

## **SF BUILD (Building Infrastructure Leading to Diversity) academic and summer student activities**

### **Spring Semester:**

- Submit application.

### **Summer I: 10 week Summer Research Experience**

*Scholars will be introduced to the study of health disparities in urban environments and will learn about the many factors that affect health.*

- Involves research rotations in three SF State laboratories and a 4-week research training experience at UCSF.
- After the summer program concludes, scholars will select a particular research area that they would like to explore more deeply over the course of the next two years either at SF State or UCSF.

### **Academic Year I:**

*Scholars will be connected with research mentors and decide on which lab they would like to work in.*

- Scholars will participate in a weekly professional development meeting at SF State that will provide additional support.
- Scholars will work on research projects with their mentors throughout the year.

### **Summer II:**

*Continue to develop and focus on research projects from academic year I.*

- Scholars will focus on their individual research projects
- They will also participate in the SF State Summer Doctorate Prep Workshop.
- The summer workshop will end with a campus-wide research symposium in which scholars will present their research findings.

### **Academic Year II:**

- Scholars will continue their research activities.
- Scholars will prepare and submit graduate school applications.