The University of Notre Dame invites exceptional high school students from around the world to explore the University’s academic fields of study.

**International Leadership, Enrichment, and Development**

**iLED**

iLED is a two-week curriculum taught by Notre Dame faculty with a focus on international leadership, including courses in the College of Engineering, College of Science, Mendoza College of Business, College of Arts and Letters, and the School of Architecture.

iLED students will

- Develop an overall understanding of what is taught in Notre Dame classrooms
- Strengthen cross-cultural competency and leadership skills
- Solve problems by working in teams and collaborating as leaders with an open-mindset

**International Summer Physics Institute**

**iSPI**

iSPI is a two-week introductory program with the Department of Physics focusing on the most cutting-edge science: particle physics. Students will use real data in the lab and will also visit Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory (Fermilab) in Illinois.

iSPI students will

- Strengthen and use pre-existing knowledge of physics, especially conservation laws, along with new knowledge to investigate questions using real and current data
- Solve problems by collaborating in diverse teams as physicists do every day
- Gain an understanding of elements of the Standard Model and be able to explain physical phenomena on the smallest scales
Special Opportunities

- Face-to-face Q&A sessions with Notre Dame’s Office of Undergraduate Admissions
- Trip to Chicago and cultural excursions
- Academic field trip led by physics faculty to the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory (iSPI only)
- Extra-curricular activities: Olympics, talent show, color run, scavenger hunt, ice-skating, etc.
- Interaction with high school peers from all over the world
- Interaction and discussion with Notre Dame undergraduate students

Important Dates and Deadlines

- December 15, 2017: Online application available
- January 31, 2018: Rolling admissions begin
- April 30, 2018: Application deadline
- May 15, 2018: Program fee payment deadline
- July 14, 2018: All students’ arrival at Chicago O’Hare International Airport
- July 28, 2018: All students’ departure from Chicago O’Hare International Airport

Cost

$3800 which covers:

- Tuition, on-campus housing, and three meals a day
- All program-sponsored activities
- Medical insurance
- Airport pick-up and drop-off at O’Hare Airport and all transportation during the program

Eligibility

- Currently enrolled in high school
- Minimum 15 years old when attending the program
- Outstanding academic transcript
- High level of English language proficiency: TOEFL IBT 80+ preferred, or IELTS 6+ preferred; other evaluations of English language proficiency considered and interviews may be required

Questions?

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