

Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) position is available at The Ohio State University



The ideal candidate should be interested in the fields of aquatic ecology, conservation and behavior, detail-oriented, observant and hard-working. The student will start on June 1, 2020. We will provide a stipend of \$400/week for ten weeks and \$500 for travel to Columbus, Ohio.

Interested students should apply by **Friday, February 20, 2020**, but applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Eligible students must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Students who have received their bachelor's degrees and are no longer enrolled as undergraduates are not eligible. Applications should include an unofficial copy of transcripts, contact information for two academic references, CV and a one-page statement describing your interest in the REU position, academic goals and previous research.

The position is for summer 2020 in the School of Environment and Natural Resources to study whether behavioral divergence among populations of an African cichlid is functionally significant and confers a fitness advantage across extremes of dissolved oxygen and turbidity.

The REU student will work with Dr. Suzanne Gray and Dr. Lauren Pintor on an NSF-funded project that investigates “Key drivers and functional significance of sensory and behavioral trait divergence across multiple environmental stressors in an African cichlid.” The REU student will work as part of a team in Columbus to conduct several behavioral experiments in the lab. He/She/They will also develop an independent project.

Please send applications to:
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