AS Sustainability * Internship Application

for Planet Earth and humankind

Accepting applications to BMU 220G until Thursday, February 3rd at noon, or until all positions filled.

The AS Sustainability Center exists to ignite a passion in the campus community to be active in protecting and restoring the earth. We do this by researching, imagining, and creating solutions that address environmental and cultural problems. The overall goal of the internship program is to offer students the opportunity to engage in student driven and action-oriented projects and activities, to learn something new and to have fun.

Name: ____________________________________ Student ID#____________________________________

Email: ____________________________________ Main Phone#: __________________________________

Portal Username:_____________________Major:_______________________ Your Academic Year: ______

Intention to enroll in units: (leave blank if unsure). This is an unpaid internship.

1. Department of Undergraduate Studies, UNIV 389 Credit/No Credit. Number of units: ______________

2. Or get graded units in your major (by approval by your department). Instructor: ________________________

I am interested in interning with the following project teams:
(Rank your top 3 choices, 1=most interested)
Sustainable Events _____ Education and Outreach________ Art and Graphic Design_____
Compost Garden_____ Sustainability Fund______ Living Roof Research_____

Please describe why you are interested in getting involved with AS Sustainability.

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Please describe any skills or interests or values you hope to put to use with this internship.

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I understand that by submitting this application, I have indicated interest in committing myself to being involved this semester and that I am able to fulfill all requirements listed. I understand that if I fail to meet all of the requirements, I will receive No Credit for the semester.

Student Signature: ________________________________ Date: ______________________

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Project Team Descriptions:

1) **Sustainable Events**: Collaborates with event planners across campus to create sustainable events, manages the Function Junction and the hydration stations, and leads monthly creek clean-ups.

2) **Education and Outreach**: Connects the student body with opportunities to directly engage and learn about sustainability via event series, workshops, and a monthly zine. Organizes Earth Month activities.

3) **Art and Graphics**: Promotes ideas of sustainability through a diverse range of artistic expressions, notably graphics, videos, and hands-on projects.

4) **Compost and Garden**: Manages the AS Compost Garden, hosts workshops, field trips, and volunteer days.

5) **Sustainability Fund**: Promotes the Sustainability Fund, hosts grant workshops, manages finances, and performs administrative duties in support of the Sustainability program.

6) **Living Roof Research**: Conducts research, creates educational material and gives presentations with the goal of installing a living roof on the BMU.

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**AS Sustainability Internship Requirements**

1 unit = 45 hrs/semester, 2 units = 90hrs/semester, 3 units = 135 hrs/semester

*The below is based on a one-unit internship. Two and three unit internships require additional program leadership.*

- Attendance at all intern meetings and weekly program meetings
- Specific requirements based on focus option
  - **Sustainable Events**: Promoting and managing sustainable event certification program, managing the Function Junction, assisting in hosting monthly creek clean-ups.
  - **Education and Outreach**: Assist in the planning, outreach and facilitating of large-scale event series. Contribute to the planning of Earth Day including planning a workshop or event for Earth Month. Create written content for monthly zine and help with creating trainings.
  - **Art and Graphics**: Assist with in-house designs, create digital content for monthly zine and collaborate on large scale art projects. (Design/Art experience preferred).
  - **Compost Garden**: Help manage Compost Demonstration Area, manage hot compost pile, assist in hosting volunteer work parties, building a worm bin, and growing veggies.
  - **Sustainability Fund**: Assist with Sustainability Fund workshops, create project highlight brochures, and learn and practice the fiscal management of individual project funding.
  - **Living Roof Research**: Learn about living roofs through the BMU project, create an educational display for Earth Day, and attend committee meeting.
- Participation in AS Sustainability’s broader efforts
  - Earth Day Festival, Compost Garden, Tabling, Class talks, Diversion Excursion, This Way to Sustainability Conference, Attend 2 AS Sustainability Events, Research paper (2-5 pages) and the Reflection Survey.

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