

GENERATIONS CHURCH

INTERN

Information Packet

Upon reading the following information in this packet please message us at info@gctlh.org to receive the GC internship application.

A MESSAGE FROM PASTOR BRIAN

The Generation's Church Internship program is designed to see the next generation of church leaders grow personally, spiritually and within their ministry gifts.

We believe that you were created on purpose and for a purpose! Allow us to come alongside you in this journey and see what your next steps in ministry can look like.

We invite you to work alongside our team and receive hands on ministry experience, as well as, opportunities to learn and lead. Read the information in this packet to find out how you can partner with us as an intern. We would love to talk to you soon about all the ministry possibilities at Generations Church.

Brian Neugent

Lead Pastor

PAST INTERN TESTIMONIALS

DAVID

I was an intern at Generations Church during the Summer of 2018. It was a very hard year for me as I was experiencing a heavy loss of a loved one, and to be honest I was very close to scrapping the idea of coming to Florida from Canada. However, I believe the Lord set a certain peace in my heart, that I would not only be doing an internship program, but would be stepping into a new family, and a new home.

My experience as an Intern was amazing to say the least, everything from the new friends I made to the opportunities I had to serve in and out of the church. Also, during my time, I received wisdom and guidance from not only the leaders in the church, but the entire congregation. I truly felt like I was at home, and I was. I'll always and forever love my GC family; my time there changed my life.

KYRIAKOS

I had the pleasure of doing an internship with Generations Church in the summer of 2022. It was my first time in the U.S. (I am from Greece) and I didn't know what to expect. I was delighted to find a church that made me feel at home right away. People's generosity, hospitality, cheerfulness, and joy made this summer one of the most memorable in my life. I had the opportunity to learn what it looks like to pastor a church on a day-to-day basis by spending time and helping the senior, worship, youth, and kids pastor.

Their heart for their church and the kids/youth they pastor was an inspiration to me. The time I spent and the lessons I learned from Pastor Brian both formally and informally will stick with me for a lifetime. Everyone from the staff was so welcoming and fun to hang out with and the whole culture of the church made me feel like I was part of a big family. It was such a blessing and an honor being able to serve in Generations Church, Tallahassee, and I would highly recommend doing the summer internship.

MCKENZIE

Generations Church is by far one of the most authentic churches I have been a part of. Their passion for people, staff, and love for God is something I've truly been shocked by during my summer as an intern. They treated me like family from the first day I walked in. The true epitome of God's church. I've gained family in Florida! Love you guys!

INTERNSHIP DATES

The GC Internship is designed to take place during the academic school year from August to May. The internship schedule is flexible with a maximum of 15 hours per month. We are happy to accommodate schedules and work around school and personal obligations.

We are looking to launch our internship in the spring of 2024 for a pro-rated length of time from March to July of this year.

2024 GC INTERN INFORMATION

The GC Internship is designed for college aged young adults (18-25) who have a heart for ministry and want to further discover and develop the gifts that God has given them. Through the internship, individuals will gain valuable ministry experience from a number of different church ministries and will be developed in the following areas:

EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

"And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart..."

• Develop healthy, honoring relationships with staff and church members.

SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

"...with all your soul..."

- Stay current with the given reading assignments from church.
- Join assigned times of prayer.
- Be faithful with all ministry opportunities.

MENTAL DEVELOPMENT

"...with all your mind..."

- Complete school assignments.
- Learn & apply teachings.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

"...and with all your strength."

Participate in outreach events and camps.

ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

Interns are expected to be faithful with ALL church services when scheduled and agreed upon hours. Times and schedules are subject to change due to ministry assignment so please be flexible.

ATTENDANCE EXPECTATIONS

- Attend Generations Church (Sundays & Wednesdays services)
- Attend all previously agreed upon events

PERSONAL STANDARDS

Interns are expected to hold high standards.

- Display honor to all in authority.
- Show respect & kindness to all people.
- Keep perception pure:

This includes prohibiting the use of tobacco, alcohol, illegal substances; listening to or viewing media with inappropriate content; any other questionable actions and/or environments. Be guided by this scripture: Stay away from every kind of evil. 1 Thessalonians 5:22

OFFICE STANDARDS

Interns are expected to treat the church like a business office.

Behave in a positive & professional manner.

- Dress appropriately. (Casual attire such as jeans, and T-shirts are appropriate)
- Use all office equipment with care and turn off when finished.
- Use online access for ministry/school purposes only.
- Keep workspace clean & organized.
- Respect the time of office staff & pastoral staff.

DUTIES

Office Work

This may include, but is not limited to...

 Organizing, assisting with events, phone calls, mail outs, shadowing a staff pastor, social media and church communication.

Service Projects

This may include, but is not limited to...

- Vacuuming, cleaning restrooms or closets, picking up trash around campus, dusting, mopping, taking trash out, detailing vans.
- · Participating in all outreach events.

Creative Design

This includes, but is not limited to...

• Creating stage design, videos, events, graphics, dramas.

Ministry Opportunities

This includes, but is not limited to...

 Leading small groups, speaking in youth, leading worship, working with our production team, serving in GC Kids and serving with community outreach opportunities.

Leadership Opportunities and Development

This includes, but is not limited to...

• Participating in staff meetings as well as attending kids and youth events as a leader.

COST

In appreciation of your ministry at Generations Church we will be providing a weekly stipend depending on the hours completed. The hourly wage for out internship is \$15 an hour.

Learn more about the ministries of Generations Church you will have the opportunity to serve with on the following pages.

GC KIDS



OUR MISSION

In GC Kids, we desire to provide a fun, safe place where kids can learn about Jesus on their level and build an authentic Faith that last.

OUR VISION

GC Kids is a place where:

- Kids build relationships with God, leaders, family, and friends.
- Kids grow. We want to engage different learning styles and reach kids where they are.
- Kids have fun!
- Parents feel their kids are safe and taken care of.
- A partnership is built with parents to help them lead in their homes.
- Students and adults can discover and use the gifts God has given them in ministry.
- Kids are connected to a healthy small group where they have a leader to trust and a place to belong.

WHAT TO EXPECT?

As a GC Kids Intern, you will receive experience in the following areas of Children's Ministry:

- Large Group Service Planning
- Volunteer Scheduling
- Event Planning
- Leading Kid's Events
- Check In/Out
- Producing Videos for Kids
- Communication with Parents
- Leader Meetings
- Mega Sports Camp
- Junior Bible Quiz
- Teaching
- Skits
- Action Songs
- Games

- A/V Production/Media
- Leading a Small Group
- GC Kids Jr: Nursery, Toddlers, Pre-K
- Office Work
- Set Up
- Van Ministry



GC WORSHIP/ PRODUCTION

Worship Leader (Band/Singer)

- Opportunity to lead worship alongside worship pastor at weekly worship experiences (Youth and Adult)
- Receive leadership and talent development from worship pastor
- Help worship pastor leader with daily responsibilities
- Involvement with worship experience weekly prep, practices, and services

Photography

- On campus each weekend capturing the experience on camera
- Photograph special events & community outreach events
- Editing
- Maintain & organize photo library and archive

Production Team

- Work with production volunteers and production director
- Assist with back-stage production
- Research materials for creative elements
- Assist the production director for each Worship Experience

Creative Team Assistant

- Join the Creative Team, and assist in participate in meetings
- Research creative elements used for the Worship Experience
- Logistical planning for creative elements
- Assist in research, and implementing sets, lighting, and stage designs

AVL Tech

- Assist with technical AV aspects in weekly services
- Provide break & fix for Production Team
- Assist with upgrades & installs
- Assist Worship Pastor and Production Director with special projects

Videography

- Assist with shooting video projects each week
- Edit video projects
- Produce at least one project
- Explore new areas to shoot in

GC YOUTH



OUR MISSION

GC Youth seeks to engage students through relational discipleship, biblical principles and a fun, inviting culture in an effort to create lifelong followers of Jesus that would use their God-given gifts and talents to fulfill the Great Commission.

OUR VISION

- Grow: We pray students would find a place where they would discover hope, forgiveness and purpose through a relationship with Jesus, and continue to grow in that lifelong journey of faith.
- **Connect:** We believe that life happens better in circles than in rows, so we intentionally build relationships with others in small group settings; to have fun, grow in our faith together, and be an encouragement to others.
- **Discover:** We create opportunities for students to discover their Godgiven gifts, talents and purpose. We give students the chance to unveil the things that God has placed uniquely in them and allow them to use those gifts in the context of discipleship.
- **Send:** We send students to serve others both locally and globally. It is our desire that students are sent out to fulfill the Great Commission, both in the context of ministry and society.

WHAT TO EXPECT?

As a GC Youth Intern you will receive experience in the following areas of Youth Ministry:

- Audio/Video Production & Media
- Event Planning & Leading
- Large Group Service Planning
- Leadership Team Development
- Ministry Development & Creative Elements
- Office & Administrative Work
- Preaching/Teaching
- Service Setup & Tear Down
- Small Group Leading

- Social Media Communication
- Speed the Light/Missions
- Student Discipleship
- Trip Planning
- Van Ministry
- Volunteer Scheduling
- Worship Team (if applicable)
- Youth Camp
- Youth Midweek Service Involvement (Check-In, Games, etc.)



GC COMMUNITY OUTREACH

OUR MISSION

Community Outreach is a ministry that reaches the hurting and broken in our community with the love of Christ. Through various ministry opportunities and events we build bridges in our community to help reach the most marginalized in our city. It our goal to be the hands and feet of Jesus in our city by partnering with local ministries and agencies to provide support for those vulnerable and in need.

If you are compassionate about missions and reaching the lost, come be apart of our community outreach team.

WHAT TO EXPECT?

As a Community Outreach intern, you will receive ministry experience in the following areas:

- Mentoring
- GC Families (Foster families)
- Hope Community (at-risk children and youth)
- Human Trafficking (At-risk woman)
- Outreach in local schools
- Planning large and small outreach events
- Living Free (Addiction Recovery)
- Street Hope (Outreach to the homeless)
- Office & Administrative Work
- Social Media Communication
- Van Ministry
- Volunteer Scheduling