



Thurston Community Media

Young Producers Network (YPN) Internship

Description:

The YPN Intern will assist TCMedia Member Services staff in support of TCMedia's mission to provide communications resources to build stronger communities through summer STEAM educational enrichment and media literacy during an eight-week summer camp.

The internship runs from June 26 through September 1. Shifts can be ½ day from 7 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 12 p.m. and 6 p.m. or full day 8:30 am – 4:30 am

Activities and Learning Opportunities:

- Lead exercises in field and studio-based media production.
- Facilitate groups of 10-15 youths, ages 8-11 and 12-16.
- Instruct students on safe operation of equipment.
- Model cooperative, collaborative teamwork and foster positive learning environments.
- Mentor young producers on best practices in media production and story development.
- Manage file storage for campers.
- Assist in production of YPN programs to air on channel and for online distribution.
- Capture photos and video to promote YPN throughout duration of camp.
- Other duties as assigned.

Half-day stipend for the summer is \$500. Full-time stipend of \$1000 for the summer. Number of positions available is dependent on summer camp enrollment.

Qualifications:

Current student in baccalaureate or graduate program with an emphasis in education, communications, media production, or closely related field.

Intern should have a high degree of comfort with technology.

The candidate should have cultural competency when interacting with diverse groups and individuals of differing backgrounds. Must have knowledge of their own cultural background and awareness of their interactions with others.

Commitment to ensuring media tools, technology, and training are accessible to all people.

Available between 7 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Expectations:

Ability to lift 30 lbs.

Demonstrated professionalism in interacting with community and team members.

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Ability to reliably transport self to and from worksites.

Apply:

Please submit a resume and a cover letter detailing your experience and interest in working at TCMedia via email to Deborah Vinsel, CEO at dvinsel@tcmedia.org. Please include “YPN Intern” in the subject line of your email.

The internship is related to an educational purpose and there is no guarantee or expectation that the activity will result in future employment with Thurston Community Media.

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