



We are seeking feedback from people who participated in one or more STEM-oriented work experience programs (e.g., internships, apprenticeships, fellowships) that are affiliated with the Department of Defense (DoD) within the past 12 months. By STEM, we mean any field that involves some type of science, technology, engineering, or mathematics. Examples: biology, chemistry, computer science, electrical engineering, social science, physics, and more.

The goal is to gain a better understanding of the wide range of backgrounds and experiences that participants brought to these programs, what participants gained, and how programs may be improved for future cohorts.

If you are open to helping us meet this goal, please complete the following questionnaire. It is best viewed in a browser, though may also be taking on a mobile device. We anticipate the questionnaire will take approximately 10-20 minutes. Please note that all questions are optional, so you may skip any question you do not wish to answer.

Thank you, in advance, for your time!



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**QUESTIONS**

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