Your signature below attests that you have read these rules and agree to follow them. By accepting, you agree to abide by these standards. If you choose to violate these rules, the REU leadership will take appropriate action, which may include a warning, expulsion from the program without further remuneration, or contacting law enforcement, depending on the severity of the infraction.

1. Holding outside part-time or full-time work during the REU program, including other internships, without written approval of the research mentors and REU program administrators is not allowed.

2. Taking classes during the REU program is not allowed. For extenuating circumstances, written approval of research mentors and REU program administrators is required.

3. Discrimination based on gender, race, ethnicity or religion is both unlawful and antithetical to the goals of this workplace. It will not be tolerated by anyone in the SEAS community.

4. Sexual harassment is a form of discrimination based on gender, and it will not be practiced or tolerated. Harvard’s policies and procedures are available at [http://diversity.harvard.edu/pages/seas-sexual-harassment-policies-and-procedures](http://diversity.harvard.edu/pages/seas-sexual-harassment-policies-and-procedures)

5. Harvard University is a drug free workplace. No controlled substances are allowed on site. No controlled substances are allowed in the housing. Please consult the Housing Agreement for guidelines specific to your housing provider.

6. Alcohol consumption is illegal for anyone under the age of 21. Binge drinking and intoxicated behavior is unacceptable on Harvard property. Please also consult the Housing Agreement for guidelines specific to your housing provider.

7. Failure to consistently follow safety procedures of any laboratory in which you perform your work can result in expulsion from the program.

8. Failure to comply with Harvard housing policies and procedures, including smoking, installation of air conditioning units, improper trash disposal, etc. can result in expulsion from the program.

9. All accidents, except obviously minor ones, must be reported to one’s supervisor, whether or not they are work-related.

10. All forms of scientific misconduct (falsifying data, plagiarism, etc.) are expressly forbidden.

11. All members of the REU community are required to behave respectfully to each other.

I understand that failure to abide by any of these standards may result in my dismissal from the program.

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Signature and Date