

# AUGUST 2025

# BMES NEWS



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*an official newsletter of the UR BMES student chapter!*

## SUMMER HIGHLIGHTS

*Here's what some of our E-Board members have been up to this summer!*

### Julia Sides '27

Julia worked as an undergraduate researcher, where she contributed to two projects in the Buckley Soft Tissue Biomechanics Lab! In her free time, Julia liked going to summer events in Rochester, including the public market, the lucky flea, and having dinner at Ontario Lake! She has also explored national parks throughout New York.



### Katherine Sun '27

Katherine worked as a research assistant in the Ward Lab, a microbiology lab where she studied poxvirus and immune system pathways, with a particular focus on the RIG-I pathway. Outside of the lab, Katherine enjoyed playing badminton and exploring Rochester with her friends—especially thrifting on Park Avenue and visiting Vern's!



### Interested in Becoming a Class Rep?

Our BMES student chapter is looking for representatives for the '28 and '29 classes for the 2025–2026 academic year! Elections will take place on Sunday 9/7 at 2:30 PM in Goergen 110!

Please fill out the [application form](#) if interested!

If you would like to apply but are unable to attend elections in person, or have general election questions, please email [jsides2@u.rochester.edu](mailto:jsides2@u.rochester.edu)!

Remember to use Handshake and take advantage of the many resources on campus! The [Greene Center](#) helps with academic and professional development, providing useful templates for things like your resume and CV!

Check us out & stay up to date!

Student Spotlight  
Form!  
[LINK](#)

Website  
[sa.rochester.edu/bmes](http://sa.rochester.edu/bmes)

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Questions  
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# UPCOMING FALL EVENTS!

## Activities Fair ~ Aug. 25 from 3 – 5 PM!

Come check out our table at the Activities Fair if you're interested in connecting with other BME students, exploring mentorship and professional development opportunities, and getting involved in academic, social, and outreach events!

## Graduate School Info Session ~ Sept. 3 @ 5 PM, Dewey 2162

Come to the graduate school info session with Dr. Amy Lerner! She'll be sharing valuable insights and advice about applying to graduate programs and what schools are looking for! There will be free pizza for those who attend! :)

## First Year Ice Cream Social ~ Sept. 5 from 1 – 1:50 PM, Munnerlyn Atrium!

First-year BME students, join us in kicking off the new year with ice cream and meet your fellow classmates, BME faculty, and staff!



## Sept. 11 @ 5 PM, Carlson Porch!

The U of R BME Department is hosting its annual **Fall Picnic!** Hosted by our BMES student chapter, this event is for all BME students, staff, and faculty to come together, enjoy good food, and connect outside of the lab or classroom!

Here is the link to [RSVP!](#)

## Interested in an internship?

**Regeneron** Summer 2026 Intern – Biomedical Engineering or Related Majors, [LINK](#)

**Dexcom** 2026 Summer Internship Early Interest – Technical Degrees, [LINK](#)

**STERIS** Manufacturing Engineer Co-op Spring 2026, [LINK](#)

**Momentive** Summer 2026 Healthcare Marketing Intern, [LINK](#)

**Health Advances** Analyst Intern (Summer 2026 Newton, MA), [LINK](#) → due Oct. 14!

**Plexus Corp.** Intern – Design Assurance (Spring 2026), [LINK](#)

**Guidehouse** Intern – Life Sciences Advisory, Health Segment – Campus 2026, [LINK](#)

**Simon-Kucher** Summer 2026 Intern – Healthcare & Life Sciences Division, [LINK](#)

**Medtronic** Summer Interns 2026, [LINK](#) → due Oct. 13!