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1	22 4-6 PM CHECK-IN AT DORMS; 6:30 PM House Meeting @ Delta Terrace	23 9-11 AM NanoCER Orientation & Welcome 4-5:30 PM NanoCER Research Seminar SPUR Required: 6-8 PM Opening Reception, Faculty Center California Room	24 10-12 Safety Training, CNSI Auditorium	25 SPUR Required: Seminar 9 AM, Boyer Hall 159, Different Types of Graduate & Post-Baccalaureate Programs	26 10:30-12 SciFinder Training, 4336 Young Hall 12-1 PM NanoCER Research Skills Seminar 1 PM CNSI Tour	27	28 Beach Trip?																																																																																						
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3	6	7 4-5 PM NanoCER Research Skills Seminar, CNSI Auditorium (w/Arts Science)	8	9 SPUR Required: Seminar 9 AM, Boyer Hall 159, Graduate School Applications & Interview Process	10 11-12 NanoCER Lunch 12-1:30 PM NanoCER Research Seminar, CNSI Auditorium (w/ Arts Science)	11 4:00 PM View Design Media Arts Show, Broad EDA	12 Optional Field Trips w/ Arts Science (LACMA, Museum of Jurassic Technology, Venice Beach). Limited slots.																																																																																											
4	13 Benny's Birthday SPUR Optional: 9:30 AM Temescal Canyon Hike w/Dr. Cramer & Mike Flaxman	14 4-5:30 PM NanoCER Research Seminar	15	16 SPUR Required: Seminar 9 AM, Boyer Hall 159, Ethics in Research	17 12-1 PM NanoCER Research Skills Seminar 4-6 PM CSST Reception, CNSI	18 10-1 Arts Sci Symposium, CNSI Auditorium	19																																																																																											
5	20	21 4-5:30 PM NanoCER Research Seminar	22 10 AM Nanolab tour	23 SPUR Required: Seminar 9 AM, Boyer Hall 159, Haters, Players, Congratulators, & Motivators: Understanding the Four People You'll Meet on Your Journey	24 12-1 PM NanoCER Research Skills Seminar 6-8 SPUR BBQ, Canyon Point Patio	25	26																																																																																											
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8	10	11 4-5:30 PM NanoCER Research Seminar	12	13 SPUR Optional: 2-5 SEM Poster Presentations for <u>8-</u> <u>week</u> Program, CNSI Lobby. Come see your friends.	14 12-1 PM NanoCER Research Skills Seminar SPUR Required: CLOSING BANQUET, 6-8:30 PM Faculty Center California Room	15 2 PM CNSI Ice Cream Social, 6th floor patio SPUR Required <i>Abstracts for Aug 27 poster event due by 2 PM, Email Frankn@lifesci.ucla.edu</i>	16																																																																																							
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NanoCER 2008 Research Seminars

Monday, 4 – 5:30 PM, CNSI

	Date	Description
1	June 23	Writing a research synopsis and using PowerPoint to give an effective oral presentation <i>Meet in CNSI Auditorium</i>
2	June 30	Research Project Synopses (10 minutes each) Peter Beltramo (Kaner group) Brion Bob (Yang group) Danielle Casillas (Dunn group) Rebecca Flores (Garrell group) Alexander George (Houk group) Frederick Gertz (Chen group) <i>Meet in CNSI Auditorium</i>
3	July 7 4-5 p.m.	Efficient extraction of information from journal articles. Combined meeting with Arts Sci Program. <i>Meet in CNSI Auditorium</i>
4	July 14	CNSI Special Facilities – Core Labs. Dr. Xuekui Yu, Electron Imaging Center for Nanomachines Dr. Adam Stieg (or Jason Reed), Nano and Pico Characterization Laboratory <i>Meet in CNSI Auditorium</i>
5	July 21	Research Progress Presentations (20 minutes each) Peter Beltramo (Kaner group) Brion Bob (Yang group) Danielle Casillas (Dunn group) <i>Meet in CNSI Auditorium</i>

6	July 28	<p>Research Progress Presentations (20 minutes each)</p> <p>Rebecca Flores (Garrell group) Alexander George (Houk group) Frederick Gertz (Chen group)</p> <p><i>Meet in CNSI Auditorium</i></p>
7	August 4	<p>Research Progress Presentations (20 minutes each)</p> <p>Derrick Hsu (Tolbert group) Micol Marchetti-Bowick (Chen group) Joseph Phan (Deming group)</p> <p><i>Meet in CNSI 5th Floor Presentation Space</i></p>
8	August 11	<p>Research Progress Presentations (20 minutes each)</p> <p>Lily Robertson (Kasko group) Geeta Vadhera (Garcia-Garibay group) Yilei Wu (Kaner group)</p> <p><i>Meet in CNSI 5th Floor Presentation Space</i></p>
9	August 18	<p>Poster Preparation Workshop</p> <p><i>Meet in CNSI 5th Floor Presentation Space</i></p>
10	August 25	<p>Wrap Up</p> <p><i>Meet in CNSI 5th Floor Presentation Space</i></p>

Remember: Closing poster session Wednesday, August 27th from 2-5 p.m., Court of Sciences



NanoCER 2008 Research Skills and Career Seminars

Thursday, Noon –1 PM, CNSI Executive Conference Rooms (lunch provided) unless otherwise noted.

	Date	Description
1	June 26	Searching the literature: SciFinder & Web-of-Science training (10:30 –noon): 4336 Young Hall to be followed by NanoCER Lunch at CNSI and CNSI building tour.
2	July 3	Basic laboratory record keeping techniques. Meet in CNSI Presentation Space
3	July 10 12-1:30 p.m.	Research Project Synopses (10 minutes each) Derrick Hsu (Tolbert group) Micol Marchetti-Bowick (Chen group) Joseph Phan (Deming group) Lily Robertson (Kasko group) Geeta Vadhera (Garcia-Garibay group) Yilei Wu (Kaner group) Combined meeting with Arts Sci Program. Meet in CNSI Auditorium
4	July 17	Writing an abstract
5	July 24	Responsible Conduct of Research 1
6	July 31	Responsible Conduct of Research 2
7	August 7	Responsible Conduct of Research 3 <i>Poster abstract draft due!</i>
8	August 14	Winnie Dong, Associate Professor/Co-Chair, Chemical & Materials Engineering Department, Cal Poly Pomona

9	August 21	Giang Dao, Vice President of CNSI and Intel Assignee to CNSI
10	August 28	Luis Campos, Postdoctoral Fellow, Materials Research Laboratory, UCSB

NanoCER 2008 Key Dates

Date	Description
June 24, 10 a.m.-noon	Safety Training, CNSI Auditorium
June 30	Research synopsis due (<i>1-page, paper+electronic</i>)
July 1, 2:05 p.m.	Campus tour, meet Benny in front of CNSI. Group will meet guide at Bruin Bear at 2:15
July 3	NanoCER Research Synopsis due. Deadline to enroll for SRP credit. SRP contracts due at URC CARE office, 2121 Life Sciences Building (before 5 p.m.)
July 11, 4 p.m.	View Design Media Arts Show, Broad EDA
July 12	Optional Field trips with Arts Sci Program (limited slots)
July 17, 4-6 p.m.	Cross Disciplinary Scholars in Science and Technology (CSST) Reception, CNSI (location TBD)
July 18, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.	Arts Sci Symposium
July 22, 10 a.m.	Nanoelectronics Research Facility (NRF or Nanolab) Tour
August 7	NanoCER poster abstract draft due
August 13, 2-5 p.m.	SPUR 8 week poster presentations, CNSI Lobby. Come see your friends from other SPUR programs.

August 14, 6-8:30 p.m.	SPUR closing banquet @ Faculty Center
August 15	Abstracts for August 27 th poster event due by 2 p.m. Email Frank Nevarez, frankn@lifesci.ucla.edu
August 27, 2-5 p.m.	SPUR Poster presentation (Court of Sciences) for 10 week programs. NanoCER Final Report due (<i>see handout for guidelines</i>)