2013 PROCTER & GAMBLE STUDENT RESEARCH AWARDS

The PROCTER AND GAMBLE COMPANY has established awards for **UNDERGRADUATE and DOCTORAL students** in the School of Integrative Biology (SIB) or the School of Molecular and Cellular Biology (SMCB). Undergraduates must be majoring in IB/MCB, or have their research supervised by a faculty member of IB/MCB. Graduate students must be in a departmental graduate program in IB/MCB, or in an interdisciplinary graduate program with a primary supervisor that is a faculty member of IB/MCB. These **one-time awards** will provide a stipend of \$1000 for undergraduate and \$2000 for doctoral students **for research that has already been accomplished**.

To apply for a 2013 Procter and Gamble Student Research Award, submit the items below to: Procter and Gamble Awards Committee, 286 Morrill Hall, MC 120, or electronically to sibawards@life.illinois.edu, by Thursday, March 14, 2013.

- 1) **COVER SHEET** with your name, e-mail address, phone number, major or degree program, dates of entry into the program, expected date of graduation, and the name and departmental affiliation of your research advisor.
- 2) **TITLE** AND **ABSTRACT** (one to two pages, double-spaced) of a research paper that you could present orally. Because the members of the award committee have diverse backgrounds, abstracts and presentations (see below) should be **geared to a general scientific audience**.
- ACADEMIC RÉSUMÉ (one to two pages) detailing your academic accomplishments, including GPA, presentations and publications (only publications that are published or in press should be included). Do not list courses taken.
- 4) **LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION** from your research advisor.

Up to three undergraduates and three doctoral students will be selected for 15-minute public oral presentations before scientists from The Procter and Gamble Company as well as the SIB and SMCB faculty. The final awardees in the undergraduate and doctoral categories will be chosen on the basis of their scholarly achievements and research presentations. Awards will be presented at a reception to honor faculty and their graduate and undergraduate award recipients for the academic year 2012-2013, on Thursday, May 2 (Reading Day).