

# SUMMER STUDENT RESEARCH PROGRAM

## JUNE 1 — AUGUST 7, 2009

### Welcome to the Summer Student Research Program at the Maine Medical Center Research Institute!

The Summer Student Research Program (SSRP) offers pre-college and college students a unique opportunity to conduct educational research in diverse biomedical science fields during the summer months. During the ten-week program, students participate in mentored, independent research projects either in our state-of-the-art research laboratories, or working with physicians to impact patient care or the outcome of treatment. Students also attend a comprehensive course featuring topics including bioethics, animal use in biomedical science and scientific presentation skills, and attend lectures presented by distinguished guest scientists and faculty members.

I encourage you to visit our web site, [www.mmcri.org](http://www.mmcri.org), to learn more about the program.

Sincerely,

Jeong Yoon, PhD  
Director, Summer Student Research Program

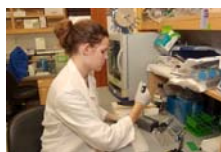


Class of 2008

### Research Interests

- vascular biology
- skeletal biology
- clinical & translational
- stem cell biology
- cancer biology
- developmental biology
- regenerative biology

I really enjoyed my experience in the Summer Student Research Program at MMCRI. Everyone was very helpful, and I gained a lot of knowledge about the lab that I will be able to apply to future work. I definitely think that my experiences here will help me to expand my horizons in the years to come!  
Erica Brown, University of Maine, Summer Student 2008



I have learned so much in the past ten weeks. I learned how to use important equipment and have carried out scientific procedures on my own. Dr. Yoon taught me a lot in a short period of time; this has been a terrific experience.  
Alice Bennett, Middlebury College, Summer Student 2008  
Laboratory of Dr. Jeong Yoon

The program was great, the work very interesting, and everyone involved was always helpful. I have to say that I really enjoyed my time here and I will take away a lot from this experience.  
Grant Goodrich, Clark University, Summer Student 2008  
Laboratory of Dr. Rob Smith



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