2016-2017 Sustainable Stanford Internship Position Description

Campus Department: School of Medicine and Office of Sustainability, Department of Sustainability and Energy Management

Position Supervisor:
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Position Title: School of Medicine Sustainability Intern

Position Description:
The School of Medicine (SOM) intern is the sustainability voice of SOM students, keeping his/her peers informed of sustainability programs and resources on campus and coordinating students’ ideas and recommendations for campus sustainability improvements with administration. The intern’s work will mainly focus on supporting the Cardinal Green Labs program at SOM. This includes monitoring the lab-glove recycling program, organizing the annual Spring Share event, and identifying equipment that would benefit from energy efficiency upgrades. The intern will receive guidance from both Stanford’s Office of Sustainability and the School of Medicine’s student support programs.

Position Length:
The internship position is offered for the 2016-2017 academic year. Hours are flexible and estimated to be an average of five hours per week.

Opportunities and Benefits:
• Great resume builder for someone seeking leadership, community organizing, or business experience.
• Opportunity to become more closely connected to the School of Medicine and Stanford community as a whole, as the intern will be working with both students and staff from many different departments.
• Opportunity to learn about research and network with scientists in other laboratories
• Opportunity to directly improve resource utilization and the environmental footprint of SOM

Qualifications:
• Current student in Stanford’s School of Medicine
• Experience conducting medical research in a lab
• Passion for sustainability and environmental stewardship
• Strong communication skills
• Self-motivated and able to work independently
• Experience implementing community programs preferred

Salary:
$20.00/hour

To Apply:
Please provide a resume and cover letter stating your interest and experience by email to mbrightwater@stanford.edu. Deadline is Wednesday, May 4, 2016. Interviews will be held during the week of May 16 and hiring decisions will be announced by May 31, 2016.