

MULTICULTURAL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

Urban Ecosystem Services Summer Research Experience

JULY 8-AUGUST 3, 2018



EXPERIENCE COLLEGE LIFE

A unique opportunity for **current high school juniors** who are interested in environmental science. Working with MSU's Multicultural Apprenticeship Program (MAP), the Department of Forestry at MSU will be offering a **hands on research experience** in the summer of 2018.

In this four-week program you will **live on campus**, refine your leadership skills, receive **professional development training**, and work together with other high school students, graduate students and faculty on a **real-world research project**.

QUALIFY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Students who complete this program will be well prepared to **pursue a college degree** in forestry or other environmental disciplines.

The Department of Forestry will be actively recruiting participants for undergraduate **scholarships that will provide 4 years of in-state tuition to attend MSU**.

► HANDS-ON URBAN FORESTRY

Help conduct research on the ecosystem services provided to local communities by an urban forest in the city of Lansing.

Gain skills and knowledge in:

- Soil science
- Botany
- Forest inventory
- Hydrology
- Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Benefits of urban forests to people
- Community engagement
- Data analysis and presentation

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THE MULTICULTURAL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

MAP is an engaging **four-week summer experience (July 8-August 3)** that provides high school students with the opportunity to **experience college life** and explore the many exciting educational and career opportunities in **natural resources and related fields**.

During the four weeks, students will participate in:

- Field trips and leadership seminars
- Laboratory and field research
- SAT Test Preparations
- College financial aid education
- Financial literacy workshops

▶ HOW DO I APPLY?

Download and complete the application process which requires:

- **Program application**
- **Essay***
- **Official Transcript or Academic Record**
- **Letter of Recommendation**

GET FAMILIAR WITH CAMPUS

MAP participants will get an authentic college experience through:

- Educational, social and cultural activities
- Campus Tours
- Living on campus
- Eating in the dining halls

COST

The program is free of charge.

*Be sure to **indicate in your essay** that you are interested in participating in the **Urban Ecosystem Services Project**.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: APRIL 13, 2018

Download applications at: <https://goo.gl/Rg6uYe>

