



The Atlas Scholars Program provides motivated students with an experience that exposes them to financial markets and the energy industry, while offering the opportunity to gain exposure and pursue meaningful responsibilities and valuable mentorship. The performance based philosophy resonates through every aspect of the program with the goal of ensuring that our students are prepared to compete at the highest level in post secondary and career ventures.



Sophomore Scholars '13 with Mayor of Houston the Honorable Annise Parker

“Energizing the leaders of tomorrow.”



OUR PROGRAM

A group of critically selected high school students actively participate in an energy/finance and professional development summer program starting at the sophomore level and continuing through post secondary education. The summer session consists of an introductory level energy/finance curriculum, speaker series and round table discussions, field trips, and a year round mentorship program. Summer '13 was just the beginning and with the support of our industry partnerships we strive to build and improve the program each year.



OUR STUDENTS

Atlas Scholars represent a diverse group of students with a cross section of talent, unique potential and inspiring backgrounds. The students endured a highly competitive selection process consisting of essay responses, teacher recommendations, and a series of interviews to earn their place in the program. Each year a new group of high school sophomores are selected to join the Atlas Scholars Community. As a result of the summer program, the students have utilized the established network to continue their individual and collective development through the school year.



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Our Program

Atlas Scholars works with principals, counselors, and teachers in the Houston Independent School District to identify and recruit promising and motivated students for a three year mentorship opportunity in the energy and finance industry. Each year the application process is open to all HISD Sophomore students. If accepted into this highly competitive Scholars program, students participate in a paid internship program every summer until college, while also receiving year round college and career mentorship from a professional within the energy industry. It is our goal to work with HISD to ensure our students not only attend top universities throughout the country but excel in their college career and post college endeavors. Atlas Scholars currently attend B.T. Washington, Carnegie Vanguard, Chavez, Lee, Milby, Sharpstown, and Westside high school. We look forward to the opportunity to strengthen our current relationships and to develop new partnerships within HISD



John Dana, Mai Pham and Taylor Masaryk touring NRG power plant Cedar Bayou



Partnerships



Greg Agran - Goldman Sachs Global Head of Commodities addresses the Scholars



Speaker Series



Howard Taylor – NRG Gulf Coast COO discusses energy production with the Scholars



Mentorship



Tripp Doggett – ERCOT CEO educates the Scholars on Texas power load



Financial Support



Professional Exposure

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