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Hi, I'm Katrina Jackson with the NASA Goddard Office of Communications,

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and we're here at the Goddard Visitor Center for the first day of the Summer 2014

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Internship season, and about 250 interns are going to be arriving here

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at the Visitor Center. So we're going to go inside, and talk with a few of the interns and see what

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they are going to be up to this summer. [music]

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So where will you be interning here at NASA Goddard this summer?

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Alecia: Uh, the innovation lab. Colin: Robotic spacecraft mission operations.

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Sarah: Doing low-gravity propellant physics. Nora: I'm working with the FERMI

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group, so gamma rays. Lisa: The NICER X-ray

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project. Casey: I'm working on designing the new building,

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37 I think it is. Angel: And how did you find out about your internship?

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Alecia: I found out about it through the MERIT Program, which was offered to the CWIT Scholars at

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UMBC. Rochelle: I went ahead and submitted an application to a whole bunch of

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different NASA centers, and I picked the one that was most appealing, which was Goddard.

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Katrina: If you were to compare yourself to one planet in our solar system, which one do you think

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is most like you? Shannon: Um, I'll say Jupiter,

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because it's the largest and most, it has the best personality,

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I'd say out of the planets. Katrina: What is your most favorite planet

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in the solar system? Colin: I'm fond of Earth.

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Uh, yeah. Katrina: Is Titan your favorite moon in the solar system?

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Joe: Um, it wasn't actually, Enceladus was my favorite, and, but,

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after doing some research on it, it's becoming one of my favorites, it's pretty cool, so I'm

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excited. Angel: What is your dream job? Sarah: I want to go to Mars.

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Just throw that right out there. Rai: Get to experience what it is to be an electrical

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engineer, you know, going around doing projects or research. Angel: So James, what is your dream job?

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James: Um, either professor or NASA

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scientist. It's a toss-up between the two I guess. Angel: Can't do both?

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James: Um, I hadn't even thought of that. Wow,

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you just shook my whole world view. Angel: This

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concludes the 2014 Summer Intern Orientation, but

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for these interns, the summer is just beginning. Stay tuned to the NASA

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Goddard website to learn more about our interns' journey. I am

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Angel Mills, reporting for the Goddard Office of Communications.

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