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MSHA Internship Students Program 2026

Description

The Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) is pleased to offer internship opportunities for students in 2026. This program provides an enriching experience in the field of mine safety and health, contributing to MSHA's mission of ensuring the well-being of miners across the nation.

Responsibilities

- Assist in the enforcement of mine safety and health regulations.
- Collaborate with MSHA professionals on inspections and investigations.
- Conduct research and analysis on emerging issues in mine safety.
- Support the development and implementation of safety training programs.
- Provide administrative support and assist with day-to-day tasks as needed.
- Participate in mine visits and training exercises.

Qualifications

- Currently enrolled as a student in an accredited undergraduate or graduate program.
- Pursuing a degree in Occupational Health and Safety, Mining Engineering, or a related field.
- Strong academic record.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Detail-oriented with strong organizational abilities.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.
- Understanding of mine safety regulations and practices is advantageous.

Experience

- Previous experience in mine safety, occupational health, or related fields is desirable but not mandatory.
- Familiarity with MSHA regulations and procedures is an advantage.

Skills

- Proficient in Microsoft Office suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook).
- Analytical thinking and problem-solving skills.
- Adaptability and a willingness to learn.
- Strong interpersonal and teamwork skills.
- Time management and ability to prioritize tasks effectively.

Job Benefits

- Gain practical experience in the field of mine safety and health.
- Networking opportunities with professionals in the mining industry.
- Exposure to diverse aspects of safety regulations and enforcement.
- Mentorship and guidance from experienced MSHA professionals.
- Potential for academic credit, if applicable.

Hiring organization
MSHA

Employment Type
Intern

Duration of employment
6 Months

Industry
Government Agency

Job Location
Arlington, Virginia, United States, 22201, Arlington, Virginia, United States

Working Hours
8

Base Salary
10

Date posted
October 14, 2026

Valid through
22.01.2027

- Competitive compensation for the duration of the internship.

How To Apply

Interested candidates should submit a resume and cover letter expressing their interest in the MSHA Internship Students Program 2026. Please use “MSHA Internship 2026 Application” as the subject line. Shortlisted candidates will be contacted for interviews.