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Dear Faculty:

****Please distribute to undergraduates who may be interested****

The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), in partnership with the National Science Foundation (NSF), has announced their Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) program.

SURF is a summer research program for undergraduates majoring in science, math, and engineering.

Location: NIST, Gaithersburg, MD
(also Boulder, CO - please visit <http://surf.boulder.nist.gov/>)

Dates: May 27, 2008 - August 8, 2008

Students can participate in any one of the seven NIST laboratories:

- a.. Building and Fire Research
- b.. Chemical Science and Technology
- c.. Electronics and Electrical Engineering
- d.. Information Technology
- e.. Manufacturing Engineering
- f.. Materials Science & Engineering
- g.. Physics

Eligibility: Students must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Students must be undergraduates at a U.S. university or college with a scientific major, have a G.P.A. of 3.0/4.0 or better (recommended), and are considering pursuing a graduate degree (M.S. or Ph.D.). Students with physics, material science, chemistry, applied mathematics, computer science, or engineering majors are always encouraged to apply. There may be research opportunities for students with other majors.

Students receive a \$4,000 stipend for the 12-week research program, and allowances for housing and travel.

Deadline, Grants.gov electronic submission by Grants Office: February 15, 2008
Deadline, student application materials to W&M Grants Office: February 8, 2008

Anticipated number of awards: 100

Please visit <http://www.surf.nist.gov/surf2.htm> for additional information about research areas and application procedures.

Students may advise the Grants Office of intent to apply at preawardl@wm.edu.

Regards,
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