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US Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Science Idaho National Laboratory Internship Opportunities

The mission of the Workforce Development for Teachers and Scientists program is to provide a continuum of opportunities to the Nation's students and teachers of science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM). Workforce Development for Teachers and Scientists offers the following programs at the INL (subject to change). [To apply visit website: www.scied.science.doe.gov](http://www.scied.science.doe.gov)

Science Undergraduate Laboratory Internships (SULI) **Application Period Opens October 1, 2010**

This program places students in paid internships in Science and Engineering at several Department of Energy facilities. Many of the participants in the program have decided on a career in science and engineering because of the nature of the experience. Students work with scientists or engineers on projects related to the laboratories' research programs. The Idaho National Laboratory offers research opportunities in

- Energy and Environment
- National and Homeland Security
- Nuclear Energy

Pre-Service Teacher Internships (PST) **Application Period Opens October 1, 2010**

This program places students in paid internships in Science, Math, and Technology at several different locations. The participants in the program have decided on a teaching career in one of these disciplines. Students work with scientists or engineers on projects related to the laboratories' research programs. They also have the mentorship of a Master Teacher who is currently working in K-12 education as a teacher and is familiar with the research environment of a specific National Laboratory.

Faculty and Student Teams Program (FaST) **Application Period Opens October 1, 2010**

This Faculty and Student Teams (FaST) Program is a cooperative effort between the Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Science and the National Science Foundation (NSF). Faculty from colleges and universities with limited research facilities and those institutions serving populations, women, and minorities underrepresented in the fields of science, engineering, and technology are encouraged to apply for the FaST program. The FaST program will support a team comprised of one faculty member and 2-3 undergraduate students. The program provides hands-on research opportunities in DOE national laboratories during the summer.



HOW TO APPLY:

To apply visit website: www.scied.science.doe.gov

The application process allows you to complete the application in a number of sessions. You will be asked to select your first and second laboratory preferences from a list of available DOE sites (including DOE headquarters).

For the summer session, there will be two successive selection rounds in which participants are chosen by the laboratories. If the positions are not filled in a laboratory at the end of round one, the applications will proceed to a second round. If you are chosen by the laboratory you indicated as your first choice you must accept the offer within two weeks of notification by clicking on the "Accept" button on your status page or you will be removed from consideration. If not chosen in the first round, your application will go on to be considered during the second round, at which time either of your lab choices can select you. If you decline your offer, you will be removed from the selection listings and will not receive any other offers.

It is the applicant's responsibility to print a copy of the Recommendation Request form, provide a copy of the form to your recommender, and ensure they understand their responsibility to provide their online recommendation. Two online recommendations are required to complete your application.

Early submission of the completed application is strongly encouraged. Remember the earlier you complete and submit your application the less likely you are to encounter difficulties.

SELECTION:

- The selection of a participant is based on academic coursework; recommendations; scientific interests; compatibility of the applicant's background and interests with the research programs at the facilities; and the availability of funds, programs, and staff.
- The initial person to select a student for an internship in most labs is the researcher who is volunteering to be a mentor. Once the researcher/mentor has chosen a student as an intern it is approved by the respective lab Education Office. No researcher/mentor can make a direct offer to a student. Only the Education Office of the laboratory can make the offer.
- Recruitment and selection of participants is done without regard to race, gender, age, color, religion, national origin, mental or physical disability, or status as a Vietnam Era veteran.

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