The SIMS program brings incoming UCSB freshmen interested in science, engineering, and mathematics to the UC Santa Barbara campus for a 2-week science and engineering intensive residential program hosted by CNSI. Program participants work with graduate mentors in research lab and classroom settings to develop the skills necessary to excel in science based classes at the university.

**Job Description**

- Help incoming UCSB freshmen in their transition to college through mentoring and supporting during the two week SIMS program.

- Use your past research/presentation experiences to aid SIMS participants in constructing and giving a professional, scientific final presentation.

- Provide auxiliary support to the graduate mentors and to act as the main liaison between the program participants and the program directors.

- Answer questions regarding participant's lab projects in particular and lower division math/science questions in general.

- Lead roles in social and recreational activities, general (academic/career) counseling and daily meetings with program directors.

- Live side by side with participants and can expect to be on call 24/7 while working an average of 12 to 15 hours a day.

**Requirements**

- Have participated in undergraduate research and given a technical oral presentation on your work.
- Able to communicate, mediate and resolve conflicts.
- Pursuing a bachelor’s degree in either science, engineering or mathematics.
- Current, full-time students at UCSB with a GPA of 3.0 or above.
- Students who will be graduating in June 2008 are still eligible.

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Application Deadline is Friday, March 14, 2008