

I write today to invite your students to apply for summer and fall internships at our St Louis YMCA branches. The YMCA of Greater St. Louis is a not-for-profit, charitable organization committed to youth development, healthy living and social responsibility. Our facilities, include 17 traditional YMCA branches and two Campus YMCA student leadership facilities on the Missouri side of the St. Louis Metro Area. The Carondelet Park Rec Complex is owned by the City of St. Louis and operated by the YMCA of Greater St. Louis. Through membership and programming based on our Core Values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility, the YMCA strives to serve everyone.

Our internship positions have been specifically designed to provide students the opportunity to integrate classroom learning with real world experience. We offer several opportunities in the fields of Health and Wellness, Exercise Science and Fitness, Youth Development, Education, Sport Management, Marketing, Computer Information System Management, and Nonprofit Administration. Interns are teamed with professional directors and other YMCA staff to plan, implement, execute and promote selected programs at one or more branch. While we cannot offer a stipend, YMCA of Greater St Louis internships offer in depth opportunities for training and professional development. I hope you will share these opportunities with your students.

I would be very interested in discussing internship requirements for your program and learning how the YMCA of Greater St Louis can best assist in the professional development of your students. Please feel free and encouraged to call me for additional information, post or forward this correspondence, and have students contact me directly.

Sincerely,

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