VIMS REU Intern Program
Summer Schedule 2019

May 26
Arrive Williamsburg and check into the dorm 1 - 6 PM. Dinner w/ Program Coordinator & REU TA

May 27
VIMS closed- Memorial Day holiday; Students get settled in dorms and explore W&M on their own

May 28
Orientation (W&M ID cards and other main campus business 8:00-9:30 AM; VIMS, Andrews 326 and other locations; Meet & Greet w/ Mentors 10:00 -10:30 AM; VIMS business 10:30 – 12:30 PM); luncheon w/ mentors in Andrews Hall 326 (12:30-1:30 PM); VIMS HR Paperwork in Andrews Hall 326 (1:30-4:00 PM); meet with mentors (4-5 PM)

Group 1: First Aid/CPR (8:30 AM-12:30 PM); Intern pizza lunch (12:30 -1 PM); VIMS ITNS and Library orientation in Computer Center, followed by tour (1:30 -2:45 PM); Pre-program Survey in computer lab (2:50 -3:30 PM); finish Check-In sheet and complete any remaining paperwork and then meet w/mentors (3:30-5 PM). Group 2: Meet w/mentors (8:30-10 AM); VIMS ITNS and Library orientation in Computer Center, followed by tour (10-11:15 AM); Pre-program Survey in computer lab (11:20 -12PM); Finish Check-In sheet and complete any remaining paperwork; Intern pizza lunch (12:30 -1 PM); First Aid/CPR (1-5 PM).

May 29
May 30th, 10 AM Geology Seminar; Chris Hein (AH 326), Depart for Eastern Shore Lab Field Trip. Depart ESL Sat. June 1st

June 7
Seminar: Scientific writing and peer review; Dr. Rochelle Seitz (AH 326; noon – 1:30 PM)

June 11 or 12?
Field trip on R/V Bay Eagle - 7:00 am-6:00 pm (breakfast & lunch included)

Jun 21
Intern prospectus presentations of major hypotheses, objectives, and approach (AH 326; 10 AM – 1 PM; with mentors). Research prospectus due at 5 pm.

June 28
Seminar: Talking Science; Dr. Dave Malmquist (AH 326; noon - 1:30 PM)

Jul 3
Faculty Presentation - TBA (AH 326; noon – 1 PM)

Jul 4
VIMS closed – 4th of July holiday

Jul 12
Seminar: Doing Science; Dr. Liz Canuel and TA (AH 326; 10 AM – 1 PM) [mentors invited]

July 13 (Sat)
Canoe trip and Pamunkey Indian Reservation Museum with Dr. Jim Perry; lunch on site

mid-July
TA tutorials, data analysis in R, and presentation software

Jul 19
Considering Graduate School?: Insights from the Folks Who Read the Files; Dr. Iris Anderson/ Ethics module (AH 326; 12:00-2:30 PM) [mentors invited]

Jul 26
Alternatives to Academia; Invited Panel (organized by Rochelle & Jenny, AH 326; 10:30 AM -1 PM)

July 29
Practice for Final Presentations w/ TA & other students (McHugh Auditorium; 8:30 AM - 5 PM)

July 30
Dress Rehearsal for Final Presentations (McHugh Auditorium; 8:30 AM – 5:30 PM) – practice w Mentors, lab members, & TA

July 31
Final Presentations for VIMS community (McHugh Auditorium; 10 AM-3:00 PM, with break for lunch); Reception to follow (Watermen’s Hall Lobby)

Aug 1
Complete final research paper, laboratory cleanup, and VIMS sign-out

Aug 2
Post-program Survey (10AM); final research paper due by 5PM

Aug 3 (Sat)
Depart for home; dorm checkout by noon