

Farmers Market at Maryland Student Internship Program

The Farmers Market Intern will assist the Farmers Market Manager through a 10-hour a week internship program available in Summer and/or Fall 2016. Primary support will take place during the Farmers Market at Maryland operating hours – Wednesdays, 11-3 – with additional scheduled hours throughout the week. The schedule will be determined collaboratively and approved by the Farmers Market Manager. The Farmers Market Manager can work with the intern to provide academic credit for this internship.

Internship responsibilities will include:

- Assist Farmers Market Manager with set-up and break-down of Farmers Market at Maryland on Wednesday;
- Support the Farmers Market at Maryland Information Table through set-up, staffing, and assisting with special event support;
- Promote and advertise the Farmers Market on social media and on campus;
- Assist Farmers Market Manager with vendor support, cooking demos, and other duties as assigned by the Market Manager;
- Visit vendors with Farmers Market Manager (as determined by Farmers Market Manager) and develop report about vendors to be shared with Farmers Market at Maryland community;
- Support Farmers Market program assessment and evaluation through development and collection of questionnaires, market surveys, and other metrics.

The intern will also have the opportunity to develop and suggest new ideas and programs for the Farmers Market at Maryland.

Student interns must be available during the hours of the Farmers Market at Maryland: Wednesdays from 11 am – 3 pm, or as determined with the Farmers Market Manager. The Farmers Market runs rain or shine. Student Farmers Market Assistant Managers will be expected to assist with market set-up and break-down including lifting of chairs, tables, and tents.

The intern will work approximately 10 hours per week throughout the Summer and/or Fall. The intern will be required to track activities status reports.

How to Apply

Email your resume and cover letter explaining why you would like to work with the Farmers Market at Maryland to TerpMarketManager@umd.edu with subject line “Farmers Market Internship.” Please indicate in your cover letter if you are interested in a Summer or Fall internship position. For best consideration, submit your application by April 1, 2016. The position will remain open until filled.