



# Science Research Institute (SRI)

## College Student Application

### 2009-2010

<http://www.csp.edu/Biology/SRI/SRI.html>

**Program description:** The Science Research Institute (SRI) is a year-long program partnering college science majors and under-represented populations of high school students with an interest in science with the purpose of developing their knowledge and skills in scientific study and research. SRI begins with a 5-week summer program during which students will learn science content taught through research modules and embark on an intense research project. During the Academic Year, students will engage in monthly science activities that develop their understanding of science, explore career opportunities, and reach out to the community. Throughout the program, college students act as mentors to the high school students.

SRI is currently recruiting CSP and NWC students who have an interest in gaining valuable research experience and mentoring high school students. As a college student participant you will be expected to participate in the entire summer program and attend all academic year meetings. You will receive a \$1250.00 stipend after completion of the summer program, and can earn college credit for your full participation in the summer and academic year programs.

**Program dates:** Mentor/training sessions *before* the summer program, TBA  
July 6 – August 7, 2009 (9:00 am – 1:00 pm, M – F)  
Monthly meetings during academic year TBA

**Locations:** Concordia University (St. Paul) and Northwestern College (Roseville); you must arrange for transportation

**Application deadline:** Thursday, April 30, 2009

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Expectations:

- To attend training sessions (probably 2-3) before the summer program to orient you to the SRI program and being a good mentor
- To commit to participation in the *entire* program (5-week summer program & monthly school year meetings)
- To be a leader and mentor for your group of high school students
- To act as a role model for your high school student research group; exhibit curiosity, respect, dedication, working as a team member
- To communicate with the SRI teachers on a regular basis and ask questions
- To assess student learning in your research group

## College Student Application Form — SRI Program

To apply for the SRI program, please complete the following form and submit to the professor at your school by **Thursday, April 30, 2009**.

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1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. School: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Local contact information (school address) :

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent contact information (home address):

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Year in school: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

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5. College science courses completed or in progress and grades earned:

6. Please tell us why you are interested in participating in this program; use additional sheets as necessary.

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