GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR SUMMER 2007
Summer Undergraduate Research Experience - SURE

Orientation Workshop – Little Rock, Arkansas

What is DOE Office of Biological and Environmental Research (BER) doing in Global Change Research?

What are some of the key issues in the South!

Research Experience – Mentoring!

Opportunity to do hands on work in Global Change Study Areas!

Final Workshop – Washington, D.C.

Oral Presentations on Accomplishments!
Graduate Research Environmental Fellows – GREF

Orientation for NEW GREF and Returning GREF
– Opportunity for Status Report!
Get to Meet your Fellow SURE and GREF students!
SURE ➞ GREF!

Final Workshop – More Status Reports!
NETWORKING

Getting to know the players!

Getting to know other students in the field!
Our GCEP Goals:

Give students the opportunity to find out what research is like!
One on one with leaders in the field of Global Change!
Encourage undergrads to enter graduate school!
Help grad students complete thesis in Global Change!
Increase high quality U.S. Scientists!
SURE and GREF Goals:

Find out what research is all about!

Meet new people – mentors and students interested in Global Change Research and Environmental Issues

Learn, Learn, Learn!* 

Find out what the Dept. of Energy is doing!

Let us know how it went! – Feed back!

Final Workshop – Oral Presentations- SURE (short)
- GREF (longer)

* Note: This is lifelong process, trust me on this.. I am still learning!
SPEAKERS – MENTORS

Jeff Gaffney – University of Arkansas at Little Rock (UALR)
Nancy Marley – University of Arkansas at Little Rock (UALR)
Mike Ledbetter – University of Arkansas at Little Rock (UALR)
Beth McMillan – University of Arkansas at Little Rock (UALR)
Justin Wilkinson-Lockheed Martin Space Operations
  National Aeronautic Space Agency (NASA)
Mary Good – University of Arkansas at Little Rock (UALR)
Julie Whitbeck – University of New Orleans
Stephen Rudd – National Park Service – Hot Springs National Park
Robert Twilley – Louisiana State University
T.J. Blasing – Oak Ridge National Laboratory
Amy Wolfe – Oak Ridge National Laboratory
SPEAKERS – GREF STUDENTS!

Kevin Mueller – Penn State University
Sarah O’Brien – University of Illinois at Chicago
Esther Zeledon – University of California, Berkeley
Rose Ravelo – Purdue University
Monica Martinez-Aviles – Purdue University
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Some Final Comments!

Abbreviations need to be defined –
DOE is Department of Energy
BER – is Office of Biological and Environmental Research
GCEP – is Global Change Education Program
SURE – is Summer Undergraduate Research Experience
GREF – is Graduate Research Environmental Fellowships
ARM – Atmospheric Radiative Measurements
ASP – Atmospheric Science Program
ACP – Atmospheric Chemistry Program
NIGEC – National Institutes for Global Environmental Change
EMP – Environmental Meteorology Program
VTMX – Vertical Transport and Mixing
TCP – Terrestrial Carbon Program
PER – Program for Ecological Research
IA - Integrated Assessment
ORAU – Oak Ridge Associated Universities
SOARS – Significant Opportunities in Atmospheric Research and Science
ANL - Argonne National Laboratory
BNL – Brookhaven National Laboratory
ORNL – Oak Ridge National Laboratory
PNNL – Pacific Northwest National Laboratory
LBNL – Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
LLNL – Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory
LANL – Los Alamos National Laboratory
EMSL – Environmental Molecular Sciences Laboratory
UALR – University of Arkansas at Little Rock
ALSO....

IF YOU ARE OVERWHELMED WITH ALL OF THE INFORMATION PRESENTED.. GOOD!

WE HOPE TO GET YOU THINKING ABOUT WHAT DOE IS DOING – IN MANY AREAS..

YOU MAY LEARN DIFFERENT SPEAKS! (BIO.. GEO.. ECO..ATMO..SPEAK)

THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS OF THE FUTURE WILL REQUIRE INTERDISCIPLINARY INTERACTIONS OF EXPERTS FROM THEIR FIELDS.. WE HOPE YOUR PART OF THAT!
Glad you got here safe and sound and are part of GCEP!

Enjoy the Lectures and the Discussions!

If you need anything.. Ask Milt!