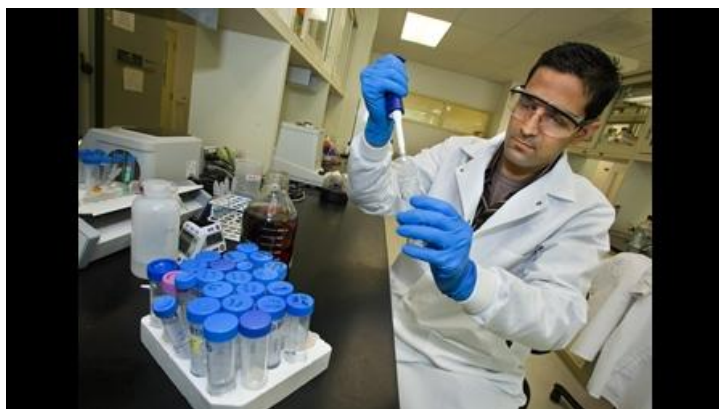




## Community College Institute (CCI)



### Program Description

The Community College Internship (CCI) program seeks to encourage community college students to enter technical careers relevant to the DOE mission by providing technical training experiences at the DOE laboratories. Selected students participate as interns appointed at one of 15 participating DOE laboratories.

They work on technologies or instrumentation projects at major research facilities supporting DOE's mission under the guidance of laboratory staff scientists or engineers.

### CCI Benefits

- CCI participants spend 10 weeks at a DOE National Laboratory engaged in a technical project under the guidance of a laboratory scientist or engineer.
- Host laboratories provide enrichment activities, including career professional development workshops (e.g. technical and scientific writing skills development, poster, or oral presentation activities, etc.), laboratory tours, scientific or technical lectures and seminars.
- Host laboratories provide all required site-specific training.
- Selected students receive a stipend of \$500 per week during the internship period.

### FY12 Data/Impacts

**LANL Funding:** \$70,000

**Program Cost:** \$70,000

**Cost per participant:** \$10,000

**Program Duration:** 10 weeks

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