University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa, College of Engineering
2017 Summer High School Internship Program
Fact Sheet

What/Who
- University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa College of Engineering Summer High School Internship
  - Gain hands-on experience in state-of-the-art engineering research facilities.
  - Interact with University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa College of Engineering faculty, researchers, graduate and undergraduate students.
  - Meet high school students from around the State.
  - Explore the engineering industry and career opportunities by attending industry site visits.
  - Fine-tune professional & personal development skills
- High school juniors (juniors going into their senior year)
- Priority will be given to students whose intent is to enroll at the University of Hawaii at Manoa College of Engineering in Fall 2018
- Number of interns accepted depends on faculty lab participation - TBD at later date
  - On average 15-20 interns are accepted.

When
- June 19th – July 28th
  - Intern and faculty mentor and/or graduate research assistant will determine lab hours, along with weekly work schedules.
  - Interns work on average 10-20 hours per week in the laboratory in addition to participating in professional & personal development workshops.
  - Industry site visits and other special activities will be planned throughout the 6 week program.
  - A Meet & Greet for the interns + family to meet their faculty & mentors will be held prior to the start of the internship at either the end of May or first week of June and is mandatory - TBD. Neighbor island students will be skype in.
  - Final Presentations & Reception event: Friday, July 28, 2016

Where
- University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa, College of Engineering, Holmes Hall/POST Building

Cost
- $300 registration/administration fee upon selection and acceptance to participate in the program.
- $300 scholarships (limited) are available to those students needing aid. They must write a supplemental essay (#3) to be eligible for the scholarship.
- The internship is non-paid.

Transportation
- Intern is responsible for finding his/her own way to the UH campus.
- Intern is responsible for parking fees.

Deadline to Apply and Acceptance in the Program
- Applications must be received no later than Friday, April 28, 2017.
- Decisions will be made the week of May 12th, pending availability of the selection committee. Letters of decision will be mailed to all applicants the following week.
- Decisions will be made based on a combination of reviews of the quality of the applicant’s application, essays, and letters of recommendation. **This includes following directions on the application.**
- **Priority** will be given to those that express interest in attending the University of Hawai‘i at Mānoa College of Engineering

For students from the neighbor island or mainland:
- Intern is responsible for his/her own housing and transportation to the UHM campus.
- Contact Myhraliza Aala, EdD 808-956-7426 or at maala@hawaii.edu, should you be selected and need affordable options for housing during the six week program.