

Discovery Program Highlights

Vision:

A persistent collaborative, innovative, network of impactful staff



85% of

surveyed Discovery staff members stay connected with nonplacement host groups



>80

intellectual property disclosures for post-Discovery Program staff members



91% of Discovery staff members advance in staff classification by year 4 at APL

How We Get There

Hiring



Each year . . .

1,000s of resumes reviewed



of candidates interviewed



20 people hired into a cohort each year

Career **Foundations**





hires with bachelor's degrees start APL's Part-Time Study Program



professional skills classes



50+ hours of experiential learning

Professional Connections -**Engagement**



From surveyed staff members . . .



97%_{of} Discovery staff members are engaged in APL clubs and activities



69%_{of} Discovery staff members participate in mentoring relationships



25% of Discovery staff members assist at APL's college recruiting events

Professional Connections -Innovation





138 entries in APLwide innovation activities for internal funding



entries in APLwide innovation activities for external engagement



67% of all Discovery Program staff members (2015–2020) participated in APL innovation activities

Broad Exposure





106 unique host groups



453 rotations



74 staff members placed broadly across APL