

# FORT VALLEY STATE UNIVERSITY

## Cooperative Developmental Energy Program (CDEP)



UNIVERSITY OF  
ARKANSAS



**Dr. Isaac J. Crumbly, Founder and Director**

### ABOUT CDEP

- CDEP began in 1983 as an Energy Internship Program and in 1992 evolved into a dual-degree STEM program in engineering, mathematics, biology, geology, geophysics, chemistry, and health physics. Computer science was added to the dual-degree offering in 2022.
- FVSU-CDEP has established dual-degree partnerships with Georgia Tech, Grand Valley State University, Penn State, University of Alabama, University of Arkansas, University of Nevada at Las Vegas, University of Oklahoma, and University of Texas-Austin
- FVSU-CDEP and its partnering universities have awarded a total of 458 STEM BS Degrees: 126 engineering, 51 geology/geophysics, 12 health physics, 174 mathematics, 65 chemistry, and 30 biology. CDEP graduates have also gone on to earn 45 advanced degrees: 38 masters degrees and 7 doctoral degrees.
- CDEP and its sponsors have awarded over 480 scholarships to academically talented minority, female, and underserved students for STEM degrees
- CDEP has mentored over 850 pre-college students (9th-12th grade) in STEM via its Math, Science, and Engineering Academy (M-SEA)
- CDEP's recruiting of math students for its dual degrees in math/engineering contributed to FVSU being ranked #1 in the nation for graduating African Americans in Mathematics and Statistics in 2011, 2014, and 2015 (*Diverse Issues in Higher Education*)

**“The Only One Of Its Kind In The Nation”**

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### **SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENTS (Competitive)**

**Apply at [www.fvsu.edu/cdep](http://www.fvsu.edu/cdep) (Deadline is January 15)**

- ◆ **3.5 GPA or above**
- ◆ **Combined math and critical reading of 1170 (minimum 570 math) or an equivalent composite score of 26 on the ACT**
- ◆ **Official high school transcript (1st semester grades from 12th grade must be included on transcript)**
- ◆ **Two letters of recommendation**
- ◆ **Complete and submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov)**
- ◆ **Complete the Fort Valley State University Application for Admission [www.fvsu.edu](http://www.fvsu.edu)**
- ◆ **Complete the HOPE Application (Georgia students only)**