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THE BIOTECHNOLOGY PROCESS ENGINEERING CENTER (BPEC) at MIT is seeking outstanding undergraduates to participate in its Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) program. The REU program provides research opportunities in biotechnology and biological engineering at the BPEC to undergraduates who are United States citizens or permanent residents and are currently enrolled at other colleges and universities in a degree-granting program.

The BPEC will be selecting students for the summer term of 2005, Monday, June 6 — Thursday, August 11, 2005, to work full-time on biotechnology research. The program dates are not flexible. No exceptions will be made.

We are proud that our program provides the following:

**\$3,500.00 Stipend
On-Campus Dormitory Housing
Travel Expenses (some restrictions apply)
Laboratory/Research Experience
Workshops**

*Presentation Skills
Scientific Integrity*

The REU program at the BPEC is sponsored by the National Science Foundation. The BPEC is an interdisciplinary research center. Research projects will be assigned based on a review process and may not coincide with an applicant's major. For additional information on the research done at BPEC and application forms, please visit:

<http://web.mit.edu/bpec>

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