RAIN Impact Data Assessment

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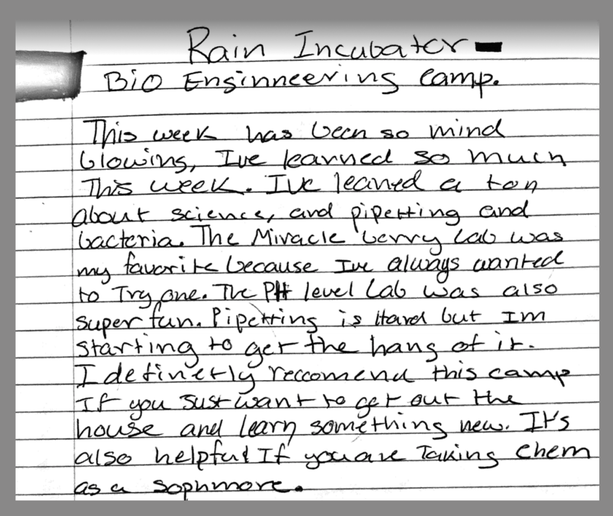
RAIN INCUBATOR

"Our data is on a spreadsheet... somewhere."

"We want people to bring their whole selves to this space."


Rain Incubator
Bio Ensinneering camp.

This week has been so mind blowing, Ive learned so much This week. Ive learned a ton about science, and pipetting and bacteria. The Miracle berry lab was my favorite because Ive always wanted to try one. The PH level lab was also super fun. Pipetting is Hard but Im starting to get the hang of it. I definetly reccomend this camp If you just want to get out the house and learn something new. It's also helpful If you are taking Chem as a sophmore.

Comments from engineering camp.

Problem:

The Readiness Acceleration & Incubation Network, a biotechnology incubator, requested an assessment of their education program's data collection practices. They were concerned with effectively measuring their impact, as well as inclusive practices to underrepresented groups in the sciences.

Process:

- Stakeholder interviews

- Research best practices for inclusion

- Audit of data collection and organization

- Observation of educational program

Results & Recommendations:

- Define core qualitative outcomes of education activities

- Align collected data to core outcomes

- Consider social media as a way to collect "stories"

- Collect qualitative data in an organized file system

- Welcome program attendees with a "cheat sheet" of terms

- Create best practice suggestions for science presenters