

STUDENT OPPORTUNITIES

AT THE ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH CENTER



DEVELOPING SOLUTIONS TO ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES

The Energy & Environmental Research Center (EERC) is a research facility that operates as a business unit of the University of North Dakota (UND). The EERC is recognized as one of the world's leading developers of clean, efficient energy systems and environmental technologies that protect our air, water, and soil.

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Students are integral to EERC activities—working on real-world projects and contributing to real-world solutions. Additionally, this work experience allows students to explore career options, discover strengths, and see how academic learning applies to the world of work.

STUDENTS WORK IN:

GEOSCIENCES	ENGINEERING	FACILITIES & MAINTENANCE
CHEMISTRY	COMMUNICATIONS & MARKETING	SAFETY
BUSINESS & FINANCE	INFORMATION & COMPUTER TECH.	OTHER DISCIPLINES

WHY CHOOSE THE EERC

- Hands-on, real-world experience
- Work with industry experts
- Multidisciplinary team of over 200 people
- Flexible schedule
- Work study and institutional positions available

“Being an employee of the EERC has greatly benefited my college education. It has enabled me to apply principles that I have learned in the classroom to real-world challenges, and the EERC has given me opportunities and experiences that few students have had.”

JOHN, SENIOR – MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

“High-impact practices provide engaged and deep learning experiences for students. Because the world is changing so rapidly, we must provide more opportunities for students to develop skills that prepare them for future jobs that currently don't exist. Solving problems, effectively working in teams, critically examining problems and potential solutions, communicating effectively, and applying what they've learned to different contexts are the types of skills employers want and are necessary for students to be effective leaders.”

DR. THOMAS DILORENZO, UND PROVOST



Critical Challenges. Practical Solutions.

BECOME AN ENERGY HAWK RESEARCHER

(ALL DISCIPLINES WELCOME!)

Energy Hawks is a premier research opportunity for students to better understand North Dakota's current energy landscape and focus that understanding on future energy challenges and opportunities.



Established in 2018, the UND Energy Hawks is a group of graduate and undergraduate students from a wide range of disciplines focused on adding value to North Dakota's energy industry through a broad range of concepts. Through research, interviews, and extensive travel in North Dakota, these students study the opportunities and challenges of the energy industry and develop initiatives for further research and consideration.



ENERGY HAWKS 2019

Students will work and get paid for 10 weeks in the summer at the EERC as part of a truly multidisciplinary team that includes students from all academic areas—engineering, natural and social sciences, law, policy, finance and business, and more. Students will:

Work

with truly multidisciplinary teams.

Be exposed

to the world-leading research at the EERC and UND.

Interact

with energy experts for North Dakota's all-of-the-above energy strategy.

Experience

the real-world environment at energy sites in western North Dakota.

Research

topics critical to North Dakota energy.

Discuss

and continue energy conversations during the following school year.

For more information about student employment or the Energy Hawks Program, contact:

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