



SLS Summer Internship Program 2018

Serve-Learn-Sustain

Serve-Learn-Sustain is a campus-wide academic initiative working with all six colleges to offer courses and programs connecting sustainability and community engagement with real-world partners and projects. The result? Georgia Tech graduates are using their disciplinary expertise related to science and technology to “create sustainable communities” where humans and nature flourish, now and in the future, in Georgia, in the U.S., and around the globe.

Internship Program Overview

The SLS Summer Internship Program is an opportunity for students looking to gain real-world experience related to sustainability and community engagement. SLS seeks to provide our partners with support and resources so that they may support the people and places in which they work, while providing our students with practical experience in supporting solutions for sustainable communities. SLS student interns will work with an SLS partner either on or off campus. There are also opportunities to intern in the SLS office. All student interns will also participate in professional development sessions alternated with seminar sessions led by SLS staff, which include speakers, engagement with cutting-edge scholarship, peer presentations, and more.

SLS student interns will earn standard summer internship [course audit credit](#) from Georgia Tech. Once a student applies, their application will be reviewed to determine if they will move on to the interview process. After the interview process is complete, if a student is moving forward in the program they will be matched with specific partners based on criteria that include major/discipline, partner requirements, and student interests. Applications will be accepted and evaluated on a rolling basis until April 1st, or until all internship positions are filled. Note that while most positions are expected to go to undergraduate students, graduate students are also welcome to apply. We anticipate selecting between 5 - 10 interns this summer.

Minimum Qualifications

Students must:

1. Be enrolled full-time at Georgia Tech
2. Be in good academic standing
3. Have a cumulative GPA of 2.0 or above

Time Commitment

The SLS internship is a standard 12-week summer program. Internships may be either part-time (15-20 hours per week) or full-time (30-40 hours per week), depending on the needs of the partner and interests of the student. Within these hours, SLS student interns will participate in the professional development /seminar session program, which will involve meetings every other week. Beyond these hours, there will be required activities such as reading, journal writing, and active reflection. All activities are required components for program completion.

Compensation

SLS student interns will be paid a summer stipend to cover living expenses - \$2500 for part-time internships or \$5000 for full-time internships. Students are expected to meet Georgia Tech employee standards, as well as the standards of the partner where they are placed. Students are also expected to meet the SLS Internship Program completion requirements. Failure to follow program expectations may result in dismissal or payment forfeiture.

Application Process

Please complete the online application. Once your information is received and reviewed, we will let you know whether you will move forward to the interview process. Once the interview process is complete, if you are moving on in the process, the final step will be to match you with the appropriate position.