During the 11 week program, students typically work in teams with UMD faculty and graduate students or researchers from the Army Research Laboratory in the broad areas of telecommunications and microelectronics. The MERIT program combines cutting edge, team-based research with technical and educational seminars and field trips to local industry.

Program participants must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents, have current sophomore or junior standing and a 3.3 minimum GPA. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.

Final Deadline for Completed Application and all Documents: February 15, 2006

Program Dates: May 31-August 11, 2006

Detailed information and application materials can be found at: http://www.ece.umd.edu/MERIT/