



SUMMER INTERNSHIP CHALLENGE • ADVANCING EQUITY • THRU ENTREPRENEURSHIP

PRESENTED BY HORN ENTREPRENEURSHIP

APPLY BY MARCH 22, 2021

Horn Entrepreneurship seeks to award at least two funded internships to support social innovators and change makers who have a passion for advancing social justice and equality of opportunity for underrepresented and under-resourced groups.

To be considered for support, social innovators must submit a proposal for EITHER:

- (1) a new project that they would lead for an existing social justice organization, OR**
- (2) a new venture that they would work to develop/launch/grow.**



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INTERNSHIP DETAILS

- > Internships will involve fulltime effort during the University of Delaware's 12-week summer session and provide **total compensation of \$5,000**.
- > Interns will benefit from up to \$1,000 in seed funding for their projects and personalized mentorship support.
- > Mentorship will be provided by a small team of experienced social innovators and entrepreneurs who will offer guidance, training, connections and access to other resources.

A COMMITMENT TO ADVANCING EQUITY THRU ENTREPRENEURSHIP

The fastest way to advance social justice and achieve equality of opportunity is by cultivating and unleashing the full potential of mission-driven social innovators and entrepreneurs who are committed to this purpose. Horn Entrepreneurship created the Summer Internship Challenge to inspire interest in social innovation and leverage the power of our collective expertise, resources and networks to support aspiring world changers.

EVALUATION PROCESS & TIMELINE

- > Representatives for Horn Entrepreneurship will evaluate applications based on each project/venture's feasibility and potential to make a positive impact on social justice and equality of opportunity.
- > Finalist candidates will be notified no later than March 26 and invited to participate in a 30-minute interview on Tuesday, March 30. All applicants are encouraged to block their calendars from 10am-2pm on March 30, as no makeup dates will be scheduled. (NOTE: this is a scheduled "Blue Hen Re-Coop Day" wherein all classes will be suspended).
- > Internship awards will be announced *no later than Monday, April 5*.

ELIGIBILITY AND APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- > Rising juniors, seniors and undergraduate students who will graduate in May, 2021 are eligible to apply for consideration for an internship award.
- > Competitive applications will include a compelling project/new venture narrative that addresses:
 - (1) The problem you're aiming to solve.
 - (2) Who has the problem.
 - (3) Your proposed solution.
 - (4) Why your solution is different and better than current solutions.
 - (5) Your qualifications for leading the project.
 - (6) A summary of your project-related accomplishments to date.
 - (7) A brief discussion of what you have and what help/resources you still need to pursue the project.
- > Applications for internships focused on new projects for existing social justice organizations must also include at least one letter of support from a member of the organization's leadership team outlining their specific support for the project.

APPLICATIONS DUE BY:

MONDAY, MARCH 22 VIA [HTTPS://WWW.TFAFORMS.COM/4886243](https://www.tfaforms.com/4886243)

