



MICKEY LELAND

2013 ENERGY FELLOWSHIP

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The Mickey Leland Energy Fellowship (MLEF), sponsored by the U.S. Department of Energy's Office of Fossil Energy, is a **10-week summer internship program** that provides opportunities to students who are pursuing degrees in science, technology (IT), engineering, or mathematics (STEM majors). The goal of the program is to improve opportunities for minority and female students in these fields, but all eligible candidates are encouraged to apply. Candidates who are selected will have the opportunity to work on focused research projects consistent with the mission of the Office of Fossil Energy.

During the 10 weeks, students will work at one of several locations including national laboratories. At the conclusion of the internship, students will attend a "Technical Forum" where they will present their research project and tour technical sites located nearby. The MLEF program allows students to gain valuable experience in DOE/FE mission-related research programs, and offers an "inside view" of federal employment which encourages students to consider future opportunities within the Department of Energy.

Eligibility Requirements

To qualify for the program, students must:

- Be 18 years of age;
- Be a citizen of the United States;
- Be currently enrolled full-time in an accredited college or university (sophomore year or higher); and
- Have a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or higher.

A Paid Internship Opportunity

Students will be paid:

- A weekly stipend of \$600 for undergraduate students;
- A weekly stipend of \$750 for Master's students;
- A weekly stipend of \$850 for Doctoral and Post-Doctoral students;
- Approved travel costs to and from the host site; and
- Approved travel costs to the Technical Forum for presentations and awards.

• Applications accepted from

November 16, 2012 through January 18, 2013

• Internship runs from June 3, 2013 to August 9, 2013

For more information about DOE/FE and to complete the MLEF application, please visit our Web page below or contact us at MLEF@hq.doe.gov

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