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The Destination Imagination (DI) global network of alumni is one million strong and growing. From engineers to educators, artists to CEOs, many participants go on to become innovators and leaders in a variety of fields—and they don't stop there. Our alumni understand the benefits of their DI experiences and strive to ensure future generations have the same exposure and feel the same impact. Are you an alum of the program looking to give back? Visit <u>DestinationImagination.org/alumni</u> to learn more about our Alumni Ambassador Program.

Where Are They Now?

Destination Imagination alumni live and work all over the world. Take a look at what a handful of our U.S.-based graduates are up to today!



Meet Our Outstanding Alumni



Dr. Elysha GreenbergClinical Psychologist

Dr. Elysha Greenberg holds a bachelor's degree in psychology from Brandeis University, a master's degree in mental health counseling from Boston College, and a doctorate in clinical psychology from William James College. She is a licensed and practicing psychologist in the state of Massachusetts. Elysha completed her doctoral dissertation on the ways in which programs like Destination Imagination promote mental health and well-being in adolescent participants. Her research explores themes of creativity and social awareness, as well as the areas of adolescent life most positively affected by involvement with DI, like the building of friendships, coping skills and perseverance. Elysha notes that personally, Destination Imagination helped her to "generate a greater sense of community, creativity and confidence," and has had a profound impact on everything she does.



Brandon SchreiberTest Automation Engineer

Brandon Schreiber holds a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from Tennessee Technological University. His resume includes 3D modeling, programming robots, and designing cutting-edge nuclear testing techniques. In his current role at Bosch USA, he designs, builds and programs automated fixtures to test electrical and mechanical components. Brandon has stayed involved with Destination Imagination as an Appraiser, Challenge Master and Team Manager. He credits his time as a DI participant with building his creativity and helping him to understand the process of bringing a solution from paper to reality—something that he frequently calls upon in his professional life. "I really don't know where I'd be today or who I'd be without DI," he says.



Marianna Fleischman Chemical Engineer

Marianna Fleischman holds a bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from the University of Delaware. She currently works as a formulation scientist at the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, where she supports formulation development and testing for the Vaccine Production Program. Marianna's favorite memory from her participation in Destination Imagination is of her team qualifying for Global Finals for the first time. She recalls a teammate's dad commenting to her own dad during the awards ceremony, "For the rest of their lives, no one's going to be able to tell these girls that there's something they can't do." Marianna brings the spirit of innovation that she learned in DI to work with her every day, as she collaborates with a team to help prevent and fight diseases including HIV, Ebola and the flu. "DI impacted my life in every conceivable way," she says. "That sounds very dramatic, but it's true."