There are research opportunities this summer in the laboratories of the following faculty:

- Peter Gittins - Polymer Chemistry
- Deborah Gross - Atmospheric Chemistry
- Will Hollingsworth - Physical Chemistry
- Dani Kohen - Computational Physical Chemistry

If you are interested in learning more about the research opportunities in any of these laboratories, please see the Summer Research document at [http://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/chem/research/](http://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/chem/research/) and also contact the faculty member directly.

**Research Recruiting Seminar:**
- *Friday, February 13, 3:30 PM, Olin 04*

**Application Deadline:**
- *Wednesday, February 25*

**Notification of Offers:**
- *Monday, March 2*

**Decision Required by:**
- *Monday, March 9*

**Submit Application to:**
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Every summer the faculty in the Chemistry Department offer research opportunities for undergraduate colleagues. Note that these summer research positions are only made available to Carleton students. We have instituted an application process to make sure everyone who is interested in research comes to the attention of the faculty. There are always more applicants than positions on campus, so all students are encouraged to apply for research positions off-campus as well. Information about finding programs will be provided at the Research Recruiting Seminar in mid February, and can also be found on the department’s web page (both in the “Research” section and in the newsletter “The Weekly Beaker”).

Given the late date of the seminar, we encourage students interested in doing research over the summer to consult with a faculty member and obtain help in identifying summer research positions elsewhere.

Details of research projects and application procedures available can be found at http://apps.carleton.edu/curricular/chem/research/

The application process begins with a research-recruiting seminar in mid February and concludes at the end of winter term. The deadline for the student application is in late February and invitations to students to join specific research groups will be issued the first week of March. Students who receive invitations to join a research group must make a commitment before leaving campus for spring break.

You can also visit http://serc.carleton.edu/cismi/researchopps.html, a site that provides information about how each of the Carleton science departments hire for summer research positions.

The summer research program lasts from approximately June 15 - August 21, 2009 (dates can be flexible). The stipend is $4200 for 10 weeks. Students are eligible for campus housing during the summer. In addition to research, the department sponsors summer social activities. Research discussions occur through a weekly all-department research symposium as well as a weekly series of “tea talks” open to the campus community. Research students typically participate in an independent study in the spring term before they start research, and often continue in the following academic year.