



INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY
Hartford Marathon Foundation
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The Hartford Marathon Foundation (HMF) is seeking a dedicated college student searching for a unique summer/fall internship experience in sport and event management. Interns will have the opportunity to work with the HMF staff in conceptualizing, planning, marketing and executing the 2020 schedule of events. Responsibilities will include, but are not limited to; volunteer management, community outreach, event logistics coordination, set-up and break-down of race equipment, and interaction with participants. Interns will assist on a variety of projects throughout the program.

The Hartford Marathon Foundation is in its 27th year and is recognized as the foremost organizer of running, biking and swimming events in Southern New England. The flagship event is the Eversource Hartford Marathon and Half Marathon, with over 30 other races annually. A Hartford Marathon Foundation internship will teach students the elements required to produce world-class athletic events.

Requirements:

Excellent oral and written communication skills; ability to manage several projects simultaneously; proficient in Microsoft Office, and Outlook, and a dedicated, energetic work ethic are required for the position. Interns must be prepared to perform physical labor, able to lift 50 pounds, work outside regardless of weather conditions, and be able to provide their own transportation.

Location:

The internship will take place at the HMF office; 41 Sequin Drive, Glastonbury, Connecticut. "Field Work" at HMF events will take place at various locations throughout Connecticut and the surrounding states.

Time Commitment & Compensation:

Students are expected to commit 15 to 20 hours per week throughout the internship. Students must be willing and able to commit to the entire summer/fall race schedule (see below). HMF realizes that candidates may have additional job constraints, and these conflicts will be addressed on a case by case basis. Time spent on "Field Work" (working and preparing for events) will be compensated at the rate of \$15 per hour. "Field Work" will take place predominantly on weekends; typically beginning early in the morning, any mileage expenses will be reimbursed. The time spent in the office will be unpaid as part of the internship. Students will have flexibility in setting their in-office schedules. Students are eligible for course credit throughout the internship.

Detailed Schedule:

| <u>Date and Nature of Work</u> | <u>Expected Time Commitment</u> |
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| <u>Saturday, May 16 – Event Prep: Mystic Half Marathon & 10K</u> | <u>4 hours</u> |
| <u>Sunday, May 17 – Mystic Half Marathon & 10K</u> | <u>10 hours</u> |
| <u>Friday, June 5 – Event Prep: Iron Horse Half Marathon, 10K & 5K</u> | <u>6 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, June 6 – Iron Horse Half Marathon, 10K & 5K</u> | <u>8 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, June 20 – Summer Solstice Trail Run</u> | <u>5 hours</u> |
| <u>Sunday, June 21 –Zero Prostate 5K</u> | <u>5.5 hours</u> |
| <u>Thursday, June 25 – Stamford Kic-It 60</u> | <u>11 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, July 11 – Red Dress Run for Women</u> | <u>7 hours</u> |
| <u>Thursday, July 16 – Riverfront Scramble</u> | <u>5.5 hours</u> |
| <u>Sunday, July 19 – Achilles CT Hope & Possibility</u> | <u>6 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, August 8 – Event Prep: Niantic Bay Triathlon</u> | <u>6 Hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, August 9 –Niantic Bay Triathlon</u> | <u>10 hours</u> |
| <u>Thursday, August 13 – Riverfront Scramble 2</u> | <u>5.5 hours</u> |
| <u>Sunday, August 23 – Old Wethersfield 5K/10K</u> | <u>7 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, August 29 – RiMaConn Relay</u> | <u>15 Hours</u> |
| <u>Friday, September 11 – Event Prep: Women’s Triathlon / Surftown Half</u> | <u>6 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, September 12 – Women’s Triathlon</u> | <u>8 hours</u> |
| <u>Sunday, September 13 – Surftown Half Marathon</u> | <u>10 hours</u> |
| <u>Saturday, October 12 – Eversource Hartford Marathon and Half Marathon</u> | <u>15 hours</u> |
| <u>Total Field Work, May 16 to October 12 (21 weeks)</u> | <u>151 hours</u> |

Application Process:

To apply, please submit cover letter and resume via mail or email.

Materials should be sent to:

Charlie Scanlon
Operations Manager
Hartford Marathon Foundation
41 Sequin Dr.
Glastonbury, CT 06033
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Deadline:

March 20, 2020

The position will be filled on or before May 8, 2020

For further information regarding the internship, please contact Charlie Scanlon at charlie@hartfordmarathon.com or at (860) 652-8866 x123.