



NEWARK
SCIENCE AND SUSTAINABILITY, INC.
Creating Self-Sustaining Communities

a 501c3 nonprofit organization

Community Outreach & Organizer Intern

(This is an unpaid internship program.)

Along with possible college credit, our internship program allows interns to gain real-world experience in the nonprofit sector and gain hands-on experience in a wide-range of fields. This is also an opportunity to strengthen existing skills while accumulating new ones. There are a number of ways an intern can contribute to our mission.

Contribution

- Assist Managing Director with reaching yearly goals.
- Participate in program planning along with researching and collecting data for grants.
- Assist with the prepping and planning of community gardens.
- Assist with the planning and implementation of age relevant educational, hands-on programs and activities around topics of wellness & nutrition education, urban gardening, eco-art, climate resiliency, and renewable energy.
- Assist with the organizing of small to large groups around issues related to urban agriculture, climate resiliency, nutrition, and the use of renewable energy.
- Assist with the use of documentary-style filmmaking and social media to share stories around wellness & nutrition education, community gardening, climate resiliency, and the use of renewable energy.

Guiding Principles

- Be available for weekly in-person or virtual think-tank meeting.
- Be flexible and a self-starter, comfortable with minimum direction.
- Initiate and maintain respectful and mutually supportive relationships with residents, elected officials, local business owners, and other community stakeholders.
- Commit to a minimum of 20 hours per week. This includes community meetings, webinars, attending events, etc.

Established in July 2013, Newark Science and Sustainability, Inc. (Newark SAS) is a community-driven, 501c3 nonprofit organization based in Newark, NJ that implements various initiatives to increase awareness of environmental, ecological and wellness issues through educational programs and hands-on activities. Newark SAS assists with the creation of self-sustaining and environmentally friendly communities by developing pathways for green jobs, increased self-sufficiency, and broader community empowerment. We achieve this through collaborations and partnerships with residents, community-based organizations and other key stakeholders, including local businesses.

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