

STUDENT MINISTRY INTERNSHIPS

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Bonsack Baptist Church, located in Roanoke, Virginia and surrounded by the Blue Ridge Mountains, is a large church with a history of excellence in Student Ministry. Each year, the Bonsack Baptist Student Ministry looks for two energetic and motivated people to serve as 12-week Summer Student Ministry Interns. Preference is given to someone who has completed at least his or her Sophomore year of college and who is considering, or committed to, a call to full-time ministry. This is an excellent opportunity to work in a vibrant and active Student Ministry in a large church, hone and even discover new skills, work in a multi-staff ministry environment, earn extra money, and have a great time!

RESPONSIBILITIES

will include, but are not limited to:

RELATIONSHIP BUILDING

Build meaningful relationship with students with the goal of pointing them towards Jesus. People matter most so we list it first.

COORDINATING AND PLANNING

Work with the Student Minister in planning and implementing the summer/fall student calendar.

ADMINISTRATION

Learn the administrative side of Student Ministry by assisting the student minister with office work such as: computer work, organization of materials, programming, event registration, event promotion, budgeting, background checks, and more.

SUMMER CAMP

The intern will participate in, help organize, and chaperone our youth camp in June.

YOUTH WORSHIP

Based on the particular gifts and abilities of the intern, she or he will be given the opportunity to preach or lead worship at student worship gatherings.

PLANNING, PREPARATION, AND LEADERSHIP IN YOUTH VBS

Bonsack has a very vital and successful Youth VBS program. The interns will be expected to provide leadership and planning, especially for the activities.



HELPFUL SKILLS

The intern's helpfulness and effectiveness will be enhanced by the following skills:

A disciplined, independent self-starter who can complete assigned tasks; computer skills (including PowerPoint, Excel and Word); experience with young people; the ability to work effectively with students and parents; a desire to learn.

HOURS

The Student Ministry intern will be expected to work approx 30 hours per week for approximately twelve weeks during the summer (mid-May to mid-August, negotiated to allow time between completing their spring semester and beginning their fall semester at school). There will be some negotiated allowance for personal or family vacation time. The daily work schedule will be structured to coincide with weekly student activities. The student intern will be expected to play an active role during scheduled youth events.

SALARY

The intern's salary will be \$3,000 for 12-weeks. If this person is not from the area, Bonsack Baptist will provide housing at the home of a church member(s). Personal transportation is necessary and a requirement. Any student activity or event that requires participation fees such as camps, retreats, mission trips and fellowships will be covered through the student ministry's annual budget. Unpaid vacation time can also be accommodated.

TO APPLY:

By January 31, please send responses to the included questionnaire, a resume, and contact information for at least two references by email to rcovington@bonsackbaptist.org or to the physical address below:

Bonsack Baptist Church
Rob Covington, Minister of Youth
4845 Cloverdale Rd., Roanoke, VA 24019



Give a brief description of your journey as a Christian and your prior church experience. Briefly summarize your philosophy of ministry.

What are some goals that you would have as a summer intern?

What gifts do you possess that would enable you to perform effectively in this position?

What do you bring to the table that is unique?

What are your expectations for this position?

Do you have prior experience for this type of position? If so, please explain.

What are your future plans and dreams?

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