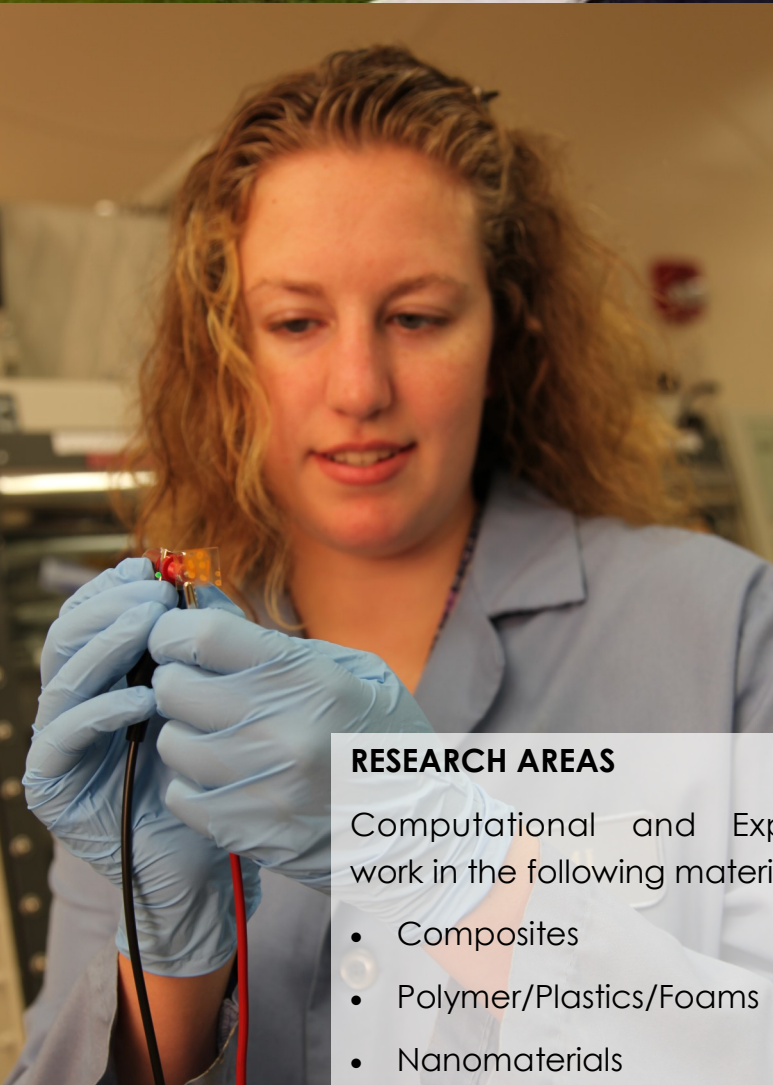


# Retaining Engineers Through Research Entrepreneurship & Advanced-Materials Training



The 10-week RETREAT program allows participants to work with leading experts at the High-Performance Materials Institute and be trained on the utilization, manufacturing, and characterization of multiscale and multifunctional advanced materials. Participants will also learn how to successfully commercialize technological innovations by participating in seminars on entrepreneurship and an Engineering-Entrepreneurship Competition in partnership with experts from the Jim Moran Institute for Global Entrepreneurship of the Florida State University.



## RESEARCH AREAS

Computational and Experimental work in the following material topics:

- Composites
- Polymer/Plastics/Foams
- Nanomaterials
- Semiconductor materials



## ELIGIBILITY

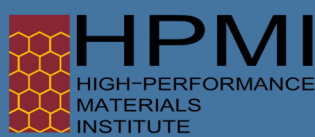
- U.S. citizenship or permanent residency
- STEM disciplines (undergraduate students)
- Student can not have attended two (2) other NSF REUs in the past
- Women and underrepresented minorities are encouraged to apply

## AWARD

- Stipend of \$5,600
- Travel allowance of \$500

## HOW TO APPLY

- Complete application at <http://www.eng.fsu.edu/retreat/apply.html>
- Submit current transcript and resume
- Two letters of recommendations are required



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