

Bay Area Science and Engineering Fair

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Volunteering and Professional Development at BASEF

We believe in volunteering because:

- Volunteer involvement aids our professional development.
- Without dedicated volunteers BASEF would not happen.

Volunteering with BASEF can be:

As a Member of the Organizing Committee

BASEF's organizing committee is comprised of about 25 teachers, scientists and others who care about education in our communities. We meet monthly from September to March to organize the annual fair.

Each year among other things we arrange; publicity marketing and media, facilities, events, fund raising, and details of preparing for the annual fair.

At the Fair

The fair runs from Wednesday to Tuesday over a weekend in March. During those days there are opportunities to volunteer:

• Judging the student's presentations and projects

For fairs that we can conduct physically (pre and post COVID):

- Daily set up
- Security
- Photography
- Parking management
- Safety

As a Chaperone or Mentor

After our fair, volunteers mentor and chaperone our best to the Canada Wide and Intel International Fairs.

Please make these opportunities known to your personnel.

More information is available on BASEF's website, www.basef.ca



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Summer Jobs (aka) Internships

Summer Jobs are opportunities for industry to introduce young people to their workplace and for students to learn about the world of work.

The exhibitors at our Science Fair are largely selected from the winners of local school's own Science Fairs. This means that some of the brightest local students come to our Fair.

Having these students participate creates an opportunity for local firms to identify, interview and offer summer employment to students about to graduate from grade 12.

We will create a list of senior students at the Fair who have indicated an interest in a summer job. Sponsors who have donated \$2,500 or will be given the list an opportunity to meet and interview the students at the fair.