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LOOKING FOR A YEAR OUT?

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COME & JOIN THE TEAM AT STOREHOUSE ON A VOLUNTEER INTERNSHIP

If you're looking for an internship that is more than just making coffee and doing the photocopying, then look no further.

At Storehouse you will be part of an exciting team that is passionate about making a real difference in peoples lives. You will get the opportunity to volunteer and participate in the three main areas of Storehouse: Provision, Community & Growth.

You will be encouraged to grow through serving and learning in a multitude of ways that will engage with the frontline mission and ministry at Storehouse.

HOURS

22.5hrs per week with holidays

DATES

September 2020 - June 2021

HOW TO APPLY

Send your application form to
Storehouse Centre, 39 North Street,
Belfast, BT1 1NA

To apply for this position, you must be aged 18 or over, at the time of commencement.

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ROLE DESCRIPTION



INTRODUCTION

Storehouse exists to develop communities that recognise significance in everyone. We do this in three ways, through Provision, Community & Growth.

PROVISION - providing the basic essentials of food, clothing & furniture to those in need

COMMUNITY - developing opportunities for anyone to step out of isolation into positive supportive community

GROWTH - creating environments where people can grow and flourish in their personal lives.

Interns will volunteer across the three areas of Storehouse, taking part in, and leading, across multiple environments. This is an exciting opportunity for personal growth and development, whilst also helping to develop the scope and impact of Storehouse as a whole at a time of great expansion and innovation.

Throughout your time here you will create and maintain supportive life-giving relationships with individuals from a range of backgrounds who participate in Storehouse's programmes and projects, enabling them to live lives marked by flourishing.

REQUIREMENTS

VALUES & ETHOS

Prospective volunteers for this role need to sign up to the values and agree to the ethos of the organisation.

TIME COMMITMENT

22.5 Hours per week. Time will be split across the following:

- Active volunteering & participation in the Storehouse Provision, Community & Growth sessions
- Admin, planning & preparation
- Personal learning & development

Upon commencement of the internship, we will work out a suitable weekly programme depending on the individuals personal preferences, abilities and the organisations current needs.

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

There are no qualifications required to apply for the internship

SKILLS

- Emotionally Aware – able to understand and feedback on own emotions and emotions of participants
- Empathy – ability to recognise and understand the feelings and experiences of others
- Interpersonal skills – able to build and maintain effective and supportive relationships with individuals from a wide range of backgrounds. Able to apply a range of interpersonal and listening skills to the role.

ATTRIBUTES

- Relational – places a high value on people, community and relationship
- Organised and Punctual – keeps appointments and turns up on time
- Patient and forbearing
- Team player and positive and open attitude towards learning

SUPPORT AVAILABLE FOR THIS ROLE

The Board of Directors and Management of Storehouse take seriously their duty of care to volunteers. We also recognise that without the investment of our dedicated team of volunteers we simply would not be available to provide the much-needed help and assistance that we do each week. We want to provide the best possible support and development at all levels of volunteering. The following support will be available for this role:

- Personal development and training opportunities relevant to the role
- Pastoral support and supervision and a balanced workload
- Mental health education and support, including support from a trained counsellor if needed
- Whilst this is an unpaid position, all expenses incurred will be reimbursed.

NEXT STEPS

If you would like more information about this volunteer role or would like to have a conversation, please contact us at Storehouse.

For information on our other volunteer roles please see our website:
www.storehousebelfast.com

