RFP 2019 e-mail

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Dear QuarkNet Mentors,

The QuarkNet 2019 RFP Form is now available and may be accessed via the following link: https://quarknet.org/content/summer-2019-rfp Please complete the form by Friday, February 1, 2019. A few things to keep in mind:

- The annual budget number for a center program is 30 teacher-days; that is, for example, six teachers for five days or fifteen teachers for two days. For centers that are the merger of two or more previous centers, the budget number is forty-five teacher-days. In the RFP, a center can ask for more or for less, and we will evaluate the requests on a case by case basis. QuarkNet cannot provide stipends for student summer research.
- QuarkNet staff/fellows may be able to support your center by offering one of our <u>summer opportunities for QuarkNet centers</u>. Please contact Ken or Shane for more information about these opportunities.
- We will no longer be utilizing leadership fellows as center main points of contact with QuarkNet Central. Please see this updated list, indicating which QuarkNet staff serves as the main point of contact for each center.
- For more details on the new QuarkNet grant, please refer to the *Update for QuarkNet Mentors on the New Grant* email from QuarkNet Pl's sent by LaMargo Gill via the listserv on December 11, 2018. Ken or Shane can resend that email to you if needed.

We look forward to continuing our work with you in 2019, and sincerely thank you for all that you do.

Yours truly,

Ken and Shane QuarkNet National Staff