## National Migrant Scholars Internship Initiative



## **Key Points**

- NMSI has significantly been impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. We were on track to place 27 interns before the quarter-end.
  - Eleven internships scheduled to begin in May have been canceled due to COVID-19.
  - Three NMSI greenhouse internships with Mastronardi Produce have been canceled. Leaving the total number of canceled internships at thirteen.
  - As of the end-of the quarter we are on track to support five internshsips in the summer.
- Spring internships continue in a remote setting as each employer grapples with constant changes due to COVID-19.
- Financial concern and uncertainty amongst our students weigh heavily on their families.
- NMSI recruitment-related travel is suspended indifinitely. Along with NMSI webinars and virtual informational presentations with CAMP programs as they transition to work remotley.

## Moving Forward

We will continue to work on promoting the continuation of internships to ensure CAMP students continue to have financial stability during the current unprecedented times. NMSI continues to engage with students through virtual platform and will contiune to modify the support to meet our students needs.







8 Spring Interns



5 Universities

Michigan State University, University of Georgia, University of New Mexico,
University of South Florida, Western Michigan University



4 Industry Sectors

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