

Summer Internship Program 2016

The Department of Design and Construction (DDC) gives shape to the Mayor's vision of New York City—growing, equitable, sustainable, resilient, and healthy. In doing so, we are driven by a keen sense of urgency and responsiveness, as well as a commitment to client service, collaboration, and mentorship.

The Mayor counts on us to shape a safe, just, and culturally diverse metropolis. Working side-by-side with some of the best architects, engineers and construction professionals in the world, we bring Design and Construction Excellence to the City's public buildings and infrastructure. Along with these consultants, we are privileged to collaborate with twenty-four city agencies who attend to the needs of New Yorkers through the five boroughs.

DDC's Summer Internship Program is an opportunity for a select group of students to gain valuable experience in the architecture, engineering, design, and construction management professions within a public service context. Students will gain hands-on technical experience through specific field assignments and a mentoring relationship with senior-level technical staff. They will also have the opportunity, through a combination of seminars, site visits, and training opportunities, to learn about the challenges of upgrading and constructing the City's public buildings and infrastructure.

TARGET AUDIENCE

The program is geared toward students majoring in engineering, architecture, construction management, urban planning and/or sustainability design, entering sophomore/junior/senior or 5th Year Program in college, or in graduate school.

LENGTH OF PROGRAM

The 10-week Internship begins Monday, June 6, 2016 and ends on Friday, August 12, 2016.

STRUCTURE OF PROGRAM

- Each intern is assigned to a mentor within the respective division, and will be assigned to a project for the term of the program, or may rotate through different types of projects, depending upon the availability of projects.
- There will be meetings/seminars with DDC senior staff and DDC summer high school interns.
- Interns participate in Community Day, a day of service working on various projects within the City of New York.
- Field trips to significant projects, such as: Police Academy; the Public Safety Answering Center (PSAC) II; Highbridge, and Fordham Plaza.

SALARY

- \$375 - \$425 per week for undergraduate students depending on school year
- \$475 per week for graduate students

ASSIGNMENTS

Students can choose to be assigned to one of the agency's divisions: Public Buildings, Infrastructure, and Safety & Site Support.

- Architecture & Engineering (A&E) provides technical support services for the Agency's Public Buildings Division, such as project scope development, design review, and in-house design.
- Infrastructure manages the design and construction of sewer, water main and roadway capital projects for the NYC Department of Environmental Protection and the Department of Transportation.
- Office of the Chief Architect is charged with enhancing and streamlining the Design Excellence review process, and fostering accessibility, sustainability, resiliency, diversity and inclusion in the City's public buildings and spaces.
- Program Management's Project Controls Unit supports DDC in completing projects on time and on budget using industry best practices in managing cost and schedules.
- Program Management's Safety & Site Support provides site engineering, quality assurance, building information model, and environmental health and safety services to DDC.
- Public Buildings designs, renovates and builds libraries, museums, police precincts, firehouses, and other facilities that City agencies use to serve the public.

PROGRAM QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Undergraduate students must be matriculated in an accredited college or be a recent college graduate (winter/spring term of the program year).
- Graduate students must be currently enrolled in a graduate program in an accredited college, university or law school.
- New York City residency is not required for this position.

Upon acceptance into the program and prior to your start date, you must provide a copy of the registrar's memo verifying your matriculated status. Failure to provide such documentation may result in rejection to the program.



APPLICATION PROCESS

1. Go to www.nyc.gov/jobs, go to Search for Open NYC Jobs and click on Non-Employee Login to search for Job ID # (see below), for additional information, and to apply.
 - a. Architecture & Engineering: JOB ID # 226838
 - b. Infrastructure Division: JOB ID # 226805
 - c. Office of Chief Architect: JOB ID # 226836
 - d. Project Controls: JOB ID # 226828
 - e. Public Buildings Division: JOB ID # 226840
 - f. Safety & Site Support: JOB ID # 226812
2. Please indicate in your cover letter whether you will be an undergraduate or graduate level student for the upcoming Fall 2016 term.
3. You will need to submit your unofficial transcript if you are selected for an interview.
4. Online applications must be completed by March 11, 2016.

Incomplete packages will not be considered. Please retain these pages for your records.

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