

# 2016 NYC SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

## AGENCY NAME

DEPARTMENT OF SANITATION

## DIVISION

DSNY/BUREAU OF RECYCLING AND SUSTAINABILITY

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### AGENCY DESCRIPTION (Max characters 3000)

The NYC Department of Sanitation (DSNY) promotes a healthy environment through efficient management of the City's solid waste and environmentally sound long-range planning to handle New Yorkers recycling and garbage. DSNY is the world's largest sanitation department, collecting more than 10,500 tons of residential and institutional garbage and 1,760 tons of recyclables every day. DSNY also clears litter, snow and ice from some 6,000 miles of streets, removes debris from vacant lots and clears abandoned vehicles from City streets.

### UNIT DESCRIPTION (Max characters 1000 )

The Bureau of Recycling and Sustainability (BRS) plans, implements, promotes, and evaluates DSNY's recycling, reuse, and waste prevention programs. The Bureau runs programs, conducts research, facilitates trainings and site visits; participates in public events; develops and deploys educational materials and social media campaigns to help residents, schools, agencies and institutions, and businesses sustainably manage their waste.

### POSITION TITLE (Max characters 100)

DSNY-006 - Sustainability - Research and Operations (2)

### INTERNSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES (Max characters 1500 )

Under the supervision of BRS staff, these interns will work on gathering, compiling, managing, analyzing, and reporting data on re-fashionNYC, e-cycleNYC, high-rise organics collection, and outreach events. Duties will include:

- Working with outreach staff training NYC apartment building staff, management and residents
- Compile large data sets into meaningful statistics for tracking
- Detailed data cleaning and organization
- Assist in program development
- Field and site visits as needed
- Administrative work as needed for record keeping, data entry, follow-up
- Collect, analyze, and write up results of work conducted over the course of the internship.

### QUALIFICATIONS/SPECIAL SKILLS/AREA OF STUDY (Max characters 1500 )

Candidate must be currently enrolled in a graduate program in an accredited college, university or law school. Must have expert knowledge of Microsoft Excel, prior experience with Microsoft Access preferred.

### APPLICATION PROCESS (Max characters 700 )

Email resume and brief cover letter indicating the title of the position to [summerinterns@dsny.nyc.gov](mailto:summerinterns@dsny.nyc.gov)

**SALARY RANGE**

\$720.50 per week

Internship may be used to fulfill college credit requirement

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION / COMMENTS (Max characters 700 )**

Assignments will begin tentatively on June 6 and last between 10 and 13 weeks.

DSNY-006-Sustainability - Research and Operations Graduate Interns (2)