



2020 Call for Applicants **Scientist Mentoring & Diversity Program (SMDP)**

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The one-year career mentoring program pairs ethnically diverse **graduate** students and post-doctoral researchers with industry mentors who work at **biotech** and **consumer healthcare** companies

Who may apply?

Graduate students and post-doctoral researchers with degrees in life sciences

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Who may apply?

Undergraduate Juniors and Seniors in Engineering, or BS degree, MS degree, Ph.D.

The **application deadline** for both programs is **April 3, 2020**
(special consideration is given to how many weeks prior to application deadline you apply)

Applicants must be from racial and ethnic groups underrepresented in the biotech industry and able to work in the US: Hispanic Americans, Pacific Islanders, African Americans, and Native Americans.

With their mentors, Scholars attend a 5-day training session to learn about career opportunities in the biotech or medtech industry and receive career development coaching, as well as attending a major industry conference.

Successful applicants receive

- ✓ One-year personalized career mentoring & guidance
- ✓ Conference accommodations, meals and conference registration
 - ✓ Registration for a major industry conference
 - ✓ Up to \$350 in travel reimbursements
- ✓ Membership to online career oriented portal
- ✓ Networking & career opportunities

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