NPRLG Resources Newsletter

Dear NPRLG,

This edition of our NPRLG Resources Newsletter comes right after we held our recent meeting on Summer 2020 REU Reflections, which focused on what it was like to run a site during the pandemic. So we're dedicating this edition to the summary of that discussion.

As a reminder, each month, we'll be sending one resource on a specific theme. The idea is for each newsletter to spark conversation and for the community to share their own resources/ideas on the month's topic. I'll monitor these discussions and compile resources by theme in the NPRLG Google Drive.

This Month: Remote REU Program Lessons

This month, the resource I'm sharing is the summary of our recent meeting on Summer 2020 REU Reflections. Thanks to all that participated in this meeting to help develop this compilation of lessons, hurdles, and solutions.

The summary contains the following info:

1. Summary of sites that attended the meeting, along with some info and stats about their 2020 program run
2. Discussion takeaways, divided in these categories:

a. **Positive Aspects**

    b. **Hurdles**

    c. **Potential Activities to Encourage Community Building**

    d. **(Unique) Solutions Implemented in 2020**

    e. **Considerations for Future Remote Programs**

    f. **Remaining Questions for Discussion**

Hopefully this summary serves as a good resource for planning next year, sharing of information between sites, and further discussion. Feel free to respond here if you want to engage the community in discussion about any items in the document, or want to identify the sites involved in any of the listed items for private discussion.

Future Newsletters

Planned ideas for future newsletters include: program activity resources, best practices in mentoring, etc.

If you have a resource (developed by/for your site or not) you want to share, or topic ideas, for coming months, let me know.

Best wishes,

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