PMECS provides gifted minority students with cultural and academic activities and role models in the career areas of engineering and computer science. Our major efforts is a series of summer technical workshops which offer direct exposure to the sciences in a technical environment which in turn influence development of the students’ academic skills.

**Apply to attend ONE of THREE workshops**
- June 13 - 17: Daily Commuter Workshop (Rising 9th-12th grade)
- June 26 - July 01: Overnight Workshop (Rising 10th-12th grade)
- June 28 - July 01: Overnight Workshop (Rising 9th grade)

**Objectives**
- Stimulate increased interest in math, science, engineering and computer science.
- Familiarize academically qualified minority students with career opportunities in engineering and computer science.
- Inspire students toward excellence in their high school course work.

**Cost**
Minus a registration fee and spending money, activities are all-expense-paid!
$75.00 registration fee must accompany rising freshmen applications*
$125.00 registration fee must accompany upperclassmen applications*
* A limited number of grants are available (at the request of the counselor) to those students who are financially unable to secure the registration fee.

**Location**
The Summer Technical Workshop is held at the University of South Carolina in Columbia.

**Minimum Selection Criteria**
- Student must be a minority (African American, Native American or Hispanic)
- Student must be a rising high school freshman, sophomore, junior or senior
- Student must have a minimum overall (B) grade-point average (a few exceptions will be made for underachievers extremely high potential)
**NOTE:** Limited spots available for upperclassmen (rising sophomores, juniors and seniors)

More Information and Application available at: [www.cec.sc.edu/pmecs](http://www.cec.sc.edu/pmecs)