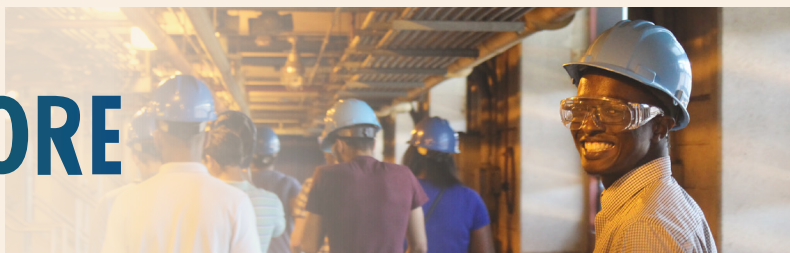




REGIONAL INTERNSHIPS IN SCIENCE & ENGINEERING (RISE)

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THE RISE PROGRAM



RISE (Regional Internships in Science and Engineering) is a career and professional development program, providing meaningful work experience and professional relationships with local construction and engineering firms, consultants and planners to prepare students for success in the Greater Milwaukee infrastructure job market. The program is sponsored by the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD) and conceived, developed and managed by Prism Technical Management & Marketing Services (Prism).

While all students are welcome, the program targets talented students of color, and student who were Sanitary Sewer Service Area (SSSA) residents at the time of their high school graduation, and are currently engaged in science or engineering coursework at an institution in the United States, ultimately leading to a Bachelor of Science degree or higher. The SSSA contains the City of Milwaukee, WI and includes several surrounding suburban communities.

Selected students are placed in paid summer internships with engineering firms, project consultants and contractors affiliated with the District, however, the work the students do may or may not be related to MMSD operations.



The goal of the program is to have a two year internship experience for students and employers leading to a professional relationship upon graduation. However, there are no requirements for students or employers to maintain their affiliation.

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BEHIND THE PROGRAM

MMSD is a regional governmental agency that provides state-of-the-art water reclamation and flood management services for about 1.1 million customers in 28 communities in the Greater Milwaukee area.

Prism is a business and management consulting firm advising leading companies and forward thinking governmental entities on issues of strategy, capacity building, talent development and diversity.

RISE EMPLOYER PARTNERS

The RISE program wouldn't exist if it weren't for our committed employers. Since 2009, participating employers have included AECOM, Alfred Benesch & Company, Brown & Caldwell, CH2M Hill, City of Milwaukee, Dakota Intertek, Donohue & Associates, Inc., Gestra Engineering, GRAEF, Hanging Gardens, HNTB, JF Ahern Co., J.H. Findorff & Son Inc., JP Cullen, Mortenson Construction, Pieper Electric, Rawson Contractors, Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission (SEWRPC), Short Elliot Hendrickson (SEH), Symbiont, The Concord Group and WasteCap. They have employed RISE students attending colleges and universities across America.



BECOME A PART OF THE RISE EXPERIENCE

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Building your résumé?
Getting hands-on experiences?*

HAVE YOU...

*Attended high school in the Milwaukee area?
Completed two years of college?*

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