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Internship – Projects, Events & Communications

POSITION DESCRIPTION

The SEAD Project is looking for motivated individuals who enjoy the beat of startups and the arts; who are creative-at-heart, team-oriented, community-driven, and social justice-minded to help provide organizational event coordination, general administrative support, and work closely with the Executive Director on fun projects and programs as needed.

Organization Background: Started in 2010, The SEAD Project (Southeast Asian Diaspora Development) is a social organization on a mission to be an accessible community hub that facilitates the bridge to streamlined pop-up workshops on language learning, meaningful storytelling, cultural exchanges and knowledge-sharing for Southeast Asian diaspora communities (primarily Hmong, Khmer, Lao and Vietnamese refugee communities). Through safe and welcoming spaces and creative content, we hope to drive empowerment to plant the seeds of hope and possibility, locally and globally. Since 2015, SEAD is a legally recognized 501c3 nonprofit organization based in Minneapolis, Minnesota and Vientiane, Laos.

Length of Internship: 3 months (*minimum*). Starting December 2017 with flexible end date.

Location: Must be available twice per week for core working days at our office in Minneapolis.

Hours: Part-time flexibility with minimum of 15 hours/per week. Some evenings and/or weekends required.

Benefits: Monthly stipend and transportation reimbursement available. Free access to key events, networks and professional development. Always well-fed compliments of the Executive Director.

Roles & Responsibilities:

- Provide direct administrative support under supervision of Executive Director
- Plan and coordinate logistics, events, and meetings for projects and programs
- Lead as point-of-contact for events, tabling, public relations activities
- Create and implement plan for general communications and manage social media
- Assist with other tasks related to reporting, research, programming and reporting as needed

Skills & Qualifications: Previous experience in office administration in nonprofits preferred. Highly organized, reliable, committed, problem-solver, multitasker, experience with event planning and project management, technical knowledge of MS Office 2007+, basic data reporting and analytical skills. Must be technically-savvy with excellent communication skills and able to work with a diverse team of staff and POCI communities, especially with Southeast Asian communities.

If interested, please feel free to send questions, letter of interest, resume and references to:
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