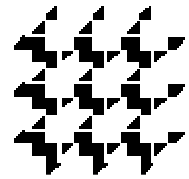


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Student Name
Student Address
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Dear Student Name,

I am pleased to inform you that you have been accepted to the DIMACS REU Program for summer 2013. Congratulations!

Your REU mentor is Dr. **Mentor Name**, who is being copied on this offer message. I encourage you to initiate contact with **him/her** as soon as is convenient.

Most of the details about our program can be found on our web page at the URL <http://www.dimacs.rutgers.edu/REU>. Let me just confirm a few of these details. You will receive a stipend of \$4,950 for the summer. We will cover reasonable travel costs to and from New Jersey. If you fly or take the train, we will most likely purchase your ticket and send it to you. Please contact us before making travel arrangements. We will house you on the Rutgers campus in an air-conditioned apartment complex, in a double occupancy room (2 rooms per campus apartment). Should you wish to have a single room, we will reduce your stipend by approximately \$900 (note: requests for single rooms are subject to availability).

We will provide you with an office at DIMACS, shared with other REU students or DIMACS visitors. You will have access to the computing facilities via a PC (running Windows XP or 7). The CoRE Building where DIMACS offices are located has wireless access. Therefore, if you bring your own device you will be able to connect. You should let us know in advance if you have any special computer needs or preferences.

You will be expected to arrive at DIMACS on June 1, 2014 to be ready to participate in orientation on June 2, 2013. The program will end on August 2, and the whole program will take place in Piscataway, NJ. We expect you to be at DIMACS for the entire period. You should **not** have a summer job during this period or be enrolled in summer classes, since the whole point of the program is to give you the luxury of devoting full time to research!

We also expect you to provide a final written report on your research project; preferably as part of the webpage you will create as part of the program. Your acceptance of this offer includes your commitment to do this.

We would like to have your response to our offer by **March 1, 2014**. If you cannot respond by this date, please contact me at 848.445.0075 or reu@diamcs.rutgers.edu as soon as possible to discuss the possibility of allowing additional time for you to make your decision.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. I do hope you accept.

Sincerely,

Dr. Eugene Fiorini, REU Coordinator

Cc: Dr. **Mentor Name**