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Dear Sir:

Greetings of Peace!

The Visayas State University (VSU) B.S. Biotechnology program will be implementing face-to-face internship this coming Summer term for Academic Year 2021-2022. We are looking for partner institutions that could help us meet our internship program objectives.

We look up to the Philippine Genome Center Mindanao as an ideal partner to meet our internship program objectives to:

1. expose students to the environment and expectations in professional laboratory/field practice,
2. introduce students to professional role models/ mentors who will provide them with support in their early careers,
3. enhance student's practical skills in agriculture, medicine, industrial biotechnology, bioinformatics, and various relevant disciplines, and
4. assist students to identify and develop employer-valued skills.

We respectfully request your kind office to partner with us in providing internship opportunity for VSU's BS Biotechnology students. This internship will require them to render 200 hours at Philippine Genome Center Mindanao. If given the chance, we would like to send 4-8 Junior students who will be in your Center from July 4 to August 5, 2022.


We are willing to draft a Memorandum of Agreement between your Center and VSU.

We hope that this request will merit your kind approval.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,


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