Columbia University offers a variety of internship programs that help local youth gain valuable work experience:

**Brain Research Apprenticeships in New York at Columbia (BRAINYAC)** is a program that pairs high school students with scientists for intensive lab apprenticeships. This Zuckerman Institute program is an immersive science research experience in which Zuckerman Institute scientists open their doors to high school students, who in turn bring their talents and perspectives to the lab. Started in 2013, BRAINYAC pairs students with scientists who mentor them throughout seven weeks of intensive summer research. The program prepares students for laboratory research through training sessions, which run from January through May, followed by the seven-week period of intensive research during the summer. Upon completing the program, students come away with an increased understanding of how research in the lab leads to transformative discoveries. Eligible sophomores and juniors are drawn from select youth-serving programs: the Lang Youth Medical Program at New York-Presbyterian Hospital; the State Pre-college Enrichment Program run by Columbia University Medical Center; the Double Discovery Center; and the Columbia Secondary School for Math, Science and Engineering. BRAINYAC receives generous support from the Pinkerton Foundation and the Stavros Niarchos Foundation.

**The Columbia University Facilities and Operations (CUFO) High School Summer Internship Program** is a structured, six-week initiative that provides students with practical work experience before graduation. The program was started in 2011 and is run by the Columbia University Department of Facilities and Operations for high schoolers that live in the 17 local zip code area. Local refers to those students whose primary residence is located within one of the following 17 zip codes: 10025, 10026, 10027, 10029, 10030, 10031, 10032, 10033, 10034, 10035, 10037, 10039, 10040, 10455, 10451, 10454, 10474.

**Engineering the Next Generation (ENG)** is a program for high school students interested in engineering. ENG is an opportunity for motivated high school students from local partner schools to participate in a six-week intensive research program that includes both lab work and supplemental programming to develop their academic and professional skills. Students gain practical research experience, exposure to lab culture, new skills and multi-level mentorship. Program components include working with Engineering faculty, hands-on research skills and experience, master class, poster symposium presentation, college letter of recommendation, and the possibilities of ongoing research and publication in the Columbia Undergraduate Science Journal.

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Annual Report: Youth Internships - BRAINYAC

State Submission Annual Reporting Period: **October 2016 - September 2017**

- Information Session Date: **September 24, 2016**
- Application Deadline: **October 12, 2016**

Following the initial five year Summer Internship Program and in coordination with Columbia Secondary School’s leadership, CU modified the internship program to provide a more selective internship to focus on at least one aspect of Science, Technology, Engineering, Environment, Arts and/or Math (STEAM).

The BRAINYAC program (Brain Research Apprenticeships In New York At Columbia) admits students with a stated interest in biomedical and specifically neuroscience research and provides immersive science research experience with Zuckerman Institute scientists. The program prepares students for laboratory research through training sessions, which run from January through May, followed by a 7-week period of intensive research during the summer. Upon completing the program, students come away with an increased understanding of how research in the lab leads to transformative discoveries. The program admits from four partner programs; Lang Youth Medical Program, State Pre-College Enrichment Program (S-PREP), Columbia Secondary School and the Double Discovery Center. Participants must be at least 16 years of age in order to participate and are granted a stipend for their time in the program.

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**APPLICANTS FOR BRAINYAC PROGRAM:**
- are genuinely interested in the biomedical sciences;
- demonstrate the maturity needed to work in a sophisticated high-tech lab environment; and
- are willing to commit to the entire program.

Applications are distributed to partner programs and schools in the fall before the program starts in January. Priority is given to students residing in northern Manhattan and the South Bronx.

**BRAINYAC STUDENTS:**
- are introduced to an academic scientific research environment;
- develop laboratory and technical skills;
- boost their understanding of science as it is practiced; and
- build their communication and presentation skills.

**VISIT US ONLINE:**
- [zuckermaninstitute.columbia.edu](http://zuckermaninstitute.columbia.edu)
- [@zuckermanbrain](https://twitter.com/zuckermanbrain)
- [zuckermaninstitute](https://www.facebook.com/zuckermaninstitute)

**FUNDING PROVIDED BY:**
- The Pinkerton Foundation
- STAVROS NiARCHOS FOUNDATION

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This special staining technique reveals how different types of neurons may be altered in schizophrenia. From the laboratory of Dr. Joseph Gogos.
The BRAINYAC program runs each year from January through August. The first portion, from January to May, is comprised of Saturday morning training sessions, generally twice per month. During these sessions, students are prepared for their summer laboratory internship. Training sessions cover basic lab techniques, the essentials of neuroscience and how a lab works. During this time, each student is matched with a neuroscientist at Columbia University who will become the student’s mentor for the summer portion of the program.

Starting in late June or early July, students commence the laboratory portion of the program. They work in their internship labs full-time, Monday through Friday, taking part in a research project and are guided by their mentor. Depending on the lab and the project, a student might employ techniques such as microscopy, cell culture, functional imaging analysis, and computer modeling.

Students join weekly BRAINYAC advisory sessions throughout their summer. The advisory sessions focus on supporting the students’ progress in the labs and advancing their science communication skills.

Students who successfully complete the program receive a stipend that is paid in two installments.

WHAT’S INVOLVED
The BRAINYAC program admits students from select BRAINYAC partner programs and schools in upper Manhattan. Students commit to the entirety of the program from January through August.

APPLICANTS MUST BE:
• sophomores or juniors in high school at the time of application;
• 16 years of age or older by the start of the summer session; and
• enrolled in one of our partner programs: Lang Youth Medical Program; State Pre-College Enrichment Program (S-PREP); Double Discovery Center at Columbia College; or the Columbia Secondary School for Math, Science, & Engineering. (See the Zuckerman Institute website for a complete and updated list.)

At the end of the program in mid-August students present their research to a diverse audience—friends, family, researchers, mentors and the broader Columbia community—during a poster presentation.

Students come away from the program with an enhanced understanding of how lab research can lead to transformative discoveries, exposure to a professional and academic environment and a heightened connection to science as a career.

STUDENT ELIGIBILITY

OUTCOMES

What’s Involved

BRAINYAC
Dear Distinguished partners,

I hope you are enjoying what's left of the summer.

Following the completion of another successful BRAINYAC program session, we are currently working on the recruitment strategies for next year.

Attached is the tentative schedule for BRAINYAC 2017. We hope that the spring sessions will run select saturdays, indicated in the attached schedule (from January through April) at 9:30am each day.

We will also like to meet with your students for a recruitment information session on September 24th 2016 from 1:15pm – 2:30pm. During this session, I will share details about the program, including the application process.

We also would also love if you could nominate one of your students who participated in the BRAINYAC program to attend the information session and share their experience in the program with the prospective applicants.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. Thank you for your time.

Best regards,

Education Program Manager
Mortimer B. Zuckerman Mind Brain Behavior Institute
Columbia University
Studebaker Building
615 West 131st Street, New York NY 10027
Phone: [redacted]
Email: [redacted]
http://zuckermaninstitute.columbia.edu
http://zuckermaninstitute.columbia.edu/zuckerman-institute-public-programs

BRAINYAC Program Schedule 2017 UPDATED (Partner Copy).pdf
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Invitation to attend

BRAINYAC Program

Information Session
Saturday, September 24, 2016
1:15pm to 2:30pm

Hammer Building
701 W 168th Street,
Room LL106,
New York, NY 10032
Welcome to the online application for Brain Research Apprenticeships in New York at Columbia (BRAINYAC). This application consists of multiple parts: personal information, parent/guardian information, education, short answer questions, essay questions, personal statement, and interview availability. We recommend that you compose your answers to the short answer and essay questions before beginning the application. You will be able to copy and paste your answers into the boxes provided. By applying to the program, you commit that you will attend all program sessions and be accompanied by a parent or guardian to the parent-student orientation on January 7, 2017 from 1:15 pm to 3:15 pm.

Short answer questions:
- Describe any extracurricular activities (organizations, athletics, student government, etc.) in which you have participated. Include community service, if applicable.
- What kind of laboratory experience do you have (in school or extracurricular)? (No previous lab experience outside of the typical high school classes is necessary for this program.)

Essay questions:
- Describe what makes you a good candidate for the BRAINYAC program. What interests you about the brain and neuroscience? (Max 300 words)
- How would being in the BRAINYAC program help your education and career goals? (Max 200 words)

Personal statement: Write an essay (650 words or fewer) that demonstrates your ability to develop and communicate your thoughts. Some ideas include: a person you admire; a life changing experience; your viewpoint on a particular current event or an insight to who you are.

Please direct any questions to:

Q2 First Name

Q3 Middle Name

Q4 Last Name

Q5 Which of the BRAINYAC partner programs or school are you enrolled in? (If are you not currently enrolled in any of these programs, you are ineligible to apply for BRAINYAC)
- Lang Youth Program (1)
- S-PREP (2)
- Double Discovery Center (3)
- Columbia Secondary School for Science Math & Engineering (4)

Q6 Mailing Address Line 1 (Number, Street, Apt. #)

Q7 Mailing Address Line 2 (City, State)

Q8 Zip Code

Q9 Cellphone Number (If available)
Q10 Email Address

Q11 Re-type email address

Q12 Gender
  - Male (1)
  - Female (2)

Q37 Date of Birth

Q13 Will you be 16 years of age on or before June 30, 2017? (If you have not turned 16 years old by the start of the lab portion of BRAINYAC, you are ineligible to apply.)
  - Yes (1)
  - No (2)

Q16 Parent/ Guardian name (First and Last)

Q17 Parent/ Guardian Email Address

Q20 Home Telephone Number

Q18 Additional Parent/ Guardian Name (Optional)

Q19 Additional Parent/ Guardian Email Address (Optional)

Q23 Name of high school

Q24 Address of high school (Street number, street name, City, State, and zip code)

Q25 Current grade in school
  - 10th grade (1)
  - 11th grade (2)

Q28 Describe any extracurricular activities (organizations, athletics, student government, etc.) in which you have participated. Include community service, if applicable.

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Q31 Describe what makes you a good candidate for the BRAINYAC program. What interests you about the brain and neuroscience? (Max 300 words)

Q32 How would being in BRAINYAC program help your career goals? (Max 200 words)
Q36 Write an essay that demonstrates your ability to develop and communicate your thoughts. Some ideas include: a person you admire; a life changing experience; your viewpoint on a particular current event or an insight to who you are. (650 words or fewer)

Q38 We will be conducting interviews on the following days and times. Please indicate your availability on at least 3 separate dates, selecting as many time slots possible on each day. Interviews will be approximately 20 minutes and be conducted at Columbia University (Studebaker Building, 615 131st Street, New York). Further details will be provided to applicants invited to interview. Due to ongoing constructions, please enter the building at 622 132nd Street entrance. Please hold dates you indicate below on your calendar until the week of November 24, 2015 when we will confirm your interview date.

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Q26 Do you commit to attending the BRAINYAC training sessions from 9:30 to 11:30 am on the following Saturdays? January 14, February 4, February 18, February 25, March 11, April 1, April 22, May 6, May 13, and May 20?

○ Yes (1)
○ No (2)
Q37 Do you commit to attending a campus tour from 10am to 2pm on (Chancellor's Day) Thursday June 8, 2017
○ Yes (1)
○ Maybe (2)
○ No (3)

Q40 Does your parent/guardian commit to attend the parent-student orientation on January 7, 2017 from 1:15pm to 3:15pm?
○ Yes (1)
○ No (2)

Q27 Do you commit to participating in a scientific research laboratory internship and BRAINYAC advisory sessions from June 30 to August 18, 2017?
○ Yes (1)
○ No (2)

Q41 The information submitted above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.
○ I agree (1)
○ I disagree (2)

Q34 I hereby submit my application to BRAINYAC program. (Name, date)

Q39 Contact Information: [Redacted] Mortimer B. Zuckerman Mind Brain Behavior Institute 615 West 131st Street, 6th Floor New York, NY 10027 Phone: [Redacted] Email: [Redacted]
BRAINYAC Research Poster Presentation & Reception

Celebrating achievements of the 2017 BRAINYAC graduates
at
Greene Science Center
Education Lab and Building Lobby
3227 Broadway, New York

Thursday, August 17, 2017
2:00pm to 4:00pm

For more information
Email: publicprograms@zi.columbia.edu  Phone: 212.851.9612

The Zuckerman Institute’s BRAINYAC program matches high school students with brain scientists for an immersive laboratory internship.
The Zuckerman Institute extends a sincere thank you to everyone who joined us here today to celebrate the achievements of the BRAINYAC class of 2017.

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And finally, a very big congratulations to the BRAINYAC class of 2017 for successfully completing the program. We wish for your continued success through high school and in the next steps of your education and career trajectory.

**PROGRAM Agenda**

2:00 pm  
Guest arrival  
Opening remarks  
Mentor appreciation  
Presentation of certificates

3:00—4:00 pm  
Refreshments and research poster presentations

4:00 pm  
Departure

**A Note of Thanks**

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**BRAINYAC Students and Research Projects**

Understanding the role of octopaminergic cell circuits in locomotive behavior

Creating Snakehead rhabdovirus (SHRV) for monosynaptic tracing in electric fish

A novel approach to understand autistic behaviors using computational models

A tool to analyze mitochondrial dynamics

Fate-specifying signals within the Drosophila ommatidium

Experimental design and creation of smart branch to understand the hippocampus of the Chickadee bird

A theory for understanding the mysteries of autistic behaviors

Role of Epas1 transcription factor in Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis

Stress and the reward system: Neural activity in the Ventral

Do differences in caregiving quality affect parent-child biological synchrony?

Molecular cloning of Stasimon: A novel protein involved in Spinal Muscular Atrophy

Modeling Gnb1 \mutations in mice to find treatments for patients with neurodevelopmental disorder

Exploring the brain’s GPS through data analysis

Extinction of contextual fear: Identification of ventral CA3 memory traces

How ATF5 affects gene expression in olfactory neurons

Classification and identification of neural projections important for value during learning
Annual Report: Youth Internships - Columbia University Facilities and Operations

State Submission Annual Reporting Period: October 2016 - September 2017

- Application Deadline: June 2, 2017

The Columbia University Facilities and Operations Summer Internship Program is a 6-week long paid internship for high school students living in the local* community who are looking to gain real work experience before graduation. Previous work experience is a plus, but is not required. Interns must be at least 16 years old at the time of the internship and are paid New York State minimum wage.

This summer, the program began on July 10, 2017 and ended on August 18, 2017. Interns were placed in one of the following Facilities and Operations departments: Manhattanville Development Group, Finance and Administration, Planning and Capital Project Management, or Strategic Communications and Construction Business Initiatives. Interns worked in their respective departments from Monday - Thursday and met as a group every Friday for special tours, workshops, and skills training.

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- Columbia University Facilities and Operations Summer Internship Friday Schedule
Columbia University Facilities and Operations provides a wide range of services to the University community including planning, design, construction management and operations.

This summer we are offering paid internships for high school students living in the local* community looking to gain real work experience before graduation. Previous work experience is a plus, but not required. The paid internships begin on July 10, 2017 and end on August 18, 2017. Applicants must be 16 years old at the time of the start of the internship and will need working papers. Interns will be paid New York State minimum wage.

Manhattanville Development Group

Project Management Intern:
- Perform architecture/design related tasks, including compiling data and preparing drawings for distribution; assisting in compiling architectural plans; assist in conducting preliminary studies to obtain information as to space and design requirements; research and information gathering for use in various projects.
- Work closely with Project Management team on various task lists, construction updates and construction reports.
- Learn how to conduct effective meetings with clients and contractors and document the meeting with formal minutes.
- Assist with filing, organizing and cataloging project documents.

Finance and Administration

Helpdesk Support Intern:
- Learn how to identify, research, and resolve technical problems.
- Respond to telephone calls, email and personnel requests for technical support.
- Learn how to document, track and monitor all problems to ensure a timely resolution.
- Assist in the installation and configuration of workstations based on needs and requirements.

Human Resources Intern:
- Gather information/data on employee engagement.
- Organize large database of files.
- Attend all team training, meetings, and presentations.

Capital Finance Intern:
- Review capital construction capital project documents and high level financial information in order to compile an Excel database of key information from each document.
- Learn to use key financial Excel tools to prepare financial summaries geared toward upper management, clients and project management groups.
- Prepare a summary of historical capital project contingency usage by category.
- Compile historical project expenses by trade into a benchmarking database.

Planning and Capital Project Management

Design and Compliance/Capital Project Management Intern:
- Create directory of plan room files.
- Scan and file operations drawings.
- Organize compliance binders and progress photos.
- Attend meetings with a Project Manager, take notes, record attendance.

Planning Intern:
- Create and organize presentation boards and photo galleries.
- Perform various document management activities.

Strategic Communications and Construction Business Initiatives

Communication and Outreach Support Intern:
- Help design, develop and distribute effective communication materials for meetings with clients and contractors.
- Review and recommend social media strategies to reach targeted audiences.
- Track and record commitment outreach efforts to local community.
- Conduct research and assist with preparation of presentations and support client relation activities.
- Conduct daily review of vendor requests and provide administrative support for document management, expense reports and contact records.

To apply for an internship please visit: https://goo.gl/kXeVbf
Deadline for Submitted Applications: June 2, 2017

For more information, please call 212-854-6938.

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COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY
Facilities and Operations

High School Internship Application Form

Columbia University Facilities and Operations is offering paid internships for high school students living in the local community looking to gain real work experience before graduation. Previous work experience is a plus, but is not required.

The paid internships begin on July 10, 2017 and end on August 18, 2017.

Please note that in accordance with New York State Law, all applicants must be able to provide an employment certificate (also called "working papers") before they begin work if selected for an intern position. Interns will be paid New York State minimum wage.

In order to be considered for an internship, you must submit this completed application form along with a cover letter. If you wish, you may also include a copy of your resume. You will be able to upload your cover letter and resume at the end of this application form.

Personal Information:

Name: ____________________________
Street Address: ____________________________
City: ____________________________
State: ____________________________
Zip Code: ____________________________
Telephone Number: ____________________________
E-mail Address: ____________________________

Are you legally eligible to work in the United States?

☐ Yes
☐ No
If you are not a U.S. Citizen, are there any restrictions on your eligibility for employment? Please explain:

Education:

School Name: 
School Address: 
Anticipated Graduation Date: 
Grade Point Average: 
Major: 
Career Interests: 
Please list any scholastic honors/achievements/activities: 

Work History (please include paid, volunteer, and intern positions):

Most Recent Employer: 
Location (City/State): 
Position Title: 
Start Date: 
End Date: 
Description of Duties: 

Past Employer: 
Location (City/State): 
Supervisor (Name & Title): 
Your Position Title: 
Start Date: 
End Date: 
Description of Duties: 

References (may include teachers, supervisors, family members or volunteer work leaders.) Written references may be submitted with an application. The letter of reference should site
specific examples of the candidate's ability to successfully complete the internship if chosen.

Reference #1 Name:  
Telephone Number:  
Company/School:  
Relationship:  
Known How Long:  

Reference #2 Name:  
Telephone Number:  
Company/School:  
Relationship:  
Known How Long:  

Accomplishments (Community/professional organizations, honors and awards):  

Accomplishments (Activities relevant to the internship for which you are applying):  

Why would you like to work as an intern at Columbia University?

Please see below for descriptions of each internship position:

**Department: Manhattanville Development Group**

**Project Management Intern:**

- Perform architecture/design related tasks, including compiling data and preparing drawings for distribution; assisting in compiling architectural plans; assist in conducting preliminary studies to obtain information as to space and design requirements; research and information gathering for use in various projects.
- Work closely with Project Management team on various task lists, construction updates and construction reports
- Learn how to conduct effective meetings with clients and contractors and document the meeting with formal minutes
- Assist with filing, organizing and cataloging project documents
Department: Finance and Administration

Helpdesk Support Intern:

- Learn how to identify, research, and resolve technical problems
- Respond to telephone calls, email and personnel requests for technical support
- Learn how to document, track and monitor all problems to ensure a timely resolution
- Assist in the installation and configuration of workstations based on needs and requirements

Human Resources Intern:

- Gather information/data on employee engagement
- Organize large database of files
- Attend all team training, meetings, and presentations

Capital Finance Intern:

- Review capital construction capital project documents and high level financial information in order to compile an Excel database of key information from each document
- Learn to use key financial Excel tools to prepare financial summaries geared toward upper management, clients and project management groups
- Prepare a summary of historical capital project contingency usage by category
- Compile historical project expenses by trade into a benchmarking database

Department: Planning and Capital Project Management

Design and Compliance/Capital Project Management Intern:

- Create directory of plan room files
- Scan and file operations drawings
- Organize compliance binders and progress photos
- Attend meetings with a Project Manager, take notes, record attendance

Planning Intern:

- Create and organize presentation boards and photo galleries
- Perform various document management activities
**Department: Strategic Communications and Construction Business Initiatives**

**Communication and Outreach Support Intern:**

- Help design, develop and distribute effective communication materials for meetings with clients and contractors
- Review and recommend social media strategies to reach targeted audiences
- Track and record commitment outreach efforts to local community
- Conduct research and assist with preparation of presentations and support client relation activities
- Conduct daily review of vendor requests and provide administrative support for document management, expense reports and contact records

Please select your first preference for internship position:

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Please select your second preference for internship position:

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How did you find out about the Columbia University Facilities and Operations High School Internship Program?

- [ ]

If "Other" please write in how you found out about internship program:

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Please upload your cover letter.

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Drop files or click here to upload
Please upload your resume.

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If you have a reference letter, you may upload it here.

Drop files or click here to upload

I certify that all of the statements in this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. Please sign below with mouse curser.

SIGN HERE

Columbia University is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer --Race/Gender/Disability/Veteran.
Columbia University Facilities and Operations Summer Intern Friday Schedule 2017

July 14th – Public Speaking Skills and Consensus Building Activity (Lost at Sea)

July 21st –

Speakers –

- [Name], Vice President, Campus Services
- [Name], Assistant Vice President, University Events Management
- [Name], General Manager, Ferris Booth Commons
- [Name], Associate Manager, Lerner Hall Ops
- [Name], Chief of Administration, Columbia Health

Behind the Scenes Tour of Lerner Hall and Faculty House

July 28th – Tour of Lamont-Doherty Earth Observatory

August 4th – Speaker – [Name], Assistant Vice President, Environmental Stewardship. Interviewing Skills.

August 11th – Rehearse for final presentation

August 18th – Final Presentation
Annual Report: Youth Internships - Engineering the Next Generation

State Submission Annual Reporting Period: October 2016 - September 2017

• Information Session Date: March 2 and March 31 2017
• Application Deadline: April 28, 2017

Following the initial five year Summer Internship Program and in coordination with Columbia Secondary School’s leadership, CU modified the internship program to provide a more selective internship to focus on at least one aspect of Science, Technology, Engineering, Environment, Arts and/or Math (STEAM).

The Engineering the Next Generation (ENG) Program is a 6-week long intensive summer program at Columbia Engineering for academically competitive high school students. Rising high school seniors are placed in engineering labs, matched with research mentors, and supervised by faculty members Program components include research, mentoring, college preparation, presentation skills, as well as academic and professional workshops. Students are challenged with high-level academic expectations of both the researchers and undergraduate mentors. The program admits from four partner schools; Columbia Secondary School, The High School for Math, Science and Engineering (HSMSE) at the City College of New York, Marble Hill HS for International Studies, and ELLIS Preparatory Academy. Participants must be at least 16 years of age in order to participate and are granted a stipend for their time in the program.

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Additional Supporting Documentation

• ENG Outreach and Application Process
• ENG 2017 Application Packet
Summer Research Program

Engineering the Next Generation

Summer Research Program
E.N.G. Program Overview

- 6-week intensive summer program
- Hands-on research experience
- Technical, academic, and personal skill building including college prep workshops
- Weekly seminars, mentoring, site visits, symposium, and more
- Final presentations
- Stipend given upon program completion
Details

• Students placed in variety of Engineering labs
  • Mechanical, Chemical, Electrical, Earth & Environmental, Industrial and Operations Research, Applied Physics and Math, etc.

• Orientation and training in lab safety and culture and mentors
  • Mentors include undergraduate and graduate students, as well as Postdocs and Professors

• Daily schedule is 9am – 5pm, Mon - Fri
  • Start day with morning workshops for ENG group
  • Days primarily spent on guided research project in labs
  • Optional lunch events with undergrad summer researchers
Expectations

• Stay Engaged
• Work with undergraduate mentors, researchers, and professors
• Follow a rigorous daily schedule
• Attend all program activities
• Maintain communication with ENG staff
• Be responsible young adults and engineers
Timeline

• Monday March 20^{th} – Applications open
• Friday April 28^{th} – Application Deadline
• Decisions announced May 10th
• Orientation (date TBD)
• Start date Monday July 3^{rd}
• End date Friday August 11^{th}
Questions

• Contact

engineeringoutreach@columbia.edu

• E.N.G. Program Staff

  • [Name], Director of Outreach Programs
  • [Name], Administrative Coordinator
  • [Name], Outreach Specialist
  • [Name], Outreach Specialist
  • [Name], Outreach Specialist
E.N.G. Program: Summer Research for High School Students at Columbia University Fu Foundation School of Engineering & Applied Science

Program Description
The E.N.G. Program is a 6-week summer research experience at Columbia Engineering for academically competitive high school students. Rising high school seniors will be placed in engineering labs, matched with research mentors, and supervised by faculty members. This program has rigorous demands and will prepare students for the caliber of work expected of college students.

Program components include research, mentoring, college preparation, presentation skills, as well as technical, academic, and professional development workshops. Students will also learn time management, communication, and teamwork skills, which are all increasingly important for success in STEM fields and in higher education. Possible extensions of the program include continuing research throughout the academic year, publication in the Columbia Junior Science Journal, and a letter of recommendation from the research lab’s supervising professor and Principal Investigator.

Eligibility
Students must be current high school juniors to apply. While there is no minimum GPA, students should excel academically overall. Ideally, applicants will have
demonstrated interest in STEM subjects, for example by seeking out advanced classes and extracurricular activities.

Students must be available for the entire duration of the program. Students are required to present their project on the final day of the program, and prepare a poster to present at the undergraduate symposium in October. The program also requires students to attend a lab safety training as well as relevant workshops. Students will be awarded a stipend upon successful completion of the program.

**Dates and Duration**
The program runs from Monday July 3rd, 2017 through Friday August 11th, 2017. Students will work about 35 hours a week, Monday – Friday from 9am – 5pm.

**Application Deadline:**
April 14th, 2017 by 11:59 pm EST.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- While in this application form, you are able to navigate forward and backward throughout the form and edit your responses.

- You will be asked to upload your transcript and resume (PDF).

- Once you have submitted the application form, you will be unable to modify or input additional data.

- In order to make edits after submitting the form, you will have to reapply and submit another application.
• Save the link in your browser to continue working on your application at a later date (before submission).

Personal Information

Personal Information Form

Applicant Name

First Name:
M.I.:
Last Name:
Preferred name if different from above:

Address

Home Address:
City:
State:
Zip:
Phone Number:
Email:
Birth date

Month: 
Day: 
Year: 

Gender

- Male
- Female
- Other

Optional: Choose one or more races that you consider yourself to be:

- White (including Middle Eastern)
- Black or African American (including Africa & Caribbean)
- American Indian or Alaska Native (including all Original Peoples of Americas)
- Asian (including Indian subcontinent and Philippines)
- Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- Hispanic/Latino
- Other
- Choose not to report

Optional: If Asian, What country/ethnicity of your family's origin?

Optional: If Native American/Alaska Native: What is your tribal affiliation?
Optional: If Hispanic, What country/ethnicity of your family's origin?

Language(s) (Optional)

Primary language spoken at home: [ ]
First language if other than English: [ ]

Will you be a first generation college student?

A first generation college student is defined as a student whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) have not completed a bachelor's (4 year undergraduate) degree at a four year college or university in the United States. This means that the student will be the first in their immediate family to attain a bachelor's degree.

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Emergency Contact

First Name: [ ]
Last Name: [ ]
Email Address: [ ]
Phone Number: [ ]
Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian 1:
First Name: 
Last Name: 
Email Address: 
Phone Number: 

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian 2:
First Name: 
Last Name: 
Email Address: 
Phone Number: 

School Information Form
School Information

Name of School: 

School Address: 

Expected Graduation Year: 

Current GPA (out of 4.0): 

Number of Science and Math classes: 

List of Math and Science classes: 

GPA in Science and Math (out of 4.0): 

If possible, please provide your SAT or PSAT scores

Which test are you reporting? 

Mathematics score: 

Evidence-based reading & writing score: 

Essay score: 

Recommendation Information

Please ask your science, math, or engineering teacher to submit a recommendation on your behalf. Recommenders should email your letter of recommendation directly to Columbia Engineering Outreach Programs at engineeringoutreach@columbia.edu with the subject "ENG Recommendation for [Student Name]." Word or PDF formats are accepted.

**Important**: Please notify your teacher well in advance of the April 14th deadline to give your teacher ample time to prepare a letter of recommendation. The recommendation must be submitted by 11:59pm on April 14, 2017.

Name of teacher providing information: 
Email address of teacher: 
Teacher’s subject: 

Essay Responses

Please answer all of the following essays (two essays total) and limit your responses to 300 words or less. Essays should be single-spaced and set in 12-point font. Please include your full name at the top of each document.

There are no “right” answers to any of these questions; essays will be judged for creativity, innovation, and your ability to convey your ideas clearly and concisely.

Upload your responses in a separate document below.
Essay 1. Explain why you want to participate in E.N.G. and what you hope to gain from the experience.

PDF format only
Please make the file name lastname_firstname_essay1

Essay 2. Please choose one of the following questions:

1. 3D printing involves the ability to make customized, complex, interconnected parts quickly and affordably. Please think about something in your life that you could fix or change with a 3D printed part. Describe your object, how it is used, explain why you chose it and how it will benefit society.

2. How do door stops work? How do different shapes and characteristics (material, roughness, weight) make some door stops better than others?

3. Imagine being in a driverless car, what does the car need to "see" in its surroundings? What sort of measurements or sensors would you put on the car, and how could you use that information?

4. How would you design an elevator? What sort of logic would you use to make the elevator more efficient at transporting people? What if the elevator shaft has two elevators?

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# Extracurricular Information Form

Please list up to three extracurricular activities in order of importance.

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Extracurricular Activity 3

Organization
Position/Role
Hours per Week
Start Date
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Describe your involvement and why it is important to you (100 words max):

Signatures/uploads

Uploads

Please upload a copy of your most recent high school transcript (PDF format only). Please make the file name lastname_firstname_transcript

Please upload your current resume (PDF format only). Please make the file name lastname_firstname_resume

Optional: Please share any other information you would like us to know as we consider your application. For example, have you overcome any social, personal,
or academic challenges?

How did you hear about E.N.G.?

Optional: Do you or a member of your family have any affiliation with Columbia University?
By signing below, I verify that all information provided in the application is accurate. Please submit this application along with all the required material detailed in the checklist.

I certify that all information submitted for my E.N.G. application is my own work, factually true and honestly presented. I understand that I may be subject to an admission revocation if any of this certified information is found to be false.

Applicant Signature:

SIGN HERE

Date Signed (mm/dd /yyyy):
Parent/Guardian Signature:

SIGN HERE

Date Signed (mm/dd/yyyy):

Thank you for applying to E.N.G. Engineering the Next Generation.

We will announce admission decisions by the first week of May.

Press next (>>) below to submit your application. You will not be able to edit after submitting. If you encounter any issues, please email engineeringoutreach@columbia.edu.

After you submit, you will be redirected to a page where you can save your responses (PDF). Please save this PDF for your records. Please also note that you will not be able to go back to that page once you close the browser.

Once you press (>>) your application will be recorded and you will not be able to change your responses.