



Minor Assent – Written

Catalyzing Inclusive STEM Experience All Year Round (CISTEME365) Program Study
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Why is this research being done?

In this study, I want to find out more about how the activities you have been part of are helping you to understand what preparing for a STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics) career involves.

What will happen if I join the study?

If it is okay with you and you agree to join this study, you will be asked to respond two surveys and one interview. Interview will be recorded for purposes of transcription only. Recordings will be stored in a secure location until transcriptions have been completed, at which point the recording will be destroyed. Names and other identifiers will be removed within the transcription. This process will occur within 30 days of the interview. Additionally, we would like to look at your final CISTEME 365 project and reflection assignments during STEM clubs. Although attending STEM clubs activities is not mandatory and your attendance has no impact on your grades or other school related activities, for this study purpose only, researchers will be recording how often you participate in the CISTEME365 activities.

How long will the research last?

Your participation in this research will last about 70 minutes in total: 20 minutes for each survey and 30 minutes for the interview.

Why am I being asked to take part in a research study?

A research study is done to find a better way to treat people or to understand how things work. You are being asked to take part in this research study because you have participated in one or more CISTEME365 learning activities.

Is there any way being in this study could be bad for me?

The risk or discomfort for you being in this study is minimal particularly to make time in your schedule to respond research activities.

What should I know about being in a research study?

You do not have to be in this study if you do not want to. It is up to you. You can choose to participate now and change your mind later if you want, or you can say no right now. It is your decision to make. You can also ask all the questions you want before you decide.

What happens to the information collected for the research?

Efforts will be made to limit the use of your personal information, including study records, to people who have a need to see the information. Your de-identified information could be used for future research without additional informed consent.

Who can I talk to?

If you have any questions about the research, talk to the research team at 217-244-0799 or lgoddard@illinois.edu. If you would like to talk to someone who is not involved in the research, you can

call the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign's Office for the Protection of Research Subjects at 217-333-2670 or irb@illinois.edu.

- I have read the above information. I have been given an opportunity to ask questions and my questions have been answered to my satisfaction. I will be given a copy of this signed and dated form.

Audio Recording during Interview

☐ Yes, I give permission to be audio recorded.

☐ No, I do not give permission to be audio recorded.

Student Project

☐ Yes, I give permission for my project to be analyzed.

☐ No, I do not give permission for my project to be analyzed

I agree to be part of this research:

Signature

Date

Printed Name

Signature of Person Obtaining Consent

Date (must be same as subject's)

Printed Name of Person Obtaining Consent