

# SWOSU Receives Summer Research Mentor Grants

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Three faculty and three students at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford are the latest recipients of research mentor grants through the Oklahoma IDeA Network of Biomedical Research Excellence (OK-INBRE). They are (from left):

Dr. William Kelly, SWOSU Chemistry/Physics Department, student Oba Hughes, student Brianna Lumpkin, SWOSU Provost Dr. Blake Sonobe; Dr. Muatasem Ubeidat, SWOSU Biology Department, student Trisha Ajoleza; and Dr. Timothy Hubin, SWOSU Chemistry/Physics Department.

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Three SWOSU faculty researchers are the latest recipients of the INBRE research mentor grants. They, along with the student researchers, are: student Oba Hughes and mentor Dr. William Kelly, Department of Chemistry/Physics; student Brianna Lumpkin and mentor Dr. Muatasem Ubeidat, Biology Department; and student Trisha Ajoleza and mentor Dr. Timothy Hubin, Department of Chemistry/Physics.

The grants, in part, support a summer undergraduate research program to provide training and research experiences to undergraduate students. The program allows students first-hand experience working in biomedical research laboratories. The faculty researchers serve as mentors to guide undergraduate students into the exciting world of scientific research.