

Information and Assent

***1. The EAST Alliance for Students with Disabilities (EAST-2) is a project dedicated to improving the quality of science, math, engineering and technology education and opportunities for students with disabilities. EAST-2 is required by its funder, the National Science Foundation, to document the impact of program activities. Researchers at Education Development Center are helping EAST-2 to evaluate its program.**

You just completed an EAST-2-sponsored internship over the past few months. We are asking you to complete a brief, 10-minute survey about this internship. There will be no right or wrong answers. By completing the survey, you will help to inform the efforts of EAST-2 to make sure that the internship program is effective in improving science, math, and technology education and opportunities for students with disabilities.

When we are finished with this study we will write a report about what we learned. While we are asking you to give your name on the surveys, our report will not include your name or even mention that you were in the study. By checking the box below, you indicate that you have read the information provided above and agree to complete the survey. Should you choose to discontinue your participation in the study, you can withdraw after signing this form. However, any information that you have provided to that point will remain part of the study and may be used in later analyses and reports. You may also decide not to answer any questions asked during the survey without prejudice. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this study please feel free to call Dr. Babette Moeller at (212) 807-4205 (bmoeller@edc.org).

- ☐ Yes, I understand the information above and I agree to participate.

EAST 2 Internship Post Survey

Name

***2. First Name:**

***3. Last Name:**

Internship Information

4. Title of the internship:

5. Briefly describe the nature of the work you did during your internship.

6. How many hours did you work on the internship. Please give your best estimate.

- ☐ a. 25 hours or less
- ☐ b. 26 – 50 hours
- ☐ c. 51 – 100 hours
- ☐ d. 101 – 200 hours
- ☐ e. 201 – 300 hours
- ☐ f. 301 – 400 hours
- ☐ f. Other (please specify):

7. What accommodations did you receive during your internship? Check all that apply.

- ☐ a. Flexible pacing (rate of completion)
- ☐ b. Flexible location
- ☐ c. Extra help or support (do not include writing)
- ☐ d. Writing/editing help
- ☐ e. Extra time
- ☐ f. Assistive or adaptive equipment (for example, speakerphone, text-to-speech program)
- ☐ g. Safety equipment (for example, cell phone, alert bracelet, epi pen)

Other (please specify):

8. What did you learn or accomplish through the EAST-2 internship?



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STEM Interest and Confidence

9. What is your level of interest in the following fields? Check each row once.

	Not at all interested	A little interested	Moderately interested	Very interested	Extremely interested
Science	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engineering	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mathematics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

10. How well are you currently doing in the following courses or fields?

Check each row once.

	No experience	Very poorly	Poorly	Moderately well	Well	Extremely well
Science	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engineering	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mathematics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

11. How confident are you in your ability to succeed in the following courses or fields? Check each row once.

	Not at all confident	A little confident	Moderately confident	Very confident	Extremely confident
Science	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engineering	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mathematics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

12. How interested are you in pursuing advanced coursework or a career in the following fields? Check each row once.

	Not at all interested	A little interested	Moderately interested	Very interested	Extremely interested
Science	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engineering	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mathematics	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Interest in Pursuing STEM Education or Career

13. Did your EAST-2 internship experience increase your interest in pursuing your education and/or career in one of the STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics) fields?

- ☐ a. Yes
- ☐ b. No
- ☐ c. Maybe

14. Explain what impact your EAST-2 internship experience had on your interest in pursuing your education and/or career in one of the STEM fields.

Interest in Pursuing Your Education at USM

15. If you are a high school student, are you interested in pursuing your education at USM?

- ☐ a. Yes
- ☐ b. No
- ☐ c. Maybe
- ☐ d. I am not a high school student

16. Did your EAST-2 internship experience increase your interest in pursuing your education at USM?

- ☐ a. Yes
- ☐ b. No
- ☐ c. Maybe
- ☐ d. I am not a high school student

17. Describe what impact the EAST-2 Internship had on your interest in pursuing your education at USM.

Internship Summary

18. Describe the most important benefits or successes you experienced during your involvement in the EAST-2 internship.

19. Describe any challenges or struggles you may have experienced during your involvement in the EAST-2 internship.

20. What suggestions do you have for improving the EAST-2 internship experience?

21. Would you be interested in another EAST-2 internship at USM?

- ☐ a. Yes
- ☐ b. No
- ☐ c. Maybe

22. Would you recommend an EAST-2 internship to a friend?

- ☐ a. Yes
- ☐ b. No

Please explain: