

Summer Research Opportunity at the Champalimaud Centre for the Unknown, Portugal

Claremont Colleges' Intercollegiate Neurosciences is willing to send a number of undergraduate students to intern at neuroscience laboratories in the Champalimaud Centre for the Unknown during the summer of 2024 as part of the Neuroscience Summer Fellowship Program. Students should be neuroscience majors enrolled at the 5-Cs.

The Champalimaud Neuroscience Program (CNP), part of the Champalimaud Centre for the Unknown, undertakes research by individual researchers and research teams working at the cutting edge of biomedical science. CNP seeks to facilitate the quest of scientists to forge new links between nervous system function and behavior. The scientific goals of the program are represented not by a particular field within neuroscience, but by the full intellectual scope of the scientists of the program. The CNP is located in a purpose built facility in Belém, Portugal and is a home to over 100 graduate students and postdoctoral scientists organized around the labs of approximately 20 principle investigators exploring many different levels of neurobiological investigation.

The students will receive \$5000 towards expenses as part of the 5-C Neuroscience Summer Fellowship Program.

The CNP will provide some meals for students in the Centre cafeteria.

Students will be responsible for all travel expenses including flight costs and travel within the city.

The CNP will work with students to help them find appropriate and affordable housing during their time in Portugal, perhaps in shared accommodations with other American undergraduates interning at the CNP.

Students will be placed into a lab according to the interests and skills of the student and the space resources of the CNP.

Interested students should indicate Champalimaud Centre as one of their research site choices in the Neuroscience Summer Fellowship Program application form. This opportunity is subject to availability so please be sure to indicate alternative sites. Successful placement at the center will also depend on passing an interview.

For further information please visit <https://fchampalimaud.org/champalimaud-foundation/champalimaud-centre>

A general informational meeting will be held for interested students early in the spring semester.