



INTERNSHIP PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Elevation Church is a rapidly growing, cutting edge church in Charlotte, NC with a passion and a vision "So that people far from God will be filled with life in Christ." We are providing Internship opportunities where you will receive personal development, as well as witnessing and impacting lives being transformed through the power of faith and the Gospel. The Elevation Church Internship Program is designed to give participants ministry experience, as well as a glimpse into the life of someone in ministry. Participants will gain valuable experience while working alongside Elevation staff members. Internship positions are available during the Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters.

THE STORY

At the age of 16, God placed a vision in the heart of Pastor Steven Furtick that he would one day start a church in a major metropolitan city for His glory. The vision became a reality in the Fall of 2005 as 7 families sold their homes, took new jobs and relocated to Charlotte, NC to begin Elevation Church. February 5, 2006 was the first Sunday worship experience with 98 people in attendance. In over 5 years time, the church has grown to sixteen worship experiences, six campuses and over 10,000 in attendance.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Qualifications:

- 18 to 25 years old
- Exemplifies and lives a life in Christ
- Fully supports the vision of Elevation Church

All interested applicants are required to submit the Internship Application along with a cover letter, resume, photo and a 1-minute video explaining why they want to be an Intern and why they should be chosen.

Applicants interested in Interning in our Worship Department must include 3 videos of themselves leading worship.

A select group of applicants will be chosen for the interview process. After the interview process is complete, applicants will be notified if they have been chosen for the Internship Program.

SCHEDULE

During the Fall, Spring and Summer semesters, Intern positions will require a time commitment of at least 32 hours per week (Monday – Thursday), plus serving on the weekend. All Interns will have a role that requires them to serve at our weekend Worship Experiences on Saturday and/or Sunday.

Spring 2012-Begins January 16, 2012 and ends April 29, 2012. Application deadline for the Spring 2012 semester is November 18, 2011.

Summer 2012-Begins May 28, 2012 and ends August 19, 2012. Application deadline for the Summer 2012 semester is March 23, 2012.

Fall 2012-Begins August 27, 2012 and ends December 9, 2012. Application deadline for the Fall 2012 semester is June 28, 2012.

** Dates subject to change.

WEEKLY ROUTINE & DEVELOPMENT PLAN

The weekly routine will vary depending on the Intern's ministry area and the needs of the specific Intern position. The Development Plan will include personal teaching directly from Pastor Furtick, 6 work objectives and 2 personal development assignments, weekly bible teaching, spiritual fasting, physical fitness, community outreach, participation in an eGroup and excelling in a dynamic culture.

POSSIBLE MINISTRY AREAS

Internships are based on need each semester:

- Communications/Marketing
- Campus Ministry
- Community Outreach
- eKidz (children up to 5th grade)
- eGroups (community/small groups)
- Guest Services
- Assistant to Production Team
- Assistant to Creative Design Team
- Assistant to Video Team
- Assistant to Worship Department
- Assistant for Elevation Extension
- Student Ministry (middle school, high school & college)
- Video Production (include reel with application)
- Audio Engineer
- Production/Technical Support
- Photography (include portfolio with application)
- Worship (include at least 3 videos/links of yourself leading worship)
- Graphic Design (include portfolio with application)
- Motion Graphics (include reel with application)
- Information Technology
- Web Design/Developer
- Security/Armor Bearer/Facilities Management

FAQ'S*Do Interns work on Sundays?*

All Interns will be a member of our eTeams (campus volunteer teams) serving at our Worship Experiences on Saturday and/or Sunday. The department supervisors will determine the role for each Intern position.

Is the Internship paid?

Yes. Interns are paid a weekly stipend of \$150 to help with the costs of living. However, if someone is earning college credit through the Internship program, the guidelines set forth by the college or university in regards to compensation will be followed.

How can I get college credit?

If your college or university offers Internship opportunities, we will work directly with your counselors and/or professors to ensure you meet all the necessary requirements.

Will Elevation help Interns with housing?

Elevation does have limited housing opportunities available for Interns on a first come, first serve basis. Interns will stay with "Host Families" from within the Church.

Will I hear from someone immediately?

You will receive a confirmation email upon submitting your application. Due to the number of applications received we will only contact applicants we choose to interview.

Are international applicants eligible?

Yes. Other documentation may be needed should you choose to apply, i.e. work visa.

Do I need a car?

Most likely. The majority of responsibilities of our Interns require them to have a reliable form of transportation. This ranges from daily job responsibilities, being able to get to and from work and serving on the weekends.