Make Research
Earn Money
Be a Scientist.

If yes for USA in the summer, complete the following steps.

1. Complete research application
   and provide the supporting documents.
   a. Two letters from mentors recommending you
      for a research experience
   b. A summary of your research interests and skills
   c. A summary of your career goals

2. Pick a location in USA where you can do research.
   Michigan State Univ.
   Univ. of Georgia - Athens
   Notre Dame Univ.
   Univ. of Buffalo, New York
   Woods Hole Oceanographic Inst.
   Scripps Research Inst.
   Univ. of Minnesota
   Univ. of North Carolina
   Penn State University
   Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison
   Tufts Medical, Boston
   Univ. of Iowa
   Ohio State Univ.
   Western Michigan
   San Jose State Univ.
   North Carolina State Univ.
   Univ. of Pennsylvania
   ETC.

3. Interview
   The top candidates will be interviewed first
   by Dr. Ross and later by a representative for the
   host university. After the second interview
   you will be notified within 3-4 days of your selection.

   Total salary for the summer is **over $4,000.**
   Free Round trip tickets are provided.

Do you want to prepare
for your graduate studies
by conducting research
in USA
during the summer?

During the last two weeks in August you will
present at Cayey a poster of your investigation.
And you will provide a written scientific paper of
the investigation by the end of August.

The top posters (typically 2 or more students) will
be selected by faculty judges to attend the
national meeting of NIH called ABRCMS
with all expenses paid.

Currently 40 Cayey-RISE graduates are
making their dreams come true
by continuing their studies to become
science professionals.
Since 1985 over 200 Cayey RISE graduates
are now PhDs or MDs.

Our goal is to help the student become –
an analytical chemist,
an anatomist,
a biochemist,
a cancer researcher,
a cell & molecular biologist,
an environmentalist,
a genomics expert,
a mathematician,
a microbiologist,
a neurobiologist,
a organic chemist,
a pharmacologist,
a physiologist,
a toxicologist,
a wildlife biologist,
– or whatever science career you wish!
Do you want to prepare for your graduate studies by conducting research for one year in Puerto Rico?

If yes, complete the following steps.

1. **Complete research application** and documents (//rise.cayey.upr.edu/main/content/rise-application)
   a. Two letters from mentors recommending you for a research experience
   b. A summary of your research interests and skills
   c. A summary of your career goals.

2. **Pick a location in Puerto Rico** where you can do research –
   a. Ponce School of Medicine
   b. University of Puerto Rico- Río Piedras, Med Sciences
   c. Univ. of P.R. - Cayey with Drs. Arce, Bansal, Otaño, Koscielski, or Rubin,
   e. Universidad Central del Caribe

3. The top 10 candidates selected will be paired with mentors at the requested location. Acceptance letter from the mentor is then required.

You will begin working with the mentor for one semester, & maybe for a second.
You can work up to 9-hours/ week on your investigation with your mentor and in Cayey you will work one hour/ week on testing skills

Salary for the semester is over **$1,500**.

**Responsibilities** - During fifth week of semester you will present at Cayey a proposal of your investigation.
At the end of the semester you will present a seminar at Cayey along with a written scientific paper of the investigation.
Each of these activities will be on a Saturday.

**Requirement for all research students**
– Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Psychology, or Math majors with more than 30 credits.
– Committed to attending graduate school.
– **Enrollment** – In an investigation class, either in Chemistry or Biology 4990 for one credit.
– Attend GRE review sessions on Tuesday 10:30 & 5 Role Model Seminars on Thursdays 10:30.