

# **Youth Engagement**









A key component of Los Angeles International Airport's (LAX) Landside Access Modernization Program (LAMP) is to leverage the Automated People Mover (APM) project to reenvision the economic future of Los Angeles by investing in its people and economy in a manner which reflects the local community. By incorporating innovative and proactive strategies into a comprehensive Inclusivity Program that focuses on outreach, youth engagement and charitable giving, LAX Integrated Express Solutions (LINXS) and the APM project will provide career development opportunities to under-represented stakeholders.

## **Creating Pathways**

LINXS' youth engagement and K-12 mentoring efforts support existing age-appropriate STEM teaching modules by helping to educate youth and recent graduates about careers in engineering and construction. By providing them with career development opportunities, LINXS' youth outreach will seek to leave a lasting legacy in the designated Airport Impact Area.



LINXS Constructors' Youth Engagement team partners with local schools to help inspire the next generation of engineers in Los Angeles. Each year, LINXS Constructors hosts an annual Youth Summit, where students receive an overview of the APM project and learn about STEM-related careers. If you are interested in participating in the Youth Summit, please email youthengagement@linxscjv.com.



150+

Number of outreach events attended or hosted through Year Three of APM Contract

195+

Scholarships awarded through Year Three of APM Contract

### **Age-Appropriate Programming**

Through LINXS' "Pathways to Engineering" programming, students of all ages from local schools learn about the APM project and are guided through age-appropriate workshops and activities designed to introduce them to STEM concepts and engineering career tracks. Kindergarten students may be asked to construct the APM guideway out of wooden blocks, while high school students may build their own robot using household materials as they learn more about different fields of engineering.

### **Career Development Opportunities**

By offering scholarships, summer internship opportunities and supporting career fairs, LINXS is working to help establish a pipeline of construction and engineering professionals that will build Los Angeles' future. In conjunction with the internships, LINXS is also working with Los Angeles Unified School District to develop and externship program for K-12 schools. The externship program will give students insight into careers in STEM.

#### **About the Automated People Mover**

The Automated People Mover (APM) system will bring convenience and time-certainty for guests traveling to or from Los Angeles International Airport (LAX). During peak hours, driverless trains will arrive at stations every two minutes. The trains will have wide doors for easy access with luggage, large windows for viewing, plenty of hand holds and seats for those in need. Station platforms are open-air, light-filled and have escalators and elevators for quick, convenient access to the terminals. The APM is the centerpiece of LAX's Landside Access Modernization Program (LAMP), which also includes a Consolidated Rent-A-Car (ConRAC) facility, Intermodal Transportation Facilities and associated roadway improvements. The APM will reduce vehicle congestion in the Central Terminal Area, provide a connection with L.A. Metro's regional transportation system, create new locations for passenger pick-up and drop-off, reduce emissions and provide reliable access to the terminals.

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