

PNNL Overview

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PNNL is DOE's most diverse national laboratory



5,300 Staff





247

1,755 Peer-reviewed Publications







FY 2021 Spending



Energy & Environment 21%





PNNL is advancing scientific frontiers and providing solutions to critical national needs





PNNL's distinguishing strengths enable mission impact





PNNL's **Science** mission advances understanding of the world around us









Chemical and Materials Sciences







PNNL's National Security mission is reducing the threat from weapons of mass effect













Photos taken before the COVID-19 pandemic



PNNL's **Energy and Environment** mission delivers innovations for our energy future

















Expanding academic partnerships, engaging regional stakeholders, and collaborating with industry



Academia

Industry



Expanding our academic partnerships to increase our mission impact

- 195 joint appointments with 49 institutions
- Six joint institutes
- Graduate student programs with five universities

Washington State University graduate students participating in the WSU-PNNL Distinguished Graduate Student Program

Six joint institutes bring together expertise and resources to address major challenges



Pacific

Northwest



- Nuclear Science
 & Technology
- Bioproducts
- Advanced Power Grid





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Biomedical Innovation



WASHINGTON

Materials and Chemistry

MARYLAND

Climate Science



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NATIONAL LABORATORY

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PNNL Human Resources Talent Strategy









Office of STEM Education

IMPROVING STEM LITERACY & DIVERSITY

DEVELOPING OUR FUTURE WORKFORCE

COLLABORATING WITH EDUCATORS

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STEM Education Strategy: Key Elements





STEM Workforce Development



Supporting the impact of our collaborative research with academia, and providing experiential learning for students in our STEM workforce development efforts





STEM Workforce Development

STEM Education initiatives are rooted in Diversity, Equity & Inclusion (DEI)

- In alignment with PNNL S&T strategy, develop, deliver and disseminate STEM education and outreach initiatives within the K-20 education system to diversify the future DOE STEM workforce
- Provide work-based learning opportunities for students, especially those historically underrepresented in STEM
- Provide thought leadership to key stakeholders on STEM education and workforce priorities
- Integrate best practices in DEI, STEM education and workforce development to advance PNNL's S&T strategy and competitiveness
- Build relationships with **minority-serving institutions** to increase collaboration with faculty and amplify internship opportunities for underrepresented students in STEM







- Cyber Halo Innovation Research Program (CHIRP) is a collaboration with SSC, MSI University/Colleges, and Industry. The mission is to drive innovation and to create a pipeline of talent in cybersecurity for positions at SSC.
- CHIRP is a two-year university program focused on dedicated research on SSC-specific problems. During their time in the program students will build relationships with SSC, PNNL and Industry, and the identified university/college to tackle research problems provided to them by SSC and PNNL.
- Upon completion of the program, students will graduate and join SSC, an SSC industry partner, or PNNL.

Current Phase 2022 (Cohort 1 - Sophomore Year)

- Formal relationships established with PNNL, SSC, and 1st University participant
- Student applicants reviewed and selected
- Research topics identified

Phase 2 (Cohort 1 - Junior Year)

- CHIRP research begins
- PI selected to provide guidance on research, project management, and collaborative efforts
- SSC, PNNL, & University on-going collaboration

Phase 3 (Cohort 1 - Between Junior and Senior Year)

Students participate in 10-week internship at SSC, with one week occurring at PNNL.

Phase 4 (Cohort 1 - Senior Year)

- Students and PI complete research and present at SSC symposium
- Students complete workforce readiness exam
- Final Ceremony for CHIRP graduates

Talent Development and Research Network Security **Cyber Analysis** Incident Response **Cyber Policy** Data Architecture Continuity of Operations **Data Analytics Machine Learning** Artificial Intelligence ecure Software Developmen





A Glimpse of our Internship Portfolio











(1.08%)

(51.19%)





What are the Key **Elements of PNNL Internships?**



- ✓ Immersive onboarding
- Mentorship from trained mentors
- ✓ On-the-job work experience
- Professional development workshops
- ✓ Networking, DEI & enrichment opportunities
- ✓ Knowledge, skills, awareness building
- ✓ Research symposia experience
- ✓ Career exploration
- Oversight and intentional support
- Collaboration, retention, conversion opportunities



Current PNNL STEM Education MSI Collaboration Efforts



- Coordinating RENEW workforce & scientific research efforts with MSI's
- Facilitating PNNL Staff / MSI Faculty meetings to accelerate collaboration
- Targeted workshops on grantsmanship for MSI's
- Comprehensive outreach to students, including interactive internship application workshops
- Immersive, work-based learning experiences for students (remote, onsite, hybrid options)



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