



Application for Summer Internship

Eligibility Requirements

To participate in the program, a student must meet the following minimum eligibility criteria:

- MU freshman or sophomore science major interested in exploring high school science teaching as a career
- Minimum 2.75 GPA (high school GPA for freshmen; college GPA for sophomores)
- U.S. Citizen, National, or Permanent Alien Resident
- Able to provide housing and transportation necessary to complete the internship
- Able to work 40 hours/week for an 8- to 10-week period. Final work schedules will be set by the internship sites and might vary depending upon their needs and hours of operation

Those selected for internships will complete a 1-credit online course, *Field Experience in Informal Science Settings*. The course will run concurrently with the internships. In-state tuition will be waived for this course.

If selected for an internship, applicants must pass a background check.

Application Materials

A complete application will contain the following items:

- Completed application form (attached)
- Current resume that includes previous work experience
- Transcripts (high school for freshmen; MU for sophomores)
- Two *Reference Forms for Summer Internship* submitted directly to the address below
- One page statement that addresses the following:
 1. Why are you interested in this internship?
 2. What are your goals for this internship?
 3. Describe your interest in becoming a high school science teacher.

INTERVIEWS OF TOP CANDIDATES WILL BE REQUESTED

**Applications accepted from December 1, 2012.
All materials must be submitted by February 8, 2013.**

Mail or fax materials to:

**Marilyn Soucie
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Columbia, MO 65211
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Internship Choice

Indicate the Internship for which you are applying. If more than one option is acceptable, rank your choices using (1) as your first choice, (2) as your second choice, and (3) as your third choice.

Important reminder: Interns are responsible for their own housing and transportation. **PLEASE ONLY INDICATE CHOICES AT WHICH YOU HAVE HOUSING/TRANSPORTATION AVAILABLE TO YOU FOR THE SUMMER!**

Shaw Nature Reserve,
(Gray Summit)

Science City (Kansas City)

MO Dept. of Conservation: Powder Valley Conservation
Nature Center (Kirkwood)

MO Dept. of Conservation: Springfield Conservation Nature
Center (Springfield)

MO Dept. of Conservation: Runge Conservation Nature
Center (Jefferson City)

MO Dept. of Conservation: Cape Girardeau Conservation
Nature Center (Cape Girardeau)

MO Dept. of Conservation: Burr Oaks Woods Conservation
Nature Center (Blue Springs)

Personal Information

Name (Last, First, Middle)	
Current Street Address	
City, State, ZIP	
Permanent Street Address	
City, State, ZIP	
Contact Phone Number	
Email Address	
Alternate Email Address	
Status? Check One:	<input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Citizen <input type="checkbox"/> National <input type="checkbox"/> Permanent Alien Resident
Gender	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
Ethnicity	
MU Student #	
Current MU major	
Current GPA	
Credit hours completed by May 2013 (estimate if necessary)	
List college coursework relevant to this internship (science or education)	

Additional Information

If you have communicated with a faculty/staff person about this internship, please give his/her name:

How did you hear about this internship? (please be specific)

Special Skills or Qualifications

Describe special skills and qualifications that might pertain to this internship that you have acquired from employment, previous volunteer work, or through other activities.

Previous Teaching Experience

Describe previous experience working with the public. Give the setting (for example, camp, sports, clubs, church, etc.) and type of responsibility.

Agreement and Signature

By submitting this application, I affirm that the facts set forth in it are true and complete. I understand that if I am accepted as an intern, any false statements, omissions, or other misrepresentations made by me on this application may result in my immediate dismissal.

Name (printed)	
Signature	
Date	

Our Policy

It is the policy of this organization to provide equal opportunities without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, gender, sexual preference, age, or disability.

Thank you for completing this application form and for your interest in these internships.