

## Call for the International Summer Research Program 2019 University of Guanajuato

Students of partner higher education institutions are invited to participate in the International Summer Research Program to develop a research project. Students will join a UG professor-led group of 3 to 6 local and foreign students in order to develop a selected research project. This integral project will contemplate products of scientific, humanistic or technological research and the development of oriented educational as well as interaction with the environment products such as science dissemination, entrepreneurship, among others.

### Requirements for students:

- a) Transcript of a higher education institution that demonstrates that the student has completed at least 60% of the academic program of the institution of origin and has at least a GPA of 9.0/10, or equivalent, without any pending subject.
- b) Proof of enrollment of the home institution and valid student ID.
- c) International Office Nomination letter of the home institution acknowledging that the student can perform in a different socio-cultural environment. The International Office is responsible for the evaluation and selection of students with outstanding profiles.
- d) Valid passport (with a minimum of 6 months validity from returning date)

### Process of participation:

- Upload all the required documents as indicated by the University of Guanajuato International Office.
- The University of Guanajuato International Office will notify the students with respect to the acceptance in the program.
- The University of Guanajuato International Office will jointly assign a research project with the home institution.
- The students will develop a research proposal with their professor and the working team.
- The University of Guanajuato evaluation committee will approve or decline the research proposal (The result will be published on April 3<sup>rd</sup>).
- If the research proposal is accepted, the students will participate in a seven-week-program from June 17<sup>th</sup> to August 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Accepted students must acquire an International Medical Insurance policy that covers accidents and illnesses for the whole duration of their stay.
- Participants must complete their University of Guanajuato enrollment within the first 3 days of their stay.



### Financial support:

Accepted students can apply for a \$ 15,000.00 MXN pesos financial support which availability will depend on the resources assigned to the program by the University of Guanajuato. In case a financial support is not granted, the student will need approximately \$ 15,000.00 MXN pesos for housing and meals expenses, in addition to airfare, and international medical insurance fees. Personal expenses are the sole responsibility of the student.

### **Academic outcomes:**

- Development of a research plan, work report and prepare a presentation with their research team.
- Present the results at the Conference of the Summer of Science (August 1<sup>st</sup>).

### Process of Financial support (April 4<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup>):

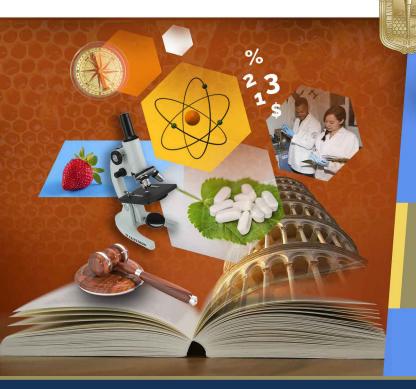
- Provide required information: name of the bank, branch address of the bank, SWIFT or ABA code, bank account number, beneficiary's name, beneficiary's address.
- Send an electronic copy of the signed receipt form to the email address provided by the University of Guanajuato.
- Present the original receipt at the enrollment meeting.

### Enrollment at the University of Guanajuato as students of academic mobility:

The process of enrollment will be finalized upon the induction meeting held in the city of Guanajuato on June 14<sup>th</sup>. Students are required to pay for the University of Guanajuato Accident Insurance upon (costo del Seguro) arrival, submit the original receipt of the financial support, and hand in a copy of Migration Form.

For further information contact the International Office at: <a href="mailto:internacional@ugto.mx">internacional@ugto.mx</a> or: +52 (473) 732-0006 ext. 2709

## UNIVERSIDAD DE GUANAJUATO



# International Summer Research Program

**Application Deadline** February 15, 2019

Established in 1994, UG Summer Research Program welcomes every year national and international students to participate in different research projects proposed by UG faculty members in a broad range of fields of study.









#### Fields of Research:

- Social Science and Humanities
- Natural and Exact Sciences
- · Architecture, Art and Design
- Economics and Administration
- · Law. Politics and Government
- Life Sciences
- Engineering
- · Health Sciences

### **Eligibility:**

- Undergraduate or Graduate students must be enrolled in a Higher Education Institution
- To be available to engage in a research project for eight weeks (June to August)
- The research project can be conducted in the language of the student convenience, either English, French or Spanish.

### Scholarship:

Expenses of room and board are partially covered by a stipend of the University of Guanajuato.

All applications will be considered in the scholarship granting process.

No additional application is required.

### **Application Procedure:**

- 1) The International Office of Home Institution must send all the required documents before the deadline to internacional@ugto.mx
  - Resume
- Academic Transcripts
- Motivation letter including the research topics of interest
- Copy of passport
- Academic recommendation letter
- 2) Applicants will receive a personal login and password to complete the online registration.
- 3) A letter of acceptance will be sent to the International Office of the Home Institution
- 4) Applicants will be informed about the name of the available research projects during the process.

### **Important Dates:**

- June 10 and 11: Arrival dates –
   Airport (BJX) pick up services will be provided only on these days
- June 12: Intercultural Workshop
- June 13: Official Opening
- June 14: Orientation Day
- August 1: Symposium
- August 5 and 6: Departure dates:

  Transportation to the Airport (PIX)

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### **Optional Activities in the Program:**

- Guanajuato city tour
- One Concert of the University Symphonic Orchestra
- Other cultural activities will be available upon arrival



For more information please contact: internacional@ugto.mx

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