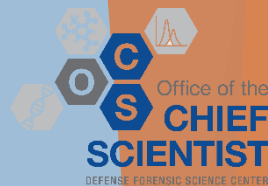


Defense Forensic Science Center

Research Associate Program



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The Defense Forensic Science Center provides full service forensic support (traditional, expeditionary, and reach-back) to Army and DoD customers worldwide; provides training and research capabilities; serves as the executive agent for the DoD DNA databasing program; manages the USACIDC criminalistics program; and provides forensic support to other federal agencies as appropriate.

This research program is a unique opportunity for students to conduct leading edge research with forensic science practitioners. The program is suited for students in the natural sciences (e.g. biology, chemistry), electrical and computer engineering, systems engineering, mathematics, operations, and bioinformatics research. Strong physical science backgrounds are a plus.

Areas of Research

Latent Prints	Digital Evidence
DNA Analysis	Document Analysis
Drug Chemistry	Trace Chemistry
Firearms/Toolmarks	

Research Topics

Develop analytical methods
Evaluate and validate instrumentation
Develop processes for deployed laboratories
Establish or modify existing protocol



Eligibility Requirements

- Interest in Forensic Science
- GPA 3.0 or greater on 4.0 scale
- Rising Junior or Senior
- U.S. Citizen or Permanent Resident
- Pass a background investigation

Timeframe

Summer positions: start ~June 1st, 8-12 week duration
Long-term positions: rotating start dates, available based on school location

Compensation

Stipend: \$1857–\$3032/mo – based on 40 hour week

To Apply:

Email a copy of your resume/CV and unofficial transcript to the address below. After a pre-selection interview with the laboratory, you may be directed to apply online at the Army Educational Outreach Program (www.aeop.com) website. Proof of U.S. citizenship (i.e. copy of passport, birth certificate, or naturalization document) will be required at a later time.

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