

High School Internships

About Marin Science Seminar (MSS): Since 2008, Marin Science Seminar (MSS) brings working STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math) professionals and graduate students to speak to high school students twelve times a year. Students learn what STEM professionals really do. Seminars take place at Terra Linda High School's Innovation Hub on six select Wednesday evenings per semester.

Application Requirements

- High school student in Marin County
- **Must be able to attend and assist at six (6) Wednesday evening science seminars at Terra Linda High School per semester.** Fall 2024 dates: 9/18, 9/25, 10/9, 10/30, 11/13, 11/20; See calendar at marin scienceseminar.com to check the schedule. 7 pm – 8:45 pm
- **Apply online before deadline.** Fall '24 deadline is Monday, September 9th by 10pm. To apply visit marin scienceseminar.com/interns
- Read all the internship requirements
- Zoom interview
- Intern decisions go out via email by Saturday, September 14th, 10pm

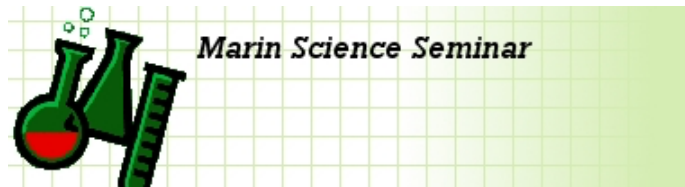


Basic Internship Requirements

- Zoom orientation, tutorial for specialty internships, wrap-up (3 hrs)
- Attend and assist at six science seminar sessions, 7 - ~8:45 pm (12 hours)
- Complete and hand in an extra credit sheet for each session
- Basic internship = 15 hours

Specialty and School-to-Career (StC) Internships

- Students who would like to build a science-related online portfolio can extend their internship with science journalism, videography, art, and social media contributions. (See next page.)
- Public school students can use the time spent on specialty internship tasks to apply towards Marin County Office of Education's School-to-Career internship, which requires extra paperwork and commitments. Students can earn 1 credit per approved 18 hours spent in the internship, capped at 3 credits (54 hours).



Specialty Internships and Extra Internship Participation

Interns may register their interest in any of the following specialty internships when they apply. First dibs on journalism and videography assignments will be given to those who apply formally for those specific specialties. School-to-Career interns may earn up to 3 credits per semester.

Science Journalism Interns

- research presenter specialties and related topics
- conduct and post email interviews with presenters to the MSS blog
- compose and post presenter-topic listicles
- receive additional Zoom meeting support for tasks
- earn 4.5 hours of internship credit per approved interview or listicle posted

Videography Interns

- record, edit, and post session recordings to our Vimeo page
- create and post short teaser videos for sessions and programs
- earn 4.5 hours of internship credit per approved video posted

Mixed Internship

Students may add to their portfolio and/or earn additional School-to-Career internship hours by posting approved content such as

- original art work or photography done at MSS sessions
- relevant material to our Instagram account
- writing, video, or other material relevant to seminar or related topics

Want to learn more?

Check out our website at marin scienceseminar.com and start your application online using the QR code at right.

