

Week	Date	Scheduled Activities	Time	Place	Facilitator	
1	30-May	Arrive	All Day	Exchange St. Residence Hall		
	31-May	Orientation	9:00am-4:30pm			
		- Breakfast, pictures	9:00am-10:00am	GDYR 304	REU participants	
		- Overview of the College			Tsige	
		- Requirements and Expectations			Tsige	
		- Zip Cards and Parking Passes	10:00am-10:30am	Simmons Hall/Hornored Complex	Wang and PESO/PSSO	
		- Campus and Building Tours	10:30am-12:00pm	Campus	PESO/PSSO	
		- Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 3rd floor foyer	REU participants & Mentors & Student	
		- Ethics and Lab Etiquette Lecture	1:00pm-2:30pm	GDYR 304	Zacharia	
		- Safety Training	2:30pm-4:00pm	GDYR 304	Woolf	
		- Closing remarks	4:15pm-4:30pm	GDYR 304	Amis	
		- Wrap up, released to groups	4:00pm-4:30pm	GDYR 304		
	1-Jun	Lecture: Polymer Synthesis	9:00am-10:30am	GDYR AUD 229	Pugh	
	2-Jun	Lecture: Polymer Physics	9:00am-10:30am	GDYR AUD 229	Tsige	
	3-Jun	Lecture: Polymer Engineering	9:00am-10:30am	PEAC Aggarwal Lecture Hall	Zacharia	
		Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with 5 former REU students	
		Panel Discussion with former REU students	1:00pm-2:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with 5 former REU students	
2	6-Jun	Lecture: Biomaterials	9:00am-10:30am	GDYR AUD 229	Joy	
	8-Jun	Faculty Research Seminar	9:00am-10:00am	GDYR 218	Landis	
	10-Jun	Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Tsige and Wang	
3	13-Jun	Faculty Research Seminar	9:00am-10:00am	PEAC Aggarwal Lecture Hall	Gong	
	16-Jun	Interns Present Abstracts	9:30am-11:45am	GDYR 218	Dhinojwala, Tsige and Zacharia	
	17-Jun	Interns Present Abstracts	9:30am-11:45am	GDYR 218	Dhinojwala, Tsige and Zacharia	
		Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Fetter, Downtown Akron	
4	19-Jun	12th National Graduate Research Polymer Conference	8:00am-12:00pm	GDYR	Tsige and Wang	
	20-Jun	12th National Graduate Research Polymer Conference	7:00am-6:30pm	Student Union & GDYR	Tsige and Wang	
	21-Jun	12th National Graduate Research Polymer Conference	7:00am-6:30pm	Student Union & GDYR	Tsige and Wang	
	22-Jun	12th National Graduate Research Polymer Conference	8:30am-10:30am	Student Union	Tsige and Wang	
	24-Jun	Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Tsige and Dhinojwala	
5	27-Jun	Faculty Research Seminar	9:00am-10:00am	PEAC Aggarwal Lecture Hall	Jana	
	1-Jul	Presentation: How to prepare a technical presentation, poster, and paper	11:00am-12:00pm	GDYR 304	Tsige	
		Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Cavicchi and Joy	
6	4-Jul	University Closed				
	5-Jul	Innovation Course	9:00am-11:00am	GDYR 304	Dhinojwala	
	8-Jul	Special Lecture (Dr. Bruce Murch from Proctor & Gamble)	2:30pm-3:30pm	GDYR AUD 229	REU participants and more	
		Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Karim and Zhu	
7	11-Jul	Visit AkzoNobel	9:30am-2:00pm		Wang	
	15-Jul	Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Simmons and Zacharia	
8	22-Jul	Special Lecture (Dr. Don Wardius from Covestro)	10:00am-12:00am	PEAC130	REU participants with Speaker and Vogt	
	22-Jul	Career Panel Discussion & Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Speaker and Vogt	
9	26-Jul	Visit NASA	12:00pm-3:30pm		Wang	
	27-Jul	Interns present updates	9:30am-11:45am	GDYR AUD 229	Dhinojwala, Joy, Tsige and Zacharia	
	28-Jul	Interns present updates	9:30am-11:45am	GDYR AUD 229	Dhinojwala, Joy, Tsige and Zacharia	
	29-Jul	Interns present updates *Students will vote on who should present at NOURS*	9:30am-11:45am	GDYR AUD 229	Dhinojwala, Joy, Tsige and Zacharia	
	29-Jul	Lunch	12:00pm-1:00pm	GDYR 304	REU participants with Bowman and Thorley	
10	4-Aug	NOURS Symposium	9:00am-13:30pm	GDYR Auditorium	REU students and directors from 4 sites	
11	8-Aug	Faculty Research Seminar	9:00am-10:00am	GDYR 218	Foster	
	9-Aug	Cedar Point 1 day trip	8:00am-		Graduate Student Amanda Stefin	
	11-Aug	Last Day - Exit Interviews	3:30pm-5:pm	GDYR 305	Dhinojwala and Tsige	
	12-Aug	Last Day - Exit Interviews	9:00am-12:00pm	GDYR 305	Dhinojwala and Tsige	
	12-Aug	BBQ	12pm-	GDYR Circle	PESO/PSSO	