

## NANOG COLLEGE IMMERSION PROGRAM PARTNERS WITH UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO – BOULDER AT NANOG 63

*Program* committed to ensuring the next-generation of networking professionals have an opportunity to become part of the operational community that makes the Internet run.

FREEMONT, CA, FEBRUARY 17, 2015 – The North American Network Operators' Group (NANOG) kicked-off its NCI program at NANOG 63 in San Antonio, Texas, February 2-4, 2015.

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ITP Students Journey to NANOG in San Antonio

From February 2nd through the 4th eight ITP students and two CS students from the University of Colorado at Boulder journeyed to San Antonio Texas to the North American Network Operators' Group 63rd conference, as the first ever participants of the NANOG College Immersion program.

All ten students were sponsored by NANOG to attend this program, which aims to provide the next-generation of Network Operators with an edge in today's highly competitive market and allows the industry a conduit of highly capable operators, engineers, and architects. Further, NANOG believes by introducing students to the vibrant Internet community before entering the job marketplace, they will have a better understanding of how the infrastructure of the Internet works, how they might participate after graduation and an invaluable exposure to companies and individuals.

Over the course of the 3-day event, students attended the rich topics presented in the general forum, specialized tracks, and social events where they interacted with industry leaders from companies such as Amazon, Cisco, Comcast, Google, Microsoft, and Netflix.

The ITP and CS programs look forward to future opportunities with the NANOG community and the NCI program.

For more information on the NCI program please visit: <a href="https://www.nanog.org/resources/nci">https://www.nanog.org/resources/nci</a> ####

To learn more about NANOG and its regular meetings and events, visit <a href="http://www.nanog.org">http://www.nanog.org</a>.



## **About NANOG**

NANOG is a community of industry experts that work together for the common good of the Internet. In many ways, the NANOG community serves as the heart and soul of the Internet. This close-knit group meets three times a year to discuss all issues, large and small, as they relate to the performance, accessibility and evolution of the Internet. NANOG is dedicated to improving the Internet for all major sectors (public, private, education, and consumer) in all corners of the world. NANOG is a non-profit organization and relies on sponsors to help with costs for its tri-annual conferences as well as managing ongoing communications. Annual sponsors include Diamond Sponsors Google, Microsoft, NTT Communications and VeriSign, Platinum Sponsors Addrex, Netflix and Verizon Terremark, as well as Gold Sponsor, Comcast. To learn more, visit <a href="http://www.nanog.org">http://www.nanog.org</a>.