

Postbaccalaureate Intramural Research Training Award Program

What

NCATS, through its Division for Preclinical Innovation (DPI), provides future scientists with a paid full-time research experience in an exemplary and active laboratory setting as part of the NIH Postbaccalaureate Intramural Research Training Award Program. Be a part of a team science environment across such broad areas as biology, chemistry, engineering and informatics.

Who

U.S. citizens or permanent residents who intend to apply to graduate or professional school during their tenure at the NIH must meet **one** of the following criteria:

- College graduates who received their bachelor's degrees less than **three** years prior to the date they begin the program,
- Individuals who are more than three years past the receipt of their bachelor's degree but received a master's degree less than **six** months before they begin the program, **or**
- Students who have been accepted into graduate, other doctoral or medical school programs and have written permission from their school to delay entrance for up to one year to pursue a biomedical research project at the NIH.

When

Students arrive at the NIH on a rolling basis year-round for one to two years.

Where

NCATS' DPI is located just 10 miles from the NIH main campus at 9800 Medical Center Drive, Rockville, Maryland 20850.

How

Apply year-round at https://training.nih.gov/programs/postbac_irta.

Required materials:

- Curriculum vitae or resume
- List of coursework and grades
- Cover letter (describing research interests and career goals)
- Two letters of reference
- Indicate NCATS as your NIH Institute/ Center of interest.**

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Website

<https://ncats.nih.gov/training-education/training/NCATS-opportunities>



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