THE PROGRAM: Wake Forest University Graduate School of Arts and Sciences in Winston-Salem, North Carolina is conducting a post-baccalaureate research program for graduates who are underrepresented minorities or those from disadvantaged backgrounds. The focus of the program is on research training, academic enhancement, and GRE preparation. The curriculum includes “hands-on” laboratory research, a journal club, and a lecture series that features presentations by faculty and guest speakers. Graduates with an interest in a biomedical research career and who have already obtained their college degree are encouraged to apply.

ELIGIBILITY: Applicants applying to this program must be/have:
- Underrepresented minorities (i.e. African American, Alaskan Native, Asian-American, Native American, Pacific Islander or Hispanic) or from disadvantaged backgrounds (e.g. rural or urban areas, first generation college student)
- GPA of 2.5 or greater
- GRE scores
- U.S. Citizens or permanent residents of the United States
- College graduates within 3 years of their undergraduate degree

PROGRAM DATES AND INFORMATION: The WFU PREP Scholars begins August 2016. Program participants will receive an annual salary of $27,200 plus tuition and shared health care coverage. The program is sponsored by the National Institute of General Medical Sciences.

APPLICATION and ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: http://www.wakehealth.edu/School/Hypertension-and-Vascular-Research-Center/PREP-Program/

APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 4, 2016

PROGRAM STARTS: August 2016

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