Research Opportunities at Penn

Penn is an outstanding institution for research. Penn is consistently ranked among the top in the nation in NIH funding for research. There are well over 500 faculty members conducting basic science, clinical, translational and health services research.

Penn has committed over 1 million square feet of research space, most of which is new or newly renovated.

As a Perelman med student you can tap into these resources in a number of ways:
- Short term elective research in your first summer
- Scholarly Pursuit in Module 5
- Year out programs with great opportunities and funding
- Several research-oriented MD/Master programs, and one of the top MD/PhD programs in the country

Short term research programs include:
- Alpha Omega Alpha Student Research Fellowship
- American Heart Association
- Center for Clinical Epidemiology and Biostatistics (CCEB) Summer Research Fellowship
- FOCUS Medical Student Fellowships in Women’s Health
- National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI)
- And many others!

Year out research programs include:
- Dermatology Department Training Grant
- Medical Research Scholars Program at NIH
- National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIH-NIDDK) Medical Student Research Training Program
- Special Study Experience in Anatomic Pathology or Laboratory Medicine
- Stanley Sarnoff Fellowship in Cardiovascular Research
- And many others!

For more information about research opportunities, visit:
http://www.med.upenn.edu/mdresearchopps/