The **Amgen Scholars Program** provides summer research experiences at 10 universities across the country for students interested in pursuing Ph.D.’s and, eventually, a career in science. Students interested in summer research in any area of biomedical science, chemistry, bioengineering or chemical engineering are encouraged to apply.

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- Interested in pursuing a Ph.D. or M.D.-Ph.D.

**Application Deadline:**
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