Arkansas Science Festival

Intern with us!

The Arkansas Science Festival (ASF), organized by faculty at Arkansas State University, is a week-long community-wide celebration of science that takes place annually in October. The ASF features hands-on activities, performances, special exhibitions, and a variety of other informal science education experiences for Arkansans of all ages.

Internships available:
- 1-2 unpaid, part-time positions, Summer and Fall terms
- 1-3 hours of upper or lower level elective course credit, if desired
- Volunteer certificate provided

Tasks:
- Support outreach efforts to schools and community groups
- Creatively assist with the development of potential Science Festival programs
- Coordinate with and support program partners
- Support public relations efforts by assisting with promotional materials
- Assist with development of materials for programs
- Support data collection for events
- Support event logistics and serve as an ASF representative at Festival events
- Assist with the Festival evaluation process
- Other duties as assigned

Education Requirements: All degree seeking candidates considered. Students majoring in education, public relations, communications, psychology, marketing, or the sciences preferred.

Special Skills Required: Familiarity with general science concepts a plus. Strong writing and communication skills required. Bilingual (Spanish and English) is a plus, but not necessary.

Schedule Requirements: Minimum of 5 hours per week expected. Fall intern must be willing to increase hours, including some evening work, during the festival week, October 7-14, 2016.

To express interest in becoming an intern, please contact the festival director, Dr. Amy R. Pearce, at apearce@astate.edu.

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