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Dear Dual Degree Liaisons!

Thank you for your partnership in the Dual Degree program at Washington University in St. Louis' McKelvey School of Engineering!

A leading research institution, Washington University annually conducts more than 4,000 projects; total sponsored research support for fiscal year 2024 was approximately \$1.02 billion. We value our long tradition of involving undergraduates, from both WashU and other institutions, in the creation of knowledge.

We at McKelvey want you to be aware of **Summer 2026 opportunities for non-WashU students** to do engineering-related research at WashU. Please find more information about each program, including eligibility and application requirements, by using the individual links below.

Carbon Utilization Redesign for Biomanufacturing (CURB) Engineering Research Center

<https://curb.wustl.edu/engineering-workforce-development/research-experiences-for-undergraduates-program/>

Application Deadline: January 16, 2026

US citizenship or Permanent Residency required

Cardiovascular Research Summer Program (CardS)

<https://cardiovascularreu.wustl.edu/>

Application Deadline: February 1, 2026

US citizenship, Permanent Residency, or other approved status required—see website for details.

Center for Engineering MechanoBiology (CEMB) Summer Research Experience

<https://cemb.upenn.edu/programs/education-network/undergraduate-research-opportunities/>

Application Deadline: February 1, 2026

US citizenship or Permanent Residency required

Computer Science & Engineering Research Experience for Undergraduates

<https://sites.wustl.edu/csereu/>

Application Deadline: February 13, 2026

Welcomes both domestic students and international students studying in US institutions.

Thermal Management Research Experience for Undergraduates

<https://thermalmanagementreu.wustl.edu/>

This REU site is up for renewal and funding from NSF is pending.

Application Deadline: TBD (check website for updates)

US citizenship or Permanent Residency required

Washington University Summer Engineering Fellowship (WUSEF)

<https://engineering.washu.edu/academics/undergraduate-research/WUSEF.html>

Application Deadline: February 15, 2026
US citizenship or Permanent Residency required

Women's Health Engineering Summer Research Program

<https://womenshealthengineering.wustl.edu/trainings/summer-research-program/>

Application Deadline: February 1, 2026
US citizenship or Permanent Residency required

This overview has been sent by the Dual Degree program on behalf of the McKelvey academic departments who coordinate the research programs. *For further details, please use the links above, all of which include contact information to assist with questions.*

Best,
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