Call for STEM Teaching Mentors:

The core planning team for the Robert Noyce Fellowship Program is seeking STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) experts to serve as Mentor Success Coaches for future mathematics and science teachers. The mentor training for this program is funded by a National Science Foundation (NSF) grant, and mentoring activities will be funded by a subsequent NSF grant that has yet to be awarded.

**Qualifications:** All Noyce Mentor Success Coaches must have established expertise in a STEM field and a strong desire to improve STEM instruction in Montana's high-needs and rural schools through work with individual pre-service and in-service teachers.

**Preferred Qualifications:** Preference will be given to mentor candidates who 1) have experience working in high-needs schools and/or rural communities, 2) can demonstrate a history of service and leadership particularly in American Indian communities, 3) have knowledge of high school math and/or science content and pedagogy, 4) are willing and able to travel to the MSUB campus, and 5) are willing and able to communicate with others through a variety of electronic means.

**Timeline:** Mentors will be identified by April 30, 2013. Training will take place in May 2013. The first cohort of Noyce Scholars will begin their programs of professional study in Fall 2013.

**Compensation:** A stipend to support your professional development to become a mentor will be provided under the current Noyce grant.

**Application:** To apply, forward a letter of interest to:

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