



SUMMER INTERNSHIP APPLICATION

Summer Internship with Mission Guatemala

Mission Statement:

Mission Guatemala Inc., is a faith-based 501(c)3 non-profit organization with a mission to help meet the basic needs and improve the quality of life of underserved and impoverished Guatemalan peoples through health, education and nutrition initiatives and missionary service.

To learn more about Mission Guatemala, visit our website at missionguatemala.com.



Dear Internship Applicant,

Thank you for your interest in Mission Guatemala's internship program. We look forward to building a strong team for our missions program.

Mission Guatemala summer interns gain practical, hands-on ministry experience through international service. Interns work alongside Mission Guatemala staff members and assist in hosting summer mission trip teams through work projects that provide outreach to undeserved communities. In addition, interns welcome teams to Guatemala and help acquaint them with Guatemalan culture. Selected candidates serve a two-month internship.

Requirements:

- Must have a heart for relational ministry and a desire to partner with Mission Guatemala and the Guatemalan people in hands-on servanthood
- Must be at least 20 years old prior to the internship or entering junior year of college
- Must have served previously on an international mission team or service experience in alternate missions area
- Must display leadership skills and maturity
- Must speak some Spanish

Keep in mind that there are physical expectations for our interns. We expect our interns to be able to work on the construction site under the direction of the project leaders for an entire day (no prior construction experience is required), accompany drivers to and from the Guatemala City airport each week to welcome teams, and to be an example of a servant leader in a foreign country. Please consider this as you apply for the internship position.

The internship is available in the summer of 2019. A training of 1-2 days will be held stateside on an agreed upon time in late spring 2019. Mission Guatemala will provide housing, roundtrip airfare to Guatemala, most meals on work days and a monthly stipend. The financial responsibility for interns includes on average 8 meals per week and personal spending money.

The application for the Mission Guatemala internship is due February 10, 2019.

Our hope is to select strong leaders who are hard workers and who relate well to all types of people. Application, personal interview, and references are all tools used by to determine an applicant's eligibility to serve as an intern.

To apply for a summer internship with Mission Guatemala, please submit the following to Leigh Randall, Director of Development at leigh@missionguatemala.com:

- 1 Resume
- 2 Three references
- 3 Responses to the following questions

- Why do you feel called to serve with Mission Guatemala?
- What strengths would you offer to the internship position?
- What do you consider your greatest failure and what did you do about it?
- What injustices in this world break your heart?



Thank you for your interest in serving with Mission Guatemala as a summer intern!