

## LATINO SCIENTISTS OF TOMORROW SUMMER 2017 APPLICATION

### WHAT IS LATINO SCIENTISTS OF TOMORROW?

The Latino Scientists of Tomorrow (LST) program at Utah Valley University helps select Latino/a high school students explore careers in the sciences, and provides them with a jump start on their university degrees. The LST program provides two UVU science courses: Fundamentals of Biotechnology (which explores careers in biotechnology with a focus on DNA techniques) and Fitness for Life (which explores human anatomy and physiology as applied to physical fitness). These courses help students launch into a variety of science and health majors. **These courses count as general education classes at UVU**, so will apply to many majors offered at the university. In addition to these courses, the LST program offers extracurricular activities such as college success training and field trips to professional scientific job sites. Classes and extracurricular activities will be held Monday - Friday.

Courses offered: BTEC 1010 Fundamentals of Biotechnology (3 credit hours)  
PES 1097 Fitness for Life (2 credit hours)

**WHO SHOULD APPLY?** High school seniors (completed junior year) who have a minimum 3.0 GPA, are considering pursuing careers in the sciences, and are committed to attending Utah Valley University.

**WHERE:** The Orem Campus of Utah Valley University – 800 W. University Parkway, Orem Utah 84058

**WHEN:** June 26, 2017 – August 11, 2017 | Monday - Friday

**COST:** \$35 Admission Application Fee (Nonrefundable)

*If accepted to Latino Scientists of Tomorrow, you will:*

- Attend an orientation. The date and time will be e-mailed to you with your acceptance letter.
- Attend college-level classes and other LST events, complete coursework, and receive UVU credit and grades for your classes.
- Participate in college success activities and career exploration field trips.
- Obtain a UVU student ID card for \$10 (Optional).
- Be responsible for transportation to and from UVU campus. As a UVU student you will qualify for an \$90 reduced rate UTA bus pass.

**Application Deadline: Wednesday, May 10, 2017**

Please take this home and discuss Latino Scientists of Tomorrow with your parent(s)/guardian(s). Your application will not be considered if it is received after the date above.



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## Checklist to complete your application:

- Fill out and sign application
- Have a parent/guardian sign the application
- Have your counselor sign the application
- Have 2 of your teachers complete and sign an evaluation
- Attach a copy of your most recent transcript (your counseling office can get you a copy)
- Mail or deliver application and transcript to the Concurrent Enrollment Office so it arrives on or before April 24<sup>th</sup>
- If you are accepted to Summer Bridge, complete the UVU admission process and pay the onetime \$35 fee (If you are already a Concurrent Enrollment student, you can skip this step)
  - Go to [www.uvu.edu/concurrent](http://www.uvu.edu/concurrent)
  - Call the Concurrent Enrollment office if you need any assistance (801) 863-8376

## Please deliver your completed application to the UVU Concurrent Enrollment office using one of the following methods:

Mail:  
Concurrent Enrollment  
800 West University Parkway  
MS 136  
Orem, Utah 84058

Hand deliver:  
Concurrent Enrollment Office  
UVU Extended Education Building  
Room 207

Email: [concurrent@uvu.edu](mailto:concurrent@uvu.edu)  
FAX: 801-863-7317

For more information, call 801-863-8376 or email concurrent@uvu.edu

## Latino Scientists of Tomorrow Program Application

(Please Write Clearly)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(LAST NAME) (FIRST NAME) DATE

UV ID Number \_\_\_\_\_ (If Applicable)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(CITY) (STATE) (ZIP CODE)

Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency #: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_ Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

High School Graduation date: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you qualify for free or reduced lunches at your high school?  NO  YES

Do you qualify for fee waivers at your high school?  NO  YES

Have you participated in Summer Bridge before?  NO  YES if YES, which program? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you participated in Concurrent Enrollment?  NO  YES

Are you the oldest child in your family?  NO  Yes

Are you employed?  NO  YES If yes, will it conflict with this program?  NO  YES

Did either of your parents complete a four-year college degree?  NO  YES

Please list your extra-curricular activities/ hobbies/ interests:

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**Latino Scientists of Tomorrow Program Student Screen Form**

**Required from your HS counselor:**

The student's CCR/PCCR Career Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ Check that transcript is attached

Counselor signature confirming CCR/PCCR Career Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

**Required from two teachers:**

*Please complete this evaluation according to the following rubric.*

1 – Strongly disagree	2 – Disagree	3 – Neutral	4 – Agree	5 – Strongly agree	Comments:	
This student completes quality work on time.	1	2	3	4	5	
This student gives his/her best effort in school.	1	2	3	4	5	
This student has good attendance.	1	2	3	4	5	
This student behaves well in class.	1	2	3	4	5	
I recommend this student for the Summer Bridge Program.	1	2	3	4	5	

Student's grade in your class: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher signature: \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any reservations about this student's ability to complete college level coursework or their performance in any of these areas, please send an email to **concurrent@uvu.edu**

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