Wayne State University C2 Pipeline Warriors College Experience

The College and Career Ready (C²) Pipeline program incorporates science, technology, engineering, and math (STEM) into a hands-on learning environment that emphasizes health careers and enhances students’ secondary educational experience through afterschool and summer programming. Collaborating partners include Wayne State University’s College of Nursing, College of Pharmacy and Health Science, School of Medicine, College of Engineering, School of Social Work and the Mike Ilitch School of Business. One of the highlights of the C² Pipeline program is the Warriors College Experience. During this 11 day program, students live on campus and attend classes taught by university faculty and staff. Participants are also placed on an Interprofessional Education (IPE) team. With the guidance of a mentor, each IPE team works to develop a project that addresses diabetes. All teams present their projects at the end of the program with the hopes of earning scholarship money to Wayne State University.

The 2015 Warriors College Experience had a great impact on the students that attended. 31 of the senior participants applied to Wayne State University for their postsecondary education. As of January 1st, 2016, 24 of those students were accepted to the university. Nine of those students have committed to becoming a Warrior in the Fall of 2016.

C² Pipeline is currently seeking individuals to serve as IPE team mentors during our 2016 Warriors College Experience program. Mentors come from all professional backgrounds, have an interest working with college bound youth and have an interest or connection to a health care or STEM field. Additionally, a mentor position can be filled by multiple people from the same organization (3 people from the ER unit at Beaumont Hospital for example).

Expectations of a mentor would include sharing expertise and guiding an IPE team of five students, over the two week period as they work and compete against the other sponsored IPE teams on a project.
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Experience Mentor Form

Forms are due by May 30, 2016

Mentor Requirements:
- Mentorship of one Interprofessional (IPE) Team (meet evenings and weekends)
- 10 hours over a two week period; Wayne State University campus
- Mentors can be individuals or groups of people from your organization
- Attendance at the Presentation Showcase & Gala on Thursday, July 21st
- Attend a Pre-Meeting on June 8th at Wayne State University from 12:00-1:30PM (lunch provided) to go over the program. More details will be sent to you as the date approaches.

Mentor Benefits:
- Each of the IPE teams will be named after the organization
- Recognition as a Mentor in all Marketing Materials
- Recognition at the Presentation & Showcase Gala Event on Thursday, July 21st
- Opportunity for your Mentored Team to compete against other teams
- Partnership with a Wayne State University organization

______ Yes we want to be a part of this special and unique event, count us in.
______ Yes we want to participate, but have some additional questions, please call us.

Organization Name: ______________________________________________
Department/Unit: ________________________________________________
Contact Person: __________________________________________________
Title: ____________________________ Phone: _____________________
Email Address: ___________________________________________________
Address:       _____________________________________________________

Completed Mentor Forms may be scanned and emailed, faxed or mailed to:
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