AGENCY: 2015 Beckman Scholars Program

PROGRAM: Complete Guidelines can be found at Beckman Scholars Program 2015

OBJECTIVES: The purpose of the Beckman Scholars Program is to help stimulate, encourage and support research activities by exceptionally talented, full-timed undergraduate students. These research activities shall be centered in either chemistry, biochemistry, the biological and medical sciences or some combination of these subjects. Beckman Scholars Awards are institutional awards managed by a single P.I. Each award will fund up to six students.

The research activities performed by Beckman Scholars shall be conducted under the guidance of a full-time faculty member at the college or university receiving an award. The research work performed by the Scholar shall be deemed to be publishable by the student's faculty mentor. Such activities shall be performed part-time (ten hours per week) during one academic year and full-time over two summers (ten weeks each summer) immediately before and after the academic year research experience.

ELIGIBILITY RESTRICTIONS: UB may submit one proposal for the 2015 Beckman Scholars Program

FUNDING INFORMATION: The amount of funding per student is $26,000 ($21,000 for Student, $5,000 for mentor; total award = $156,000 over 3 years), assuming he/she works two full-time summers and one part-time academic year. The Beckman Foundation does not provide for overhead or for indirect costs.

INTERNAL REVIEW PROCESS: Application material must be submitted to the Arnold and Mabel Beckman Foundation by Friday, August 1, 2014. Due to the limited number of applications, if you or your colleagues are interested in applying, please notify Dr. Kenneth Tramposch at ovpr.limitedsubmission@research.buffalo.edu by June 10, 2014.