The University of Toledo will be hosting a nine-week Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU) again this summer at the Lake Erie Research and Education Center on the southwest shore of Lake Erie. Applications and details can be found at www.reusummer.utoledo.edu. Students will participate in interdisciplinary research projects that will enhance their field and research skills and help in the pursuit of careers in the environmental sciences. Students will work individually or in teams to address environmental problems affecting Lake Erie and its watersheds. We also include many extra activities such as field trips and research discussions. Students in their Sophomore or Junior years from a wide range of interests are invited to apply. Geology, Ecology, Biology, Environmental Sciences, Remote Sensing, Environmental Engineering students should consider applying. Only U.S. citizens are eligible and minorities are encouraged.

To apply: Go to www.reusummer.utoledo.edu, enter all of the information requested, including a short narrative of your career goals and research interests. Letters of recommendation and transcripts should be sent to the address above by March 15th, 2007; complete applications are given preference. Candidates are chosen based on credentials and compatibility of their interests to that of an available faculty member.

Some of the many projects available include:
- Non-indigenous species impact on Lake Erie
- Contaminant investigations in lake water and surrounding agricultural fields
- Fisheries Research
- Coastal sand dune response

You will receive:
- $3500 stipend
- Lodging
- Travel to and from Toledo

Deadline March 15, 2007

Send a copy of your college transcripts (unofficial is acceptable) and two letters of recommendation to:
Dr. Alison Spongberg
Department of Environmental Sciences
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