Space Grant Internship Working Group

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SGIWG History

Created February 2008 to respond to internship issues regarding application processes

Coordinated information for “after action review” to provide feedback to NASA

Discussions with Diane DeTroye before and during Atlanta meeting

Continued through 2009
Projected 2009 SGIWG Tasks

*March 6 draft after *several* drafts*

- Identifying Space Grant needs for providing effective internship matching information to students;
- Providing information guidance to students to improve their internship applications;
- Describing elements of logistic support that can help improve Space Grant efficiency in placing interns and maximizing their productivity;
- Providing feedback as requested by NASA regarding operational and institutional sustainability of a mature, multi-program internship matching program.
Examples of Interesting Options

- Partnering / sharing of students
  - Thanks, DCSGC!

- Multi-state RGSFOE
  - Active request in my mailbox

- Summer MSI Programs
  - Indiana University example out on table

- Gathering packets of resumes
  - Companies, Centers, Campus projects
Trust Me...
SGIWG Is Not...

- Telling NASA What to Do
- Forcing a Single Space Grant Model
- Writing a Lead Proposal for OSSl
  - Mark still roots for U. Texas
- Developing an Alternative Internship Site
- Influencing Augustine Report
- Plotting Rebellion or DoS "Interventions"
Point of contact for SG Community

Gathering information from NASA Centers

Non-threatening participant (!?)

Discussions as OSSl moves forward

Small group for effective participation

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... Contact Barrett if you want to help