Recreation Internship Opportunities

The University of California, Merced is the newest and tenth campus of the University of California system and the first American research university built in the 21st century. With more than 5,600 students, UC Merced has planned for additional student growth until we reach an enrollment of approximately 25,000 students (10,000 by 2020). With undergraduate, graduate, and PhD programs, plans for a future medical school program, partnerships and community involvement, the UC Merced campus is continually evolving, requiring talented, knowledgeable and dynamic educators, researchers, management and staff.

UC Merced Recreation & Athletics is a member of the Division of Student Affairs. Recreation & Athletics provides a broad range of programs for students, faculty, staff, affiliates and the community in intramural sports, outdoor adventures, fitness/wellness, sport clubs, and intercollegiate athletics. More information about our program can be found at recreation.ucmerced.edu.

Under the supervision of the specified Recreation staff, the intern must be energetic, responsible, organized and motivated to assist in a variety of Recreation department functions. The primary purpose of the internship is to enable individuals to meet his or her educational and/or career objectives through participation in practical experience.

Internship Offerings

UC Merced Recreation provides a number of internship opportunities within selected fields and/or areas of interest as listed below. Internship supervisor(s) will be determined based off of interest area(s). If a broad scope internship is requested the department will assist in facilitating an overview of all areas or a combination of selected fields.

- Competitive Sport Clubs
- Facility Operations & Management
- Fitness & Wellness
- Intramural Sports
- Outdoor Experience Program
- Special Events

Perks

- Direct training and supervision
- Access to all areas at all events worked
- Complimentary merchandise and apparel when available
- Facilitation of course credit approval if requested by intern and approved by their academic department
- Networking opportunities
- Recognition on recreation.ucmerced.edu
- Valuable experience gained
- Complimentary parking permit (if not a UC Merced affiliate)

Application Process

- Interested parties should submit a cover letter, resume and references to contact listed below.
- Cover letter should detail your area(s) of interest.
- Selected candidates may be contacted for a phone and/or in-person interview.

Contact

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Athletics Internship Opportunities

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UC Merced Recreation & Athletics provides a broad range of programs for students, faculty, staff, affiliates and the community in intramural sports, outdoor adventures, fitness/wellness, sport clubs, and intercollegiate athletics. The department currently supports eight varsity intercollegiate sport programs competing in the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics (NAIA) and the California Pacific Conference (Cal Pac). More information about our program can be found at ucmercedbobcats.com.

Under the supervision of the specified Athletics staff, the intern must be energetic, responsible, organized and motivated to assist in a variety of Athletic department functions. The primary purpose of the internship is to enable individuals to meet his or her educational and/or career objectives through participation in practical experience.

Internship Offerings

UC Merced Athletics provides a number of internship opportunities within selected fields and/or areas of interest as listed below. Internship supervisor(s) will be determined based off of interest area(s). If a broad scope internship is requested the department will assist in facilitating an overview of all areas or a combination of selected fields.

- Athletic Training
- Compliance & Eligibility
- Equipment Management
- Game Day Operations
- Sports Information
- Sports Marketing & Promotions

Perks

- Direct training and supervision
- Access to all areas at all events worked
- Complimentary merchandise and apparel when available
- Facilitation of course credit approval if requested by intern and approved by their academic department
- Networking opportunities
- Recognition on UCmercedBobcats.com
- Valuable experience gained
- Complimentary parking permit (if not a UC Merced affiliate)

Application Process

- Interested parties should submit a cover letter, resume and references to contact listed below.
- Cover letter should detail your area(s) of interest.
- Selected candidates may be contacted for a phone and/or in-person interview.

Contact

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