



## Unpaid Internship: STEM Engagement Intern

### The Role

The STEM Engagement Intern will support Liberty Science Center's STEM Public Programs, which offer STEM programming and activities for learners of all ages. The STEM Engagement Intern will have the opportunity to assist our LSC STEM Engagers in 1) engaging our guests in programming at LSC, such as demonstrations, pop-ups, and themed content, (2) providing hands-on engagement and marine life content in our Touch Tank; and (3) collaborating in the ideation of new public programs within the Public Programs Team.

The STEM Engagement Intern will report to the Manager, Public Programs, and work collaboratively with the other members of the Public Programs team.

### What You'll Bring

You are passionate about LSC's mission to inspire the next generation of scientists and engineers and are excited to share your love of STEM with learners of all ages.

### What You'll Do

- Assist and collaborate with STEM Engagers to teach and interact with guests and/or develop and revise activities that enhance the guest experience
- Assist in facilitating engagement at our "Touch Tank" by allowing visitors to learn about marine life through direct sensory engagement
- Assist in facilitating physics and soccer-themed activities
- Other duties and responsibilities as assigned

### Deliverables

By the end of the internship, you will:

- Present STEM walk-up experiences to guests, such as demonstrations, pop-ups, and FIFA-aligned programming
- Engage our audience in our Touch Tank
- Develop a STEM pop-up program to add to the Program Library

### Preferred Qualifications and Experience

- Pursuing an undergraduate degree in STEM or a 2026 graduate of a New Jersey college or university
- Have an interest in STEM and education.

- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, and the ability to interact with fellow staff members and guests in a friendly and professional manner.
- Ability to relay science concepts and themes related to the scheduled activities.
- Ability to adapt teachings to various ages of guests to meet their different levels of understanding.
- Some experience with teaching, activity development, or public speaking.
- Enthusiasm and the ability to work with diverse populations are required.

### **Compensation and Schedule**

This is an unpaid part-time internship position. Interns will work 15 hours per week over the course of 10 weeks. Interns must be available a minimum of 2 full days per week (Monday - Friday).

### **Work Culture at a Glimpse**

LSC prides itself on fostering a culture that enables all employees to experience a sense of pleasure, passion, and purpose while in the workplace. We believe in embracing and driving change, inspiring fun and learning, and creating a positive and family-friendly team spirit. Our differences as individuals (race, gender, age, cultural heritage, physical ability, education, and lifestyle) are an asset and contribute to our ability to drive innovation. Lastly, at the heart of our work culture is the commitment to delivering a “wow factor” through our exceptional customer service, not only to our guests but also to one another.

### **Our Environment**

Liberty Science Center is located in a beautiful waterfront state park in Jersey City, New Jersey. Not only is Jersey City easy to get to from any point in Northern NJ and Manhattan, but it also holds the title of the most diverse city in the United States. Employees have access to free parking, the Hudson-Bergen Light Rail, and the NJ Path train. In addition, all employees have access to an on-site café and a terrace with stunning NYC views.

### **Physical Demands**

While performing the duties of this job, on-site work requires the employee to stand for long periods while working with students or the public. The ability to lift 30 pounds is required. The position requires frequent visits to the museum floor (navigating concrete floors, climbing stairs, etc.) and outdoors (navigating uneven ground and being exposed to the elements), tolerating high levels of noise, and extensive public speaking, sometimes in noisy environments.

### **Benefits**

- 25% discount in the LSC gift shop
- 15% discount in the on-site café
- Free onsite parking

**To Apply:**

Submit your resume and a cover letter that highlights why you are the best candidate for this role and how this position will help you achieve your goals. **Email: [volunteer@lsc.org](mailto:volunteer@lsc.org)**

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