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IMMERSION SUMMER INSTITUTE

As a result of the disproportionate number of Black males in STEM professions, the Callis Foundation launched the "STEM Immersion Institute" partnership with the Kennesaw State University College of Computing and Software Engineering in 2023. 2024 is the 2nd year of the program and we continue to make an impact on the lives of young people to further enable them to pursue careers in STEM.

<u>5 Day Immersion Overview</u>
- Day 1: Program Intro, Campus Tours, STEM Panel Q&A
- Days 2-4:
  - Professor Instruction, Hands On Learning
  - Project Competition, Experiential Guest Engagement
- Day 5: Final Presentations, Reward & Recognition

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PARTICIPANT IMPACT - 2023 &2024 METRICS

+53.0%

% Increase of participants "Extremely or Highly Knowledgeable" about STEM Fields & Professions

+26.3%

% Increase of participants "Extremely or Highly Likely" to pursue a career in STEM

88.3%

% of participants who will meet w/their H.S. Counselors to pursue STEM Careers beyond High School.

92.1%

% of Participants that rated the Program "Extremely or Highly Beneficial"

100%

% Likely to attend College

100%

Would recommend the Program to a Friend

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