

REU PROGRAMS: Mine and Others

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REU-CAAR was initially funded 2013-14-15 (all REU grant are 3 years)

The REU-CAAR grant was renewed for 2016-17-18.

The REU-CAAR grant was renewed for 2019-20-21.

We ran virtually during the pandemic. No Lunches :-)

The REU-CAAR grant was renewed for 2022-23-24.

The REU-CAAR grant applied for renewal for 2025-26-27.

I should know if I get it in December and I should have the website up to be able to apply in January. I expect REU-CAAR will be funded.

The Website is

<https://www.cs.umd.edu/~gasarch/REU/recruittalk.pdf>

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If you have questions later you can email me at
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