Minnesota State Mankato Sophomore Awarded Frankel Summer Fellowship at the University of Michigan Cardiovascular Center

Minnesota State sophomore Anjola Onadipe (Biomedical Sciences, ‘19) was recently awarded the Frankel Summer Fellowship at the University of Michigan Cardiovascular Center.

Onadipe will be placed in a laboratory, based on his interests, that is led by a faculty member. According to their website, possible research topics include atherosclerosis, genetic cardiomyopathies, blood clotting disorders, cardia arrhythmias, vascular biology, and heart failure. At the conclusion of the ten week fellowship, fellows will present their work in a research forum. Fellows also have the opportunity to attend various research seminars throughout the summer.

During his time at Minnesota State, Mankato, Onadipe has participated in Dr. David Sharlin’s research lab where he investigated the thyroid hormone.

Onadipe was inspired to pursue a summer undergraduate research fellowship in order to build on the skills learned in Dr. Sharlin’s research lab and explore research in the specific field of cardiovascular medicine.

Onadipe is an active member of the Honors Program. He served as an Orientation Peer Assistant on campus during Summer 2016. He also works on the Student Management Team for the Annual Fund and as a tutor for the Intensive English Program on campus. He is also a member of the African Student Association. Onadipe utilized resources in the Office of University Fellowships and the Biomedical Sciences Program in his pursuit of this award.

For more information on the Office of University Fellowships at Minnesota State Mankato, see www.mnsu.edu/fellowships.

For more information on the Biomedical Sciences option at Minnesota State Mankato, see http://cset.mnsu.edu/biology/programs/ugrad/humanbio.html/.

For more information on the Honors Program at Minnesota State Mankato, see www.mnsu.edu/honors.

For more information on the Frankel Cardiovascular Center Summer Fellowship Program, see https://sites.google.com/site/cvcsummerfellowship/home.