

Washington Summer Program #16

Peace Corps Response

Hi Summer Students

Here is another opportunity with the Peace Corp. Application details below and on the attached. -
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My Peace Corps colleague, Alice-Lynn Ryssman, passed your contact information to me regarding the opportunity to advertise an unpaid summer internship with Peace Corps Response to students participating in the UCDC summer program. If you still have students who are seeking an internship position, I would like to submit the following written description (see below signature and attached) for their consideration.

I appreciate your help in publicizing this opportunity to your students.

Kind regards,

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Monitoring and Evaluation Intern – Summer 2008

Peace Corps Response is a unique U.S. Peace Corps program that mobilizes returned Peace Corps Volunteers for short-term, high-impact assignments worldwide. Now in its 11th year of operation, the program has fielded over 1000 Peace Corps Response Volunteers (PCRVs) in more than 40 countries to work in five broad program areas: Humanitarian Assistance; HIV/AIDS (including PEPFAR); Disaster Preparedness and Mitigation; Natural Disaster Relief and Reconstruction; and Post Conflict Relief and Reconstruction. PCRVs are generally placed in three- to six- month assignments working directly with partner organizations that include local and international organizations, host-country government institutions and UN bodies.

Position Description:

The Monitoring and Evaluation intern will assess the impact of past projects and current evaluation procedures and make concrete recommendations to improve the capacity of the Office of Peace Corps Response to measure outcomes in the field and refine internal processes.

Primary responsibilities include:

- Compile historical PCRV and Partner Organization evaluations and reports.
- Assess the effectiveness of tools currently used to capture project outcomes and measure the impact of PCRVs' work in the field.
- Identify input from former volunteers and partners to improve internal office procedures.
- Propose recommendations for improving evaluation and identify/develop new tools accordingly.

Qualifications:

- Knowledge of the principles, practices, and techniques of planning and implementing project assessments and evaluations.
- Skilled in compiling and analyzing data and information.
- Experience in the development of quantitative and qualitative indicators and monitoring tools.

- Knowledge of sources to draw upon for program evaluation-related research and analysis especially within an international development context.
- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision
- Strong analytical and written skills
- Graduate student in the field of international development, policy or a related area.

Schedule: Full-time, 40 hrs / wk, June – August 2008

Salary/Wages: unpaid internship

Location: Peace Corps Headquarters, Washington DC

Inquiries and applications:

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Application Deadline: April 18, 2008

