

INTERNSHIPS

Giving and serving is at the heart of the Global Youth Village. From its founding, GYV was built by volunteers with donated materials and through caring people lending their talents as counselors, cooks, nurses, carpenters, artists and trainers. Each year, the Global Youth Village attracts a number of interns and volunteers.

Internship options include:

- Administration (communications, outreach, social media, photo documentation)
- Administration (program design and logistics, trip planning)
- Culinary Arts / Food Service / Hospitality (front and/or back of house)
- Health Care (well suited for US based nursing students or if pursuing a career in public health or social work. No license required.)
- Education (sports or studio arts, ESL assist/tutor)

Summer Internships applicants must:

- be available for the full summer season, including staff training.
- be *at least* a rising college sophomore. *Graduate students, recent graduates, and gap year students* are also welcome!

Paid or unpaid?

- Interns are unpaid volunteers, but are provided with a small stipend. (On occasion a graduate student works with us as a paid staff while fulfilling an internship requirement.)
- Housing and meals provided.
- A modest travel allowance is provided to those who live more than a day's drive to GYV.

Earning Academic or Continuing Education Credit While Working at GYV

Many staff have earned graduate or undergraduate credit for work at the Global Youth Village. Legacy's administrative staff will work with you and your academic adviser to design and monitor a learning program. Staff interested in pursuing credit are responsible for making arrangements with their institution and for paying any additional tuition.

To Apply

- *Administrative or Education* - please complete the "Program Staff" application
- *Hospitality/Culinary Arts/Food Service* - please complete the "Food Service" application
- *Health Care* - please complete the "Health Care & Support Staff" application

Fall, Winter & Spring Options:

For those studying in the region (Roanoke or Lynchburg), Legacy International offers limited internships in the Fall, Winter and Spring for those able to commute to our Bedford office. If interested, please email (staff@legacyintl.org) your resume and a cover letter which addresses:

1. The dates you are interested in working / interning
2. The field you are interested in pursuing
3. Any specific requirements of your university or college for earning internship credit.