

Field: Community Capacity Building
Name: Adharshila
Location: New Delhi, India
Name of Position: Impact Assessment Intern (2)

Brief Description of Organization:

Adharshila strives to empower and enable the weaker sections of society toward building self-reliant and strong communities. Together, the organization's projects currently cover 20,000 households existing below the poverty line in targeted slum areas. Adharshila works on issues of healthcare (including periodic checkups, provision of women's health care centers, and awareness camps to improve general health and sanitation), legal awareness, education (including non-formal and remedial education), entrepreneurship development, and vocational training courses. Adharshila has been certified by the Government of India's Human Resource Development Ministry to provide vocational training in tailoring, computer literacy, and other courses.

Information Specific to the Internship:

Impact Assessment Intern

Qualifications:

This opportunity is open to both undergraduate and graduate students. Candidates wishing to apply for this position must be proficient in spoken Hindi. The Intern should be comfortable spending time in the slum communities and interacting with beneficiaries to assess the effectiveness of the programs being offered to them by Adharshila. Based on the specific skills of the candidate Adharshila will broaden/narrow the scope of the internship so as to bring out the best results. Therefore, students are encouraged to discuss their previous work experience and areas of keen interest when applying.

Primary Responsibilities:

- To devise and develop models by which the progress of the community can be assessed over time.
- To Work closely with the trustees to conceptualize new projects.
- To draft fundraising proposals.
- To approach potential donors for funding.

Schedule:

Summer internship opportunity of up to 8 weeks in duration.

Stipend/Assistance:

Please contact Adharshila directly for information regarding the availability of a stipend or other assistance.

Additional Information:

Applicants for this position will be required to spend time in slum communities and to interact on a regular basis with beneficiaries in order to assess the degree to which Adharshila's programs are improving community outcomes. The scope of this internship may be broadened

or narrowed depending on the specific skill set of the applicant; therefore, students who are interested in this position are encouraged to discuss their previous work experience and interests when submitting their applications.

To Apply:

Please send your resume/CV and a brief write-up of your relevant previous experience to Gayatri Jolly (gayatrijolly1@gmail.com). Logistical inquiries (for instance, regarding living or travel arrangements) may also be directed to Gayatri Jolly.

Website:

As Adharshila is currently revamping its website, please go to <http://www.facebook.com/adharshila> for additional information about the organization.