

Public Program Internship Application  
Academy of Natural Sciences

Please complete the following application. Candidates may submit a resume in place of application as long as all pertinent questions are addressed. Intern candidates must also submit copies of their transcripts.

Return this sheet with your application to: Lois Kuter, Volunteer Coordinator (215) 299-1029  
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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
street city state & zip

Telephone #s (Home): \_\_\_\_\_ (Work/School/Cell): \_\_\_\_\_

Best time to contact you: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you (or your family) Members of the Academy? Yes No (*your answer does not affect your application*)

**EDUCATION / EMPLOYMENT** (please check your current school/work status – more than one may apply)

College/University: (circle) undergraduate graduate other \_\_\_\_\_

Name of your school: \_\_\_\_\_ Major/minor: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please describe your course of study that relates to the internship:*

Employed: (circle) full-time part-time self

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Company/Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you been with employer? \_\_\_\_\_

*Are experiences gained at any of your employment positions relevant to interning at the Academy? Yes No*  
*If yes, please explain:*

**VOLUNTEER HISTORY** (Please list volunteer positions you hold now or have held in the past)

1. Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
Position Held/Responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

2. Organization \_\_\_\_\_  
Position Held/Responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

Feel free to list additional positions

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

A. Why do you wish to be a Public Programming intern? (check all that apply to you)

- I am required to intern for school credit. I need \_\_\_\_ hours by \_\_\_\_\_.
- I am required to perform community service (unrelated to school). I need \_\_\_\_ hours by \_\_\_\_\_.
- I am part of a service fraternity/sorority.
- I need/want to gain job experience.
- I am interested in pursuing a career in museum or environmental education.
- I enjoy working with the public.
- I am very interested in the natural world and conservation.
- I enjoy spending time with people and teaching them about the natural world.
- I want to do something meaningful in my free time.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

B. What days and shifts would you prefer to work? (please check the table below)

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
10am-1pm							
2pm-5pm							

C. Please describe any goals or skills you wish to obtain from your internship experience (feel free to add a sheet of paper if needed).

D. Please describe an experience where you developed and implemented a program for the public.

- E. Would you be comfortable walking up to a museum guest and starting a conversation? Why or Why not.
- F. Please list any special interests, skills, or hobbies that relate to the internship (technology, art, music, writing, photography, etc...).
- G. What do you think your most important contribution(s) will be to the Academy?
- H. How did you learn about interning at the Academy?
- I. Please feel free to add any comments you have that will help us to judge your application/accept you into our program

## REFERENCES

Please provide the names and telephone numbers of two people who can comment on your work habits/character/commitment (*such as employer(s), priest/rabbi/clergy, teacher, coach, volunteer supervisor – please no family members*)

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title: \_\_\_\_\_