Partnerships: HBCUs/MSIs with Virginia Tech

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Annual HBCU/MSI Summit:

- **Research**: fostering cross-institutional research partnerships between HBCUs, MSIs and Virginia Tech.

- **Recruitment**: Providing current HBCU and MSI students with a preview of Virginia Tech’s graduate programs, allowing Virginia Tech graduate programs a key opportunity to recruit prospective students if graduate pathways are not available or aligned with student’s interests at their current/home institution.

- **Degree Partnerships**: Facilitate discussions about the feasibility of shared degree programs

Held in October/November annually
Institutional Example: HBCU/MSI Annual Research Summit

The HBCU/MSI Research Summit: Building Relationships and Exploring the Process of Inter-Institutional Partnership Between a PWI and HBCUs and MSIs (IRB 18-746)

Three key goals of the summit are associated with research, recruitment, and degree partnerships:

- **Research**
  - Fostering cross-institutional research partnerships between HBCUs, MSI's, and Virginia Tech

- **Degree Partnerships**
  - Facilitate discussions about feasibility of shared programs between the HBCU’s, MSI’s and Virginia Tech

- **Recruitment**
  - Providing current HBCU and MSI students with a preview of Virginia Tech’s graduate programs

The manuscript is located at https://bit.ly/3iCdL84
Save the Date!

2022 HBCU/MSI Research Summit
Historically Black Colleges and Universities/Minority Serving Institutions

Sunday, November 6 - Tuesday, November 8

Inn at Virginia Tech
Blacksburg, Virginia

Open to HBCU/MSI faculty, graduate students, undergraduates

Interest Form:

Please email ORDI@vt.edu for additional info
Existing Partnerships

• Virginia State University (industrial and Systems Engineering)
• Florida A&M University

What is CUBE?
CUBE is an 8-week training program designed to provide undergraduate students who are underrepresented in STEM programs the opportunity to engage in a full-time (~40 hours/week) collaborative data science experience in the health field, along with related professional development activities. The goal is to offer students an experience working with a real-world dataset under the mentorship of experienced data scientists and clinical experts, to help them determine if they want to pursue a career in collaborative data science, and to provide them with professional development skills for the workplace or for graduate school.

Who will host and mentor students?
Two students will be hosted and mentored by Virginia Tech faculty and staff on the Health and Technology campus in Roanoke, VA. Two additional students will be hosted and mentored by University of Virginia faculty and staff in Charlottesville, VA.

Program Dates: June 6, 2022 through July 29, 2022
Stipend: $4800 (housing and social outings will be covered by the program; student is responsible for food/meals; this stipend is taxable to the student)

Where can students apply?
https://biostat.centers.vt.edu/cubeprogram.html
Application Deadline: April 30, 2022

Where will the students stay?
Students participating in Virginia Tech’s program will be housed in a furnished apartment, equipped with a full kitchen, at the historic Patrick Henry Hotel.

Who supports the CUBE Program?
The Integrated Translational Health Research Institute of Virginia (ITHRIV); Virginia Tech’s College of Science and the Department of Statistics; the Fralin Life Sciences Institute (FLSI), the Institute for Society, Culture, and Environment (ISCE), and CBHDS.

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Wednesday, April 27, 2022 | 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. EDT

Learn about:
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• How you can use GlycoMIP services at little to no cost
• How GlycoMIP can help with your research
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Can we expect to see you? Register by Tuesday, April 26th at https://bit.ly/GlycoMIPPreview
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