

Meet the Team



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The Journey of the All Stars Project Six Defining Moments

1981

• All Stars Project (ASP) is founded by Dr. Fred Newman and Dr. Lenora Fulani.

1984

• First All Stars talent show is held in the South Bronx.

1994

• Committee is formed to lead growth initiatives and expansion.

1997

• The Development School for Youth (DSY) is launched.

2013

 New All Stars city programs expand to Dallas, TX.

2024

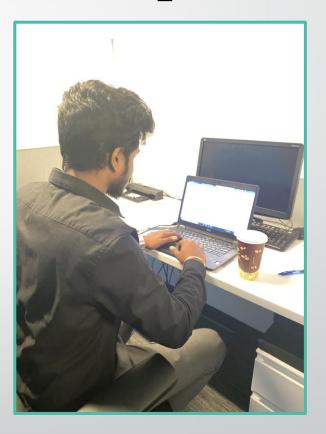
 ASP and City of Dallas announce groundbreaking partnership.



The Goal: To Make Dallas the #1 Region In the Country for Effective Internships









Today's Challenges -

Future Solutions

Youth Unprepared Professionally & Socially for Opportunities

Youth Empowered with Professional & Social Skills to Seize Opportunities

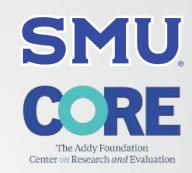
Companies Lack Tools to Supervise & Manage Interns Effectively

Empowering Companies with the Resources to Cultivate and Guide Interns & Future Leaders

Youth & Companies Dissatisfied with Internship Outcome

Youth and Companies Thriving Through Transformative Internships 5

The Tools for Success 8 Dimensions of Development





- Appreciation
- Confidence
- 3 Improvisation
- 4 Interpersonal Competence
- **5** Giving
- 6 Open Worldview
- Personal Responsibility
- 8 Vocational Competence





Our Approach Works



of their intern

















Dallas Works Powered by the All Stars Project

- The Mayor's Youth Summer Employment Program
 - Year-round career exploration
 - Workplace skill development
 - Paid summer internship

- Powered by the All Stars Project means
 - Quality at the center
 - Two-way growth for youth and adults
 - Proven, validated record in youth development



Dallas Works Participants







Dallas ISD Schools

Adams North Dallas

Career Institutes Pinkston

Carter Samuell

Conrad Seagoville

Hillcrest

Jefferson S

Kimball

Lincoln

Madison

Molina

New Tech

Skyline

South Oak Cliff

Sunset

Townview

Washington

White

Wilson



How Dallas Works...works



Phase 1: Career Readiness Workshops

February – April 2025

Professionalism and Competence Professional Dress • Resume Writing • Transferable/ Durable Skills • Job Search and Vocational Interviewing

Confidence Communication and

 Confidence and Communication Professional Communication • Public Speaking • Personal Branding



Inclusion

- Networking
 - Cosmopolitanism
 - Social Capital
 - Giving & Volunteerism



3 Career Ready Pathways

Outreach + Career Ready Workshops















Student Impact

Gained Skills

Confidence and Communication (n=177)

87%

- "How to adapt to unfamiliar environments and communicate with different people"
- "...this presentation helped me learn being less awkward when first meeting someone"

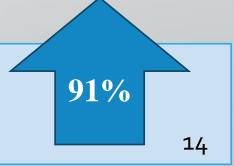
Public Speaking (n=29)

- "I had to get out of my comfort zone"
- "It helped me come out of my shell"
- "I got to understand what I was doing wrong"

100%

Resume Writing (n=35)

- Benefited from: template, knowing what employers look for, what to include or exclude
- "It's ok to ask for help and guidance when needed and not be scared"



Phase 2: Preparation for Effective Internships

May – June 2025

- Prepare **young people** topics include:
 - Introduction to Microsoft Suite
 - Professional Dress
 - Budgeting
- Prepare supervisors to work with opportunity youth
- Pair supervisors and young people with an internship coach





Phase 3: Internship

June 30-August 8, 2025

- Corporations, nonprofit organizations, government agencies
- Pairing criteria includes:
 - Interest
 - Access to transportation
 - Young people's responsiveness
- \$18+/hour
- 20-40 hours/week



Key Achievements

Goals

1,000 Dallas youth with career readiness opportunities

Up to 175 youth in a weeklong program

Up to 150 youth in paid internships in Dallas

Achievements

✓ Reached <u>over 1,000</u> Dallas youth since Nov 2024 through 20+ events

✓ Over 165 youth participating in workshops

✓ Secured 76 internship placements; 60% from new partners







How to Partner with Dallas Works

Financial Underwriting Support

- \$650k in private funding to standup program this year
- **Sponsor interns** at your company or nonprofit this summer
 - Cost \$5k/intern

Volunteer

 Host a Mock Job Interview or become an Internship Coach

Confirmed Intern Partners

Accenture

AMLI Residential

Bank of Texas

City of Dallas

Crossroads Community Services

Dallas College

Dallas Regional Chamber

EY

GirlStart

Hunt Consolidated

JP Morgan Chase

KFM Engineering & Design

TACenergy

Workforce Solutions Greater Dallas



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