High Plains Powwow

- April 1, 2017
- Moorhead, MN
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/Hi33Jv>

### The Student Conservation Association Internships

- Variety of positions available throughout the year
- Rolling deadlines
- More information at: <https://goo.gl/V7dqOn>

If you would like to submit an opportunity, story for student spotlight, or have suggestions on what to include in the next monthly update, please contact us!

**WE VALUE YOUR INPUT!**

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