

# Community College Internship (CCI)

## Princeton Plasma Physics Laboratory

The **Community College Internship (CCI)** program at PPPL is for students interested in technical careers relevant to plasma physics and fusion energy research. Students perform research, under the guidance of laboratory staff scientists or engineers, on projects supporting PPPL's research and participate in the Intro to Plasma and Fusion course hosted by PPPL.

Terms available:

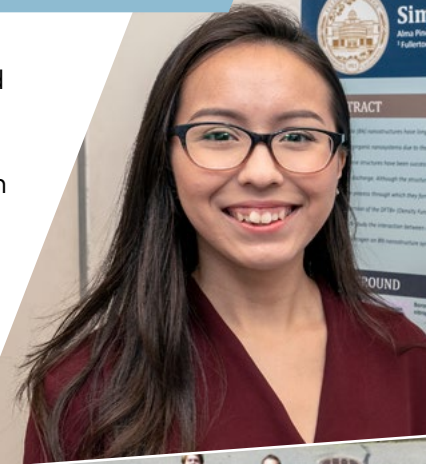
- **Summer 2024:** 10 weeks (June through August)  
*Applications open Oct 17, 2023 through January 9, 2024*
- **Fall 2024:** 16 weeks (September through December)  
*Applications open in March of 2024*

For key dates, detailed eligibility requirements, benefits, and application information, <https://science.osti.gov/wdts/cci>. Travel support, if on-site, is provided. Housing assistance is available. All students receive a \$650/week stipend.

Eligibility for the CCI program requires that all applicants:

- Must be currently enrolled full-time (having completed at least one semester) in a community college or accredited two-year college and completed at least one semester at the time of applying.
- Must have a cumulative minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale.
- Must be 18 years or older at the time the internship begins.
- Must be a United States Citizen or Lawful Permanent Resident at the time of applying.
- Must have earned a high school diploma or General Education Development (GED) equivalent at the time of applying.

This program is funded by the Department of Energy's Office of Workforce Development for Teachers and Scientists. For questions regarding the CCI program, please contact Deedee Ortiz at [dortiz@pppl.gov](mailto:dortiz@pppl.gov).



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