

The Haverfarm

A CPGC Summer Partnership



The Haverfarm summer internship focuses on agricultural, academic, and outreach activities related to maintaining the farm and sharing food and knowledge with the community. This internship provides students the opportunity to conduct research on sustainable agriculture while gaining practical experience according to their interests. The intern will work together with the Farm Fellow to operate the farm, organize volunteers, and host visits from local camps and schools. Students enrolled in Environmental Studies courses are encouraged to apply.

Intern responsibilities include:

- Maintaining the farm (which includes the HCA site, and the community garden site): planting seedlings, weeding, harvesting produce and watering
- Educating the local population about the farm and food justice: writing a blog, teaching a farming class, training a future intern, etc.
- Quantifying and distributing output of the garden: prepping, weighing, and delivering to the Dining Center Delivering, CSA, and Ardmore Food Pantry
- Planning and hosting garden events meant to introduce fellow students, staff, faculty and community members to the farm and to educate them about the advantages of organic, locally-grown food

Eligibility and Application Information: This internship is open to Haverford first-years, sophomores, and juniors. Ideal candidates will be on campus during the spring semester before the internship as well as the following fall semester. Applicants must submit an application form, a cover letter, your transcript (unofficial is fine), and a recommendation form completed by a faculty member. Apply through CPGC's website: <http://www.haverford.edu/cpgc>.

Stipend: The Haverfarm intern will be added to the Haverford College summer payroll, and compensated \$11/hour for 40 hours per week, for a 10-week duration.

CPGC's Internship Program: All CPGC internships are part of a larger framework that goes beyond just a grant, and include preparatory experiences as well as follow-up requirements designed to make interns' experiences as meaningful and impactful as possible. Interested applicants must meet with Associate Director Janice Lion.

Pre-internship programming:

- All interns will gather during the late afternoon and evening of Friday, April 13, 2018 for a pre-departure retreat.
- Interns will attend conversations and presentations during the Seeking Global Citizenship Symposium offered throughout the week of April 10 – 14, 2018 (this Symposium is also open to the bi-co community).

- All Philadelphia area interns will attend a dynamic week of activities to build capacity for applied ethical action and leadership during the week of May 20-25 (based on campus and in Philadelphia).

Post-internship requirements:

- Interns will attend a four-hour returning intern retreat held at the beginning of the fall semester to debrief about their internship and connect their experiences to Haverford and their own academic and extracurricular pursuits moving forward.
- Interns will create posters highlighting their internship experiences and will present them at an event in October.
- All interns are required to enroll in one of the following re-entry courses that best relates to their internship:
 - EDUC H200: Critical Issues in Education (Heather Curl)
 - EDUC H301: Curriculum and Pedagogy (Heather Curl)
 - EDUC B240: Qualitative Research (Chanelle Wilson-Poe)
 - ICPR H301: Development, Human Rights, and Transnational Injustices (Thomas Donahue)
 - ICPR H302: Bodies of Injustice: Health, Illness and Healing in Contexts of Inequality (Carol Schilling)
 - ICPR H319: Human Rights in Philadelphia and Pennsylvania In National and Global Context (Eric Hartman)
 - LING H215: The Structure of Colonial Valley Zapotec (Brook Lillehaugen)
 - ENVS H397: Senior Seminar in Environmental Studies (----)
 - FREN B325: Topics: Etudes avancées-Les femmes au Maghreb (Marie Sanquer)

Deadline: All application materials are due by **February 4, 2018**.

For More Information: Contact Janice Lion, CPGC Associate Director, Domestic Programs (jlion@haverford.edu, 610-896-1308). Applicants are also encouraged to discuss the opportunity with previous interns Malin Ehram '18 and Allison Love '18 (summer 2016) as well as Farm Fellow Jahzara Heredia '16 (jheredia@haverford.edu, 267-968-4197).