## SUMMER 2013 INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY IN WASHINGTON, DC FOR GRADUATE AND UNDERGRADUATE SCIENCE STUDENTS

The Quality Education for Minorities (QEM) Network is offering a 10-week science policyfocused internship in Washington, DC for students at an accredited college or university who are from groups underrepresented in STEM and are interested in science policy. To be eligible, applicants must be undergraduate or graduate students who are majoring in a STEM field. This internship opportunity is made possible through a grant to QEM from the National Science Foundation (NSF).

## The Internship Program will take place May 28 – August 2, 2013

## **Participant Benefits Include:**

- An opportunity to be an intern for 10 weeks in the Washington, DC area
- The opportunity to be mentored by NSF program officers involved in implementing science policy and in managing/directing national programs focused on science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM)
- Roundtrip travel airfare and local transportation allowances
- Housing during the ten-week Program (for students not from the local area)
- A stipend for full-time participation
- A chance to develop a peer network that includes students from across the country who are serving as interns in other NSF programs

A Science Student Internship Program Application packet that includes eligibility requirements is available at the QEM website at <u>http://www.qem.org/internship.htm#NSF</u>.

## **Application Deadline:** Friday, March 1, 2013 **Notification Date:** Friday, April 5, 2013

For additional information, please contact the QEM Network Internship Program Coordinator at 202/659-1818 or via email to qemnetwork@qem.org.