Clinical Oncology Open Learning (COOL)

COOL is a six-week summer internship designed to encourage undergraduate students to consider careers as cancer physicians. Students will be exposed to clinical learning, participation in multidisciplinary conferences, and 1-on-1 teaching with MSK physicians and staff.

Program Details

- On-site exposure across our distinguished clinical departments
- Open to freshman, sophomore, junior, seniors (graduating after December 2024) and post-baccalaureate students
- Weekly stipends based on school year
- On-site experience at Memorial Medical Care, PC in Flatbush, Brooklyn
- Two students for Summer 2024

Applications open November 2023 for Summer 2024

2024 COOL Program Timeline

Date	Event	Details
Nov 13, 2023	Applications open	OEFA to email BCCC coordinators link and instructions, who will then distribute to students
Jan 12, 2024 at 5pm	Application deadline	OEFA will send deadline reminder and close application
Jan 31, 2024	Application review deadline	Dr. Lahoud and identified party will review applications and select students to interview by this date
Feb 16, 2024	Interviews deadline	Dr. Lahoud will identify who will interview students. OEFA will connect students to interviewers. Students will schedule with interviewers directly
February 2024	Acceptances	OEFA will email decisions after interviews are conducted and feedback is collected. Regrets will also be sent
March – June 2024	Onboarding	OEFA will coordinate onboarding between MSK HR coordinator and accepted students. Dr. Lahoud will create student day-to-day schedule
June 17, 2024 – July 26, 2024	Program	OEFA will lead in-person orientation in Manhattan on first day. Day two, students will report to MMC and follow schedule as set by Dr. Lahoud.