

## **SC INBRE Bioinformatics Award Opportunities**

**(NEW)** *SC INBRE Bioinformatics Core Sponsored Research Experience for Undergraduates*

The SC INBRE Bioinformatics Core is pleased to announce a Research Experience for Undergraduates (REU). This program is aimed at undergraduate students attending colleges and universities in South Carolina. It offers opportunities for educational advancement with hands on laboratory training in the field of bioinformatics. REU students will participate in a 10-week program during the summer of 2008. Students will be assigned to a mentor and together will develop a research project that must involve application of informatics, statistics and/or computer science to biological problems.

In addition to working on their own research projects, students will take part in a lecture series and several educational and enrichment activities. At the end of the 10 weeks, the students will submit a report of their project and also take part in the SURP symposium, where they will present their findings. Recruitment and selection of students for the REU will be coordinated with the MUSC College of Graduate Studies in association with the Summer Undergraduate Research Program (SURP).

Application for the positions can be made online using SURP web application forms found at <http://www.musc.edu/grad/summer/surp/application.html>.