



STEM Scouts

Spring 2018

Please give a brief description of your duties.	What value do you feel you added to the organization during your internship?	Did this internship meet your expectations? Why or why not?
<p>Coordinated outreach with 10 HayCISD schools. developed lesson plans for outreach, recruited volunteers, organized community events, expense reports, developed community networks and relationships.</p>	<p>My goal was to reach 5000 youth. Over the course of the semester, I reached 9000. I exceeded my goal and have brought attention to the work my council is doing to the national council. They are thinking about making the community outreach a national program with other councils. I've developed simple, 15 minute experiment demonstrations for students to elementary school students to understand fundamental laws of nature, like ecosystems, heat mechanisms, and the innovators mindset.</p>	<p>Exceeded my expectations. I have learned so much about networking, non-profits, grant writing, lesson planning, classroom management, professional communication, time-management, and planning/leading/organizing colleagues to a successful community event.</p>
Would you recommend this internship to another student? Why or why not?	If you could change one thing about your internship experience, what would it be and why?	Please provide any additional information regarding your internship that you feel students should know.
<p>YES! If there is another student who would like a rich experience hands on with students teaching STEM concepts, this is the perfect internship. I would say that if that is not your main goal, that this internship is not for you. 50% of my time was spent doing outreach lessons at a school program or community event.</p>	<p>I wish I could have started planning my outreach schedule earlier. There was a lag in the beginning in starting the schools.</p>	<p>It is self-guided. Because the position was so new, often I was defining the roles and responsibility with my supervisor as we went. It took a lot of initiative to come up with lessons, ideas of networks to make, and research about different programs in greater Austin area.</p>