ABOUT US

The Metro Center serves as the conduit between metropolitan decision-makers and the knowledge base of the Washington’s research land-grant university to address critical issues facing our communities.

Metro Center staff provide management support for all projects including project scoping, assembling the project team, monitoring subcontracts and deliverables, and reporting.

By utilizing short-term, project based teams, the Metro Center is able to respond quickly to project requests from metropolitan elected officials, decision makers, and non-profit leaders.

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INTERNSHIPS AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

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NATIONAL URBAN EXTENSION CONFERENCE

Internship and Volunteer Opportunities

WSU will be hosting the National Urban Extension Conference (NUEC) in May, 2019. The Metro Center is offering several internship and volunteer opportunities for this conference which will bring together hundreds of leaders in Urban Extension from across the nation.

HOSPITALITY INTERNSHIP

Hospitality interns will work fall 2018 and spring 2019 semesters and will assist in the day-to-day event planning and management of the conference. Interns will also provide logistic support and staffing during the conference. Position requires excellent organizational and communication abilities.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The Metro Center is seeking volunteers to participate in on-site event assistance (May 20-23, 2019) in Seattle, Washington. Volunteers will operate the registration booth, assist in directing conference attendees to meeting locations, and organize and direct attendees from the conference to a series of Seattle tours.

COMMUNICATION INTERNSHIP

Communication interns will work summer and fall 2018, and spring 2019 semesters to assist in marketing and communication about the conference. Interns will work approximately 10 hours per week on copy writing, layout, and web communication. Positions require excellent writing skills, knowledge of social media platforms and WordPress. Work may be done remotely.

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LATINO LEADERSHIP INITIATIVE (LLI)

VOLUNTEER (LLI)

Volunteers will assist Dr. Garcia-Pabón in his multi-cultural leadership training, Latino Leadership Initiative (LLI), by assisting in coordinating retreats, events and logistics. Additionally, the volunteer will assist in data entry on the evaluations and feedback provided by LLI participants. Position requires excellent communication skills and familiarity with the Latino population in Washington State. Some level of Spanish is preferred.

DATA SCIENCE / ANALYTICS

DATA SCIENCE / ANALYTICS INTERNSHIP

Cultivate your skills in data analytics by working on real-world projects. The Metro Center has internship opportunities supporting projects in climate change impacts modeling, natural language processing for public sentiment analysis, and data visualization. Gain skills in data processing, modeling and analytics using Python, R or Scala/Sparkm. Approximately 20hrs/week per semester.