Mentor Frequently Asked Questions

• What is the time commitment; weekly, yearly etc?

To be a full time mentor, it requires meeting with the students 2 hours a week either Tuesday or Wednesday when school is in session between the early November and early April.

• What schools/ages participate in the mentorship program?

The students range from high school freshmen to high school seniors.

• What is the expectation for establishing and maintaining long term mentor relationships with the students?

There is no expectation. The ACE mentor program is primarily to mentor students during the school year about the architectural, construction, and engineering professions. Some mentors stay in contact with students after they complete the program as the student goes through college.

• What are the topics covered in the sessions?

Topics cover architecture, construction cost estimating, site planning, structural engineering, interior design, civil engineering, MEP engineering.

• Are there any opportunities if I can’t mentor after work?

Absolutely. Check out the Flyer for more information on being involved on a committee or contact Joe Greco, our fundraising chair, to volunteer to work at one of our fundraising events!

• Can I be a mentor if I can’t commit to every week?

Yes, contact the lead mentor at the location you want to support to determine if they have interest in part time mentors. Almost all locations do. You would pair up with another mentor and co-mentor a group of students.