REU Project Summary Guide:

Please make sure that everyone in your group is given a chance to present, especially if some of you are presenting for other problems. The goal is to spread out the presenters as much as possible.

Your mission is to, in (at most) 5-7 minutes, update the whole group on the status of your project. Please limit yourself to one slide, typed or handwritten.

Your summary should answer the following questions:
1. What is the problem?
2. How does it lead into what you plan to present today?
3. What new piece have you explored (and hopefully understand better)?
4. What's next?

A few things to keep in mind:
- Your goal is to paint a broad-strokes picture of where you're at, not hit every detail from the last week.
- This is an opportunity to "zoom" out and remember the big picture of your project and its current direction. (You have had and will have other opportunities to tell the full story with all the details. Here we are working on a different skill…)
- Your target audience is the rest of the group, not the others on your project, so keep in mind that specialized definitions and / or jargon from internal discussions might not be suitable for this presentation.