



**Institute of
Marine and
Environmental
Technology**

Columbus Center
701 East Pratt Street
Baltimore, MD 21202
410.234.8800
Fax 410.234.8896
www.imet.usmd.edu

IMET Summer Internship Personal Statement of Interest Guide

A statement of interest for the IMET Summer Internship is not to exceed 500 words. Ideally, the statement will address (1) your interest in the field/industry/organization, (2) how the opportunity will help your career plans, and (3) how your personal background and experiences (including social, cultural, familial, educational, or other opportunities or challenges) will contribute to the goal of diversifying future scientific communities.

Before Writing your statement of interest think about these questions:

1. Why am I interested in this internship?
2. How will this internship benefit your career?
3. What about your background, including your academic career and career interests make you a good applicant for this internship?

