



## Public Market Internship Mission Community Market

The Mission Community Market is a weekly, outdoor marketplace that celebrates the Mission's diversity with local businesses, farmers' produce, and youth programs in order to improve economic opportunity and family health in a safe, beautiful plaza for the Mission District.

MCM partners with MEDA, La Cocina, and the Women's Initiative to create opportunities for local micro-entrepreneurs, youth organizations from Mission Cultural Center, Community Music Center, Mission Beacon, and the Marsh Youth Theater. See <http://www.missioncommunitymarket.org> for more info.

The weekly market (Thursdays 4-8pm) is a shared community space for local food, arts and after-school programs. Every week is another opportunity to gain experience in understanding the street food universe, planning and operating an event, and connecting with community. You'll have the chance to see what it takes to put on a market or street party, and work with all the vendors, volunteers and staff that help make it happen.

MCM seeks an efficient, self-starting market intern to:

- Support market staff, volunteers and vendors with market operations on Thursdays 1pm – 9 pm
- Perform outreach duties to spread the word about the market
- Author posts for our blog, and assist with social media posts at the market
- Manage MCM info booth and assist with booth design

MCM seeks the following qualities in its team:

- Passion for food, health, youth or small business
- Strong communication and organizational skills
- Spanish/English bilingual very helpful, but not required
- Ability to lift 30 pounds and be on your feet for a few hours at a time
- Access to a computer and smartphone preferred
- Outgoing, non-judgmental, and welcoming attitude

It's a highly rewarding, flexible and fast-paced work environment. Working in the community with MCM you will gain:

- Understanding of the business and operations of a public market
- Relationships with farmers, food vendors and community organizations
- Media and PR skills
- Academic credit
- Potential for paid job placement with MCM

Tasks can vary based on your interests and experience. 10-12 hours per week. This internship is unpaid, though a meal is included in each market shift and free or discounted produce is readily available each week.

Email resume/cover letter to: [mcm@missioncommunitymarket.org](mailto:mcm@missioncommunitymarket.org)

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