



**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION
CENTER FOR DRUG EVALUATION AND RESEARCH**

**Summer Internships - 2019
Office of Clinical Pharmacology
Office of Translational Sciences**

Time: Variable length from 8 (minimum) to 12 (maximum) weeks during the period May/June – August, 2019 (starting dates: either May 20 or June 10, 2019)

Location: US FDA, White Oak Campus, Silver Spring, MD

Applicant Eligibility: Students actively engaged in degree programs at US universities leading to an M.D., Pharm.D., or Ph.D. degree.

- The Homeland Security Presidential Directive-12 (HSPD-12) mandates a background check be completed for both U.S. Citizens and foreign nationals. Foreign nationals must have resided in the U.S. for at least three (3) of the past five (5) years in order for FDA to be able to complete a background check.
- Proof of health insurance is required for participation in this program.

Program:

- Interns will be involved in regulatory research involving clinical pharmacology and drug development, and will have a schedule of lectures/conferences on clinical pharmacology topics including policies and guidances.
- The program will be administered under the auspices of the ORISE program, and the intern will receive a stipend of \$2,000/month;
- The applicant can elect not to choose a specialty area, or can request specify areas of interest in clinical pharmacology such as a specific therapeutic area, specific patient populations, biomarkers, pharmacometrics, pharmacogenomics, or labeling or policy.
- Approximately 20 positions will be available.
- This program, administered by ORAU through its contract with the U.S. Department of Energy to manage the Oak Ridge Institute for Science and Education, was established through an interagency agreement between DOE and FDA. Participants do not become employees of FDA, DOE or the program administrator, and there are no employment-related benefits.

Application:

Please include:

1. Cover letter, stating area of interest (if any) and availability to participate in this internship with preferred starting date (May 20 or June 10, 2019).
2. Resume;
3. One page single-spaced statement of interest in drug development science;

4. Two reference names and contact information, OR two reference letters from the student's academic/professional contacts.
5. If selected, a further application through Zintellect.com will be necessary.

Selection is on a rolling basis, so please apply early, and before March 30, 2019.

Email application documents to:

OCP Summer Internship Program c/o Tracey.Lee@fda.hhs.gov