Brazilian Interns Experience at Westinghouse

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Internship Process

- Brazilian Mobility Program Science Without Borders-2014
- Pennsylvania State University

Undergraduate Brazilian's Students At Pennsylvania State University





Today we'll discuss a little about our projects and talk in general about the internship at Westinghouse.



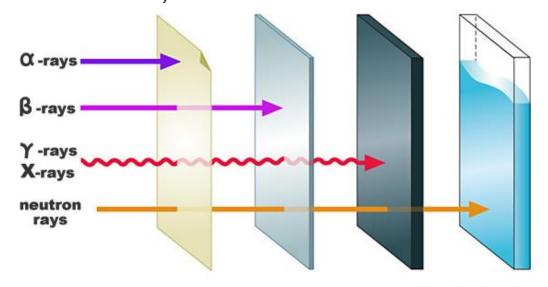






Shielding Analysis – Radiation Engineering & Analysis Group (2014)

- Neutron and Photon Streaming and Dose Attenuation Analysis in Common Shielding Materials
 - Radiation streaming in the concrete shield and through gaps in the pre-cast concrete slabs in some reactors floors.
 - MCNP (Requested from RSICC Radiation Safety Information Computational Center)





Reduced Reload Safety Analysis Checklist – Core Engineering Group (2015)

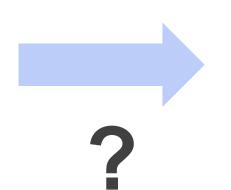
- The RSAC is issued each reload and is a selectively edited list of limiting values for those parameters that are reload sensitive and can affect the accident analysis of a plant.
- The "Reduced RSAC" (RRSAC) approach provides one method of reducing the reload safety analysis and emergency core redesign cycle time.





We need to study Fast Transients when performing a BWR reload analysis (2014)

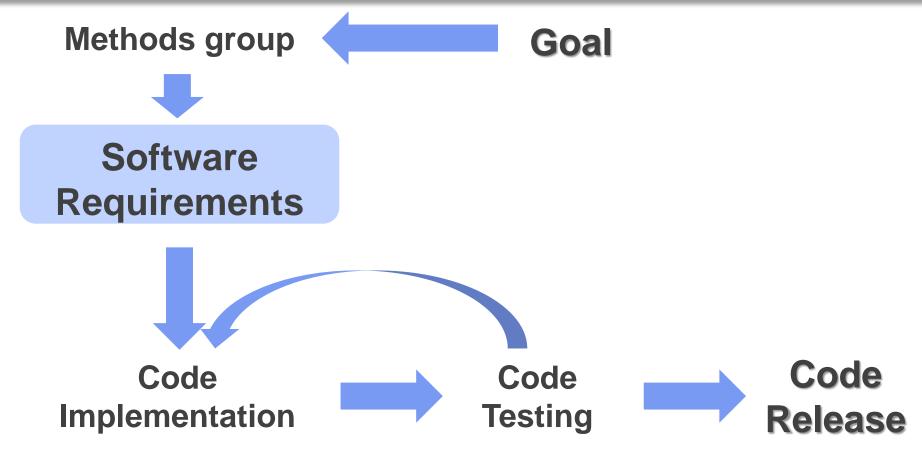
3D Steady-State Core Simulator



1D Fast Transient Code

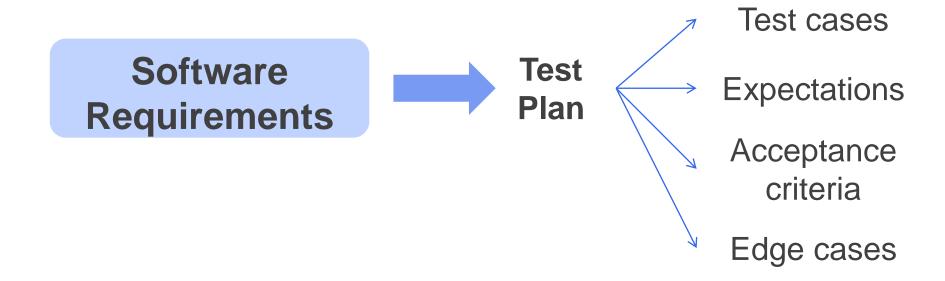


The software development process involves several steps, including Testing (2015)





When code testing, we develop a test plan based on software requirements (2015)





Interning at Westinghouse is not only just about the technical projects.

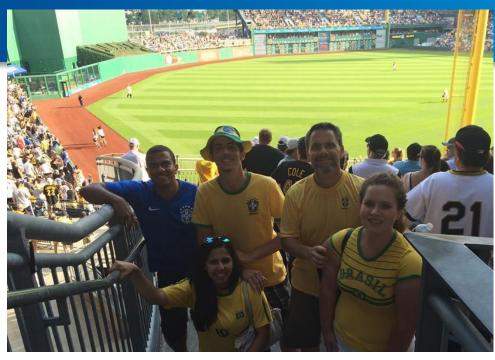
- Orientation day
- Mentoring relationship
- Breakfast with the CEO
- Intern competition within the Core Engineering group
- Wrap-up
- Barbecue with the Young Generation group from Pittsburgh



Intern social events



Westinghouse Brazilians having lunch in Downtown Pittsburgh



Brazilian interns at a Pirates game





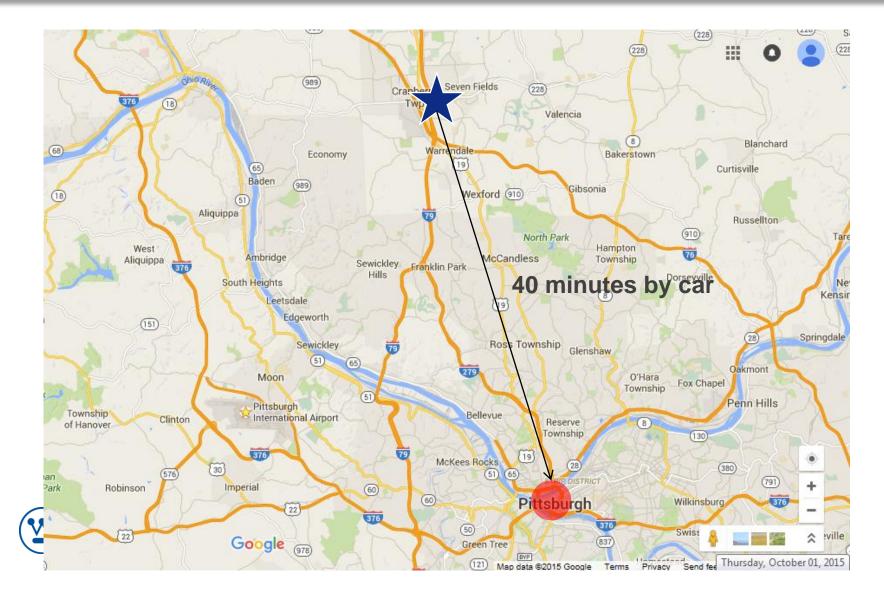


Recommendations to future interns

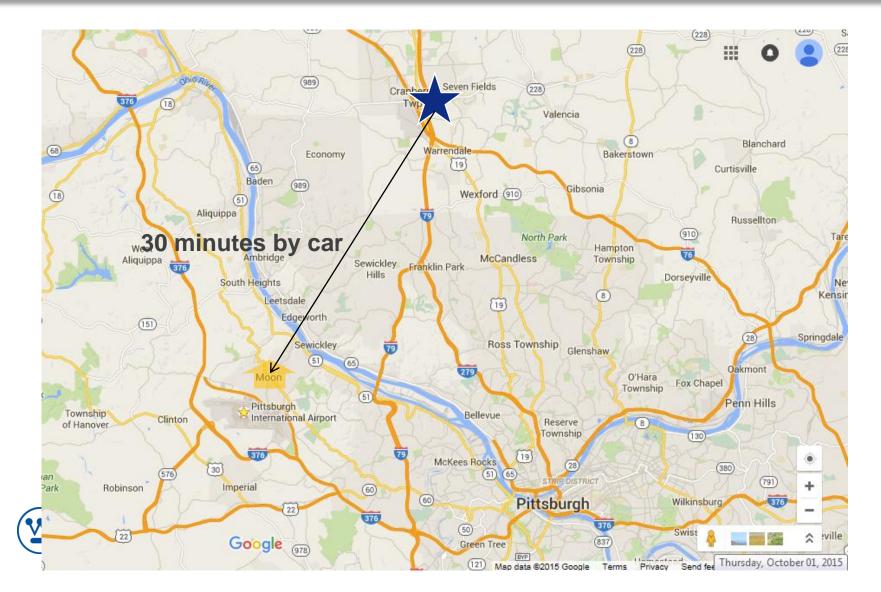
- Language
- Dedication
- Be eager to learn
- Proactivity
- Food
- Weather conditions



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Highlights

- Networking
- We are always learning new things
- Concern with employees' welfare
- Friendly environment to raise concerns
- Great mentoring



Have fun!





During FIFA's World Cup, at the Westinghouse HQ

Today we gave an overview on our projects and talked about our experience at Westinghouse.







Questions?

