

Reduced Gravity Student Program

We wanted to make you aware of the Reduced Gravity Student Program for 2012. The Reduced Gravity Education Flight Program's Microgravity University provides a unique academic experience for undergraduate students to successfully propose, design, fabricate, fly and evaluate a reduced gravity experiment of their choice over the course of six months. The overall experience includes scientific research, hands-on experimental design, test operations and educational/public outreach activities.

Application deadline and other important dates for the 2012 Campaign have been announced.

Key Dates:

Letters of Interest (Optional) Due: September 14, 2011
Proposals Due: October 26, 2011
Announcement of Selected Teams: December 7, 2011
Flight Week: June 2012

Information about the program and the application process can be found on the microgravity website. Please visit the website at <http://microgravityuniversity.jsc.nasa.gov>.

In addition to our traditional undergraduate student flight week, we have a second, unique opportunity for undergraduates and faculty. NASA personnel have identified ongoing projects that are systems engineering related and pertinent to future agency research. Students that are interested in working on these projects are encouraged to apply to our Systems Engineering Educational Discovery (SEED) Flight Week.

Key Dates:

Proposals Due: October 26, 2011
Announcement of Selected Teams: November 30, 2011
Flight Week: April 2012

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