SCIENCE EDUCATION FELLOWSHIP
Share your passion for science education. Become a mentor.

JOB DESCRIPTION
Science in Society is a Northwestern University research center dedicated to science education and community outreach. We are recruiting three Science Education Fellows to work full-time providing mentoring and tutoring support, both during and after school, for two Chicago Public School high schools during the 2018-2019 school year.

Science Education Fellows are recent college graduates with a passion for education and a strong desire to make a tangible difference in the lives of underserved youth in Chicago Public Schools. Fellows work on the front lines of education by tutoring and mentoring small groups of high school students. Small group sessions focus on learning science as well as helping youth to build the skills necessary for academic success. Through authentic mentoring relationships with their students, Fellows work to help close the achievement gap one student at a time.

Fellows will support the Science Explorers program at Stephen T. Mather High School (scienceexplorers.org) as well as afterschool programming through a newly formed partnership with Lake View High School.

The ideal Science Education Fellow has a college degree in science or engineering, a passion for social justice and improving the life outcomes of youth, is energetic and independent but works well with a team, and has previous experience working with K-12 youth.

Fellow positions are full-time, 40 hours per week. Positions will start late August, 2018 and continue through June, 2019 (approximately 10 months). Salary for the position is approximately $22,000 and includes full a university benefits package, including health coverage.

Learn more at scienceexplorers.org and scienceinsociety.northwestern.edu

TO APPLY
Send a resume and cover letter via email to scienceinsociety@northwestern.edu. The subject line of the email should read “Application 2018 Science Education Fellow”. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis beginning May 1, 2018. Applications received by May 1 will be given full consideration.

Strong candidates will be contacted for a phone interview in early May with Science in Society staff. Further details on the hiring process will be provided during this interview. Please direct any questions to our center email address: scienceinsociety@northwestern.edu. We'll get back to you as soon as we can!

Northwestern University is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Employer. Women and members of historically underrepresented groups are strongly encouraged to apply.