

# Interested in Psychiatry or Behavioral Medicine? Be a Saltzberg Summer Research Student!

## What is the Saltzberg Program?

The Saltzberg Program provides a \$5,000 stipend to one MS1 from UTHealth to conduct full-time summer research with a mentor in the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences.

## What kind of research could I do?

Possible research topics include disorders of mood and cognition such as depression, addiction, PTSD, psychotic disorders, and autism. Research techniques range from mouse models to laboratory and neuroimaging methodologies to clinical outpatient trials.

Participating faculty mentors include:

Dr. Alan Prossin: Neuroimmune Interactions in Depression, Addiction, and Pain

Dr. Joao De Quevedo: Translational Research in Mood Disorders

Dr. Consuelo Walss-Bass: Molecular Mechanisms of Psychiatric Disorders

Dr. Joy Schmitz: Treatment Development for Addictions

Dr. Deborah Pearson: Developmental Neuropsychology

Dr. Sudhakar Selvaraj: Effect of Systemic Inflammation on Mood and Cognition

More information about mentors and their research can be found at the Department of Psychiatry website: <https://med.uth.edu/psychiatry/>

## How do I apply?

To get information about the application process, either sign up at the MS1 research fair

or email Dr. Consuelo Walss-Bass:

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