# Call for Proposals Baccalaureate Faculty Travel <u>or</u> Undergraduate Students 2003

The Vermont Genetics Network (VGN) is supported by a NIH Biomedical Research Infrastructure Network Grant. The VGN is a collaboration among the University of Vermont, Castleton State College, Johnson State College, Middlebury College, Norwich University and St. Michael's College, to develop science infrastructure and also the careers and training of faculty and students in science. Information on how you can participate in this program is listed below. You may also visit our website <u>www.uvm.edu/~biology/vgn</u> for more information about our activities.

### Travel Support

Castleton State College, Johnson State College, Middlebury College, Norwich University, and St. Michael's College Undergraduate Students and Faculty are encouraged to apply for:

- Travel support
- Application forms are on our website, and checklists are given below
- Application deadline is May 1, 2003

#### **Eligibility Requirements**

- Faculty and Students at Castleton State College, Johnson State College, Middlebury College, Norwich University and St. Michael's College
- Appropriate disciplines include chemistry, biology and psychology. Disciplines of mathematics, physics and computer science are appropriate if the research can ultimately inform biomedical science.

#### **Travel Awards**

- There will be 20 travel awards made for 2003 (approximately \$1,000 each)
- Use of the funds must be outlined and justified as part of the application
- We anticipate similar numbers of awards will be made in 2004

#### Application Review

- A committee will review the applications and make their recommendations to the VGN Steering Committee.
- Notification of the outcomes of the applications should be available by May 20, 2003

## CHECKLIST For Faculty and Student Travel Support

- Application cover page with signatures
- Abstract of work to be presented (conference only)
- Budget
- Description of conference or workshop and how attending impacts the applicant's research
- Describe how your research impacts biomedical science
- Transcript (for Students only)
- Curriculum Vitae (2 pages Faculty only)
- Letter of recommendation from Faculty Advisor (Student only)
- Current and Pending Funding (Faculty only)
- Signatures of Applicant and Chair

#### Return application to:

Vermont Genetics Network University of Vermont 120A Marsh Life Science Bldg. Burlington, VT 05405

Applications are due on May 1, 2002 by 4:00 p.m.

## Questions?

- Call: (802) 656-4087
- Email: <u>Vermont.GeneticsNetwork@uvm.edu</u>
- Web: <u>www.uvm.edu/~biology/vgn</u>