

# **SAGE** Journey

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## What is The SAGE Journey?







#### **SAGE Mission:**

#### Science Accelerating Girls' Engagement

The SAGE Mission is to engage curious and passionate students and empower them to explore a wide range of possibilities for their future.





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# SAGE Journey starts with a summer camp

#### **Informal chats with professionals**

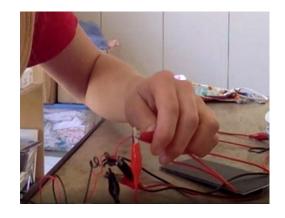








**Tours of the National Lab** 



**Hands-on experiences** 

**Staying overnight at Stanford** 



## **Internships**



The primary goal of the program is to provide interns with a stimulating, real-world laboratory experience that focuses on SKILL DEVELOPMENT.

#### What is it?

Working with a mentor on a project

#### Who is eligible?

SAGE/SPCYW alumni

College Students (over 18 yrs old)

#### Where is it offered?

SLAC (California) and LANL (New Mexico)

15 internships for Summer & Fall 2023





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#### **SAGE Camp Goals:**



Provide students with a FREE one-week-camp where they will:

Learn about a typical day of **National Laboratory scientist or** engineer

**Create** the feeling of awe and **Develop** professional skills

**Connect** with peers that have similar interests and become a part of the SAGE community

See how STEM allows them to explore and balance many interests

Give them experiences to understand what a profession in STEM looks like



#### **Selection Process**

- From public high school or homeschooled
- Entering 10th, 11th, and 12th grades in the Fall after the camp
- 250-500 word essay on two topics connected to SLAC needs and values
- Evaluation exposure to STEM (through parents, school, interests etc.)
- Adherence to the SAGE Mission



## **In-person SAGE Camp activities**





**Projects** 



**Poster presentation** 



**Stanford Observatory** 



**Career talk** 



**Job Shadowing** 



**Tours** 



#### Post-camp activities

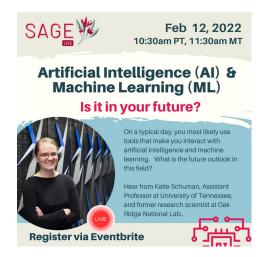
#### SAGE Live online events

- Career-related topics
- New and emerging technologies
- Internship information











## Post-camp activities

SAGEx High School Clubs:

Funded by the SAGE alumni to share with their friends the learning opportunities offered by the SAGE Community

- SAGE coordinated
  - STEM Speakers
  - Lab visit/tour





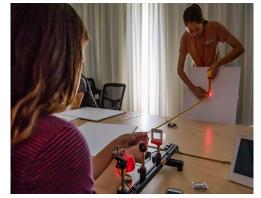


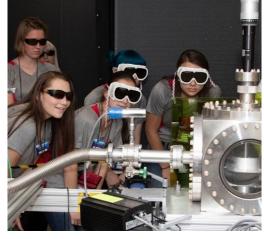




## **SAGE Internship Program**

- For high school and/or college students
- Encourage SAGE alumni to participate to the existing DOE internship programs (SULI, CCI, LCLS, ...)
- 6-10 weeks paid internships over the summer or spread throughout the year
- Focus on skill development and professional growth
- Training provided to mentors









## **Preparation for mentors**

Mentors will be trained with a set of skill-building workshops, case studies, and experts lectures. They will be selected based on their consistent strong informal mentoring

#### **Engineering critical**



#### Managing expectations



#### Effective communication









## **Professional Development**



## MISSCEO

This interactive and engaging workshop series is designed to help young women develop a robust leadership toolkit to achieve long-term professional growth and satisfaction.

Workshop # 1: The
Significance of Leadership,
Diversity, and Working in
Teams

Workshop # 2: Effective
Communication in the
Workplace

Workshop # 3: Forging
Relationships with Strategic
Allies

Workshop # 4: Time Management

Workshop # 5: Stretching Yourself



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