



South Central Extension Summer 2019 Internship Application



Position Title: South Central Extension Summer Intern

About the South Central Extension design team: AECOM is an International Architectural, Engineering, and Construction firm that oversees designs, and manages various projects, including the five-mile South Central Extension of Valley Metro's Light Rail System. The project is currently in the design phase, and AECOM's South Central Extension design team is looking for up to nine part-time interns to work with our team.

Internship Description: The interns' tasks will include the following:

- Learn about the many facets of the South Central Extension (SCE) design phase
- Attend site tours
- Attend brown-bag lunches with infrastructure professionals
- Participate in engineering challenges
- Receive ongoing informal career and academic mentoring facilitated by industry professionals

Internship Duration:

- Summer 2019 from June 4th – July 23rd
- Eight hours per week for eight weeks (64 hours total) 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Required Qualifications:

- Entering junior or senior year of high school (2019-2020)
- Enthusiastic about planning, transit, architecture, or engineering
- Commitment to full participation during an eight-week schedule
- Attending a local school or part of a local organization serving South Phoenix
- Interested in post-secondary education

Compensation:

- Summer stipend of \$1,000 provided during graduation event on Tuesday, July 23, 2019
- Students must complete all internship requirements before the stipend is awarded.

Application Process:

- Submit essay and application components via e-mail to lisa@jkhconsultingservices.com

Application Deadline:

- Wednesday, April 3, 2019; 8:00 p.m.

Guidelines for the Essay:

- Typed, two pages, single spaced, 12-point font
- Respond to each of the following questions:
 - What interests you about a career in planning, architecture, and/or engineering?
 - Have you had specific experiences that influence your interests about a career in planning, architecture and/or engineering?
 - What does the South Central Light Rail Extension mean to you and for the future of your community?
 - How would you like to see Phoenix grow over the next thirty years?
 - What do you wish people knew about South Phoenix?
 - How do you respond to barriers or hurdles in your life? Please provide specific examples.

General Information Application Component for SCE Summer Internship

Personal Information

Name (first and last): _____ Date: _____

DOB: ___/___/___ Phone Number: (___) _____

Email: _____@_____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____

Academic and Professional Information

Name of high school or local organization: _____

Entering Grade: 11th or 12th (circle one) Cumulative G.P.A.: _____

Name of your academic advisor/counselor: _____

Are you interested in college? Yes or No (circle one) If so, what would you like to study? _____

How did you learn about this internship? School, local organization, other (circle one)

If other, please specify where _____

Emergency Contact Information

• Name: _____

Relationship to student: _____

Phone number: _____ Secondary phone number: _____

• Name: _____

Relationship to student: _____

Phone number: _____ Secondary phone number: _____

Student and Parent Signatures

All the information that I, _____ have entered in this application pertains to me, and is accurate.

Signature of student: _____ Date: _____

I, _____ parent/guardian of _____ give permission for my student to assist all internship activities and entrust him/her to AECOM.

Parent or Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Short answer question:

Why do you believe you should be selected as an intern?

IMPORTANT DATES

January

Summer 2019 Intern Application Released
Monday, January 28, 2019

February

Application Assistance and Essay Writing Workshop #1
Wednesday, February 13, 2019
4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (Drop-in)
Location: SCE Community Office
5040 S. Central Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85040

Application Assistance and Essay Writing Workshop #2
Thursday, February 21, 2019
4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (Drop-in)
SCE Community Office

Career Panel with SCE Project Professionals
Wednesday, February 27, 2019
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
SCE Community Office

March

Application Assistance and Essay Writing Workshop #3
Tuesday, March 5, 2019
4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (Drop-in)
SCE Community Office

Application Assistance and Essay Writing Workshop #4
Thursday, March 28, 2019
4:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. (Drop-in)
SCE Community Office

April

Global Day of the Engineer- Intern applications due by 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday, April 3, 2019

Prospective Intern Interviews
Wednesday, April 17, 2019
5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
SCE Community Office

Prospective Intern Interviews
Thursday, April 18, 2019
5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
SCE Community Office

Prospective Intern Interviews
Saturday, April 20, 2019
9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
SCE Community Office

May

Internship Selection Announcement
Friday, May 3, 2019

Meet the Parents Night
Thursday, May 30, 2019
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
SCE Community Office

June

Internship Program Week 1
Tuesday, June 4, 2019
9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
SCE Community Office

*Internship continues every Tuesday through July 23, 2019

For additional information please contact Lisa Weyer at lisa@jkhconsultingservices.com or 602.386.8555

