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## **MIR Summer Research Program**

### **Washington University School of Medicine**

**Application Deadline: Monday, January 16, 2023** for Summer Imaging Research Program (MIRSRP2023)

**Program Website:** <https://www.mir.wustl.edu/education/summer-research-program/>

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address:

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Current phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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Phone number where you can be reached from early January to March 2023: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Can you work in the United States?**      \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes**    \_\_\_\_\_ **No**

(Please note that Washington University will not sponsor visas for this program)

Do you consider yourself an under-represented minority:    \_\_\_\_\_ **Yes**    \_\_\_\_\_ **No**

**Undergraduate Education**

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s) and year(s) when obtained/expected: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Undergraduate Education**

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s) and year(s) when obtained/expected: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

**Graduate or Medical Education (for current medical students only)**

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s) and year(s) when obtained/expected: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Graduate or Medical Education (for medical students only)

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_ to: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Major: \_\_\_\_\_ Degree(s) and year(s) when obtained/expected: \_\_\_\_\_

Honors/Awards:

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## MIR Summer Research Program Application

Please take some time to review the [2023 MIR Summer Research Participating Faculty list](#). Learn more about [MIR's research faculty here](#).

**List up to three faculty members in order of preference that you would like work with as a mentor:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Please look at the MIR Summer Research Program Website and review participating faculty listed and their research interest to prioritize your top three faculty mentor choices. It is preferred that you not contact the mentors directly until you have been selected for the program.

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1. Describe your research interests in Radiological Sciences and how you would benefit from participation in this summer program. Explain how this program aligns with your long-term academic goals.

2. Please describe factors that guided you in selecting your number one choice for faculty mentor.

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3. **Interventional Radiology Summer Research Program (2 open slots)**

For the 2023 Summer Research Program, we are introducing two summer student slots for Interventional Radiology. If interested in applying for the Interventional Radiology program, please use the website below to contact one of the Interventional Radiology faculty and develop a project proposal. Please upload the one-page summary of the proposed Interventional Radiology project as a separate section of your application. (The one-page summary is in addition to the Items 1 & 2 on page 3 of this document used to describe your proposed project.)

Link to subspecialty website: <https://www.mir.wustl.edu/patient-care/interventional-services/interventional-radiology/>

YES, I am interested in applying to the Interventional Radiology Summer Program 2023 Student slot. \*\*  
**Attach separate 1-page summary of proposed project.**

NO, I am not interested in applying to the Interventional Radiology Summer Program 2023

4. **Prior Research Experience (if any):**

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Mentor: \_\_\_\_\_

Project title: \_\_\_\_\_

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Mentor: \_\_\_\_\_

Project title: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Publications and/or presentations:

The information I have given in this application is correct to my knowledge.

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Name

\_\_\_\_\_

Date

## Application and Program Guideline

Please return your completed application, official transcripts from all undergraduate schools (and medical school if applicable), and **two letters** of recommendation on the recommender's institutional letterhead. For medical students, a medical school Dean's letter of good standing is required and two recommendation letters from undergraduate faculty or advisers on institutional letterhead are accepted. Undergraduate transcripts should contain **cumulative GPAs**. Medical school students must also submit MCAT scores to complete their application for the summer research program, or include explanation why the MCAT was not required. Only completed applications will be submitted to the Selection Committee. We will accept unofficial pdf copies of transcripts. Letters of recommendation: should be sent directly to us from the recommenders for highest consideration via email to: [mirsrp@email.wustl.edu](mailto:mirsrp@email.wustl.edu). Please include in the Subject line: 'MIRSRP Recommendation for (student)'.

MIR's Office of Diversity, Equity and Justice (DEJ) promotes equity for all members of MIR by fostering a community that embraces and reflects diversity of backgrounds, experiences, and perspectives. Our objective is for MIR as an institution to become a model for diversity and inclusive excellence through progressive practices, policies and cutting-edge research on health disparities relating to radiological sciences-driven healthcare. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply to MIR Summer Research Program.

**All above materials must be emailed to [mirsrp@email.wustl.edu](mailto:mirsrp@email.wustl.edu) no later than Monday, January 16, 2023. Please make sure to include "MIRSRP2023" in the subject line. If sending via regular mail, all materials must be post-marked by Monday, January 16, 2023.** Decisions may be expected around first week of February.

**For administrative questions**, please contact Debra Hughes, program coordinator, at [hughesd@wustl.edu](mailto:hughesd@wustl.edu).

**For program specific questions**, please contact Vijay Sharma, PhD, professor of radiology, neurology and biomedical engineering at [sharmav@wustl.edu](mailto:sharmav@wustl.edu).

### More about the **2023 MIR Summer Research Program**:

- The start date for the program is flexible; you may start anytime between May 22 and May 29, 2023.
- This is a 10-week program based on approximately 40 hours per week.
- The 10-week program ends with an oral presentation date on Friday Aug 4, 2023. Each student must participate in a 15-minute presentation of their project. You are encouraged to support your fellow students and attend all other talks.
- You will be paid a stipend totaling \$7,000. You will receive a check in June for \$3,500 and a check in July for \$3500. This position is a temporary position paid via a stipend and is not benefit-eligible. There will be no taxes pulled out of your checks and you will receive a 1099 form at the end of the year.
- If you need local housing, a popular location is The Core Apartment Residence (the medical school dormitory) located on the medical school campus offers temporary housing options for guests of the University who wish to stay for up to three months. The available dates for housing are from May 22 through August 4. Please contact directly as soon as possible.
- As a representative of the MIR Summer Research Program, you will be expected to comply with all applicable policies of Washington University and the School of Medicine. In addition, you will be expected to comply with all training requirements necessary for your lab or section. Washington University is committed to maintaining a safe and healthful community by promoting a drug and alcohol-free environment. In addition, all new employees are required to have a tuberculosis skin test performed upon employment, at no cost.
- Throughout the summer, there will be planned social activities for all Summer Researchers at Washington University.
- For transportation needs, you may purchase a Metrolink train pass for public transportation or a campus parking pass.
- Program Acknowledgement for Publications: (A, preferred) With your name in author's association with the lab through the MIR Summer Research Program at Washington University; or option, (B) Acknowledgment for the program in the dedicated section. Please notify us of any publication citation resulting from your work in the MIR Summer Research Program.