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Cascade graduate is Frontier Communications intern

Angela Nguyen is 2016 STEM intern for local branch of telecommunications company



Recognizing the potential of local bright high school graduates, <u>Frontier Communications</u> designed a STEM internship program specifically to help those students prepare for college work focused on STEM topics.

The program gives students real world experiences and insights into cutting edge telecommunications technology. Interns learn business economics and analysis, engineering fundamentals, and more.

Angela Nguyen, a Cascade High School graduate this June, will work with local leader mentors to further hone her skills for STEM-related college course work. She is an ideal candidate for the internship program – and for future

STEM career success.

Principal Cathy Woods describes Nguyen as, " ... technologically proficient and bilingual in English and Vietnamese. Angela was on the academic honor roll with a 3.95 GPA – while taking many advanced placement courses, participating in varsity sports, and contributing more than 60 hours of community service throughout her high school career. She also made time to tutor others struggling with Algebra I, AP Calculus BC, AP Computer Science, and Mathematics. She was part of the Robotics Team State Qualifiers for FIRST Tech Challenge in 2015."

"Our community is fortunate to have Frontier as a partner – their investments in education, particularly student experiences such as Angela's internship, are so very valuable," stated Dana Riley Black, M.Ed., Ph.D., Executive Director of STEM at Everett Public Schools.

With this paid internship, Nguyen works with Frontier professionals for up to 10 weeks to advance her experience for future career aspirations. Her summer work includes supporting local service networks, delivery, and customer experience. She will carry her experience and knowledge into courses at University of Washington in fall 2016.

Frontier Communications shared they are proud to provide this opportunity for Ms. Nguyen and are looking forward to working with such a bright individual.

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