

Molecular and Cellular Pharmacology Program 2021 Laboratory Rotation Selection Form

Laboratory rotations for entering students are essential components of your training. Rotations provide both you and faculty trainers with critical opportunity for mutual evaluation for the important decision of choosing a laboratory for PhD research work. Equally important, rotations provide you with the opportunity to increase the breadth of your training background by experiencing several research areas and a range of research styles, approaches, and techniques. Due to the importance of the rotations to both you and the MCP Program, we ask our students and faculty to take rotation selection seriously.

Rotations are ~4 weeks, with the first rotation beginning Wednesday, September 8, 2021. Dates for the start/end of each rotation are provided below.

Please indicate the professors with whom you plan to complete your rotations for the Fall 2021 semester. Before choosing a lab, you should confer with the professor, and the professor should indicate her/his approval of your planned rotation by signing on the appropriate line below or sending an email to Kristin Cooper (kgcooper@wisc.edu). Please email a copy of the completed form to Kristin Cooper by Wednesday, September 8, 2021.

Student Name: _____

1st Rotation

September 8 – October 5

Lab chosen for rotation:

Professor's approval:

2nd Rotation

October 6 – November 2

Lab chosen for rotation:

Professor's approval:

3rd Rotation

November 3 – November 30

Lab chosen for rotation:

Professor's approval:

4th Rotation (ONLY IF NEEDED)

December 1 – December 23

NOTE: A professor cannot make an offer for a permanent position to a potential student until the end of the semester. This guideline will allow everyone an equal chance to evaluate possible lab matches. Once the semester is finished, the program will ask students and faculty to rank their choices for placement, and this information will be used to coordinate thesis lab placements.