

ARMY HBCU-MI SPARK Student Program for Army Research and Knowledge

This program offers research opportunities to US graduates and undergraduates in STEM fields at Army facilities within the Army's science and technology enterprise.

Application Period Now Open October 14, 2024 - January 12, 2025, 11:59 PM PST

2025 Program Details

The Army HBCU-MI SPARK (Student Partnership for Applied Research and Knowledge) program is an initiative designed to foster collaboration between the U.S. Army and Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs) and Minority Institutions (MIs) in the United States. The program aims to leverage the expertise and resources available at these institutions to address research and development challenges relevant to the Army's mission and goals.

Summer Research Internship Program Dates

Appointments run continuously from June 2, 2025, to August 8, 2025, for students attending a college or university on the semester system and from June 23, 2025, to August 29, 2025, for students attending a college or university on the quarter system, excluding federal holidays and weekends. Applicants are required to conduct their research on site at the facility or affiliated research center.

STEM Academic Disciplines

The internship program focuses on students pursuing disciplines that are critical to Department of Army national security priority initiatives. The following is a list of approved STEM disciplines.

- Aeronautical and Astronautical Engineering
- Biomedical Engineering
- Biosciences
- Chemical Engineering
- Chemistry
- Civil Engineering
- Cognitive, Neural, and Behavioral Sciences
- Computer Science and Engineering
- Cybersecurity
- Data Science and Analytics

- Electrical Engineering
- Environmental Sciences
- Geosciences
- Industrial and Systems Engineering
- Information Sciences
- Materials Science and Engineering
- Mathematics
- Mechanical Engineering
- Physics
- Software Engineering

Internship Program

- 10-week Summer Internship Program
- Work 40 hours per week at an Army laboratory
- Housing paid for by the program
- Travel to and from the internship paid for by the program
- Interns receive a stipend of \$1,000.00 per week, paid bi-weekly
- Interns recieve \$250 dislocation amount
- Daily transportation is the intern's responsibility





Additional Information

For additional information, call or email the program help desk. Call Toll Free: 866-225-0045 Email Us: support@armyspark.com

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