

Internship Info Session

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PVCC STEM FOI and
Career Services

Introductions

Welcome: Dr. Jen Miller, Dean of Student Affairs

Panel

Dr. Linda Stearns, Chemistry Faculty

Dr. Casey Durandet, Physics Faculty

Alexis Duron, STEM Peer Leader and Chemical Engineering Major

Wesley Winter, Alumnus, Physics and Electrical Engineering Major at ASU

John McCrudden, Supervisor of Career Services

Kristin Bennes, STEM Student Services Analyst

Benefits

How will an internship help me?

- Job and/or Research Experience
 - Career Exploration
 - Resumé Development
 - Competitive Advantage
 - Networking and Mentorship
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Where to Look

How do I find an internship?

- PVCC STEM Website and Database:
<https://www.paradisevalley.edu/students/advisement/stem-advising-resources>
 - Maricopa Pipeline:
<https://mcccd.pipelineaz.com/>
 - Linked In
 - Search Online
 - Use your Network
 - Gale Research Center Directory @ ASU Library
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Application Tips

How do I plan and apply?

- Consider your career interests and qualifications
- Plan a year ahead
- Prepare your application
- Personal essay
- Letters of recommendation
- Review your social media
- Practice interviewing

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Expectations

What should I expect during my internship?

- Be proactive and do your research
 - Be your best self
 - Network
 - Remember you are there to learn
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Contacts

Academic Advising for STEM

<https://www.paradisevalley.edu/students/advisement>

Career Services

<https://www.paradisevalley.edu/students/career-services/students>

Writing Center

<https://www.paradisevalley.edu/students/puma-tutoring-center/writing-center>

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