SUMMER SERVICE 2019

AN INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

with Good Works, Inc. in Athens, Ohio

A Community of HOPE with people who are struggling with poverty and homelessness in rural Appalachia

June 9 to August 10, 2019

Summary:
JOIN US for this 9-week paid internship focused on **discipleship** and **leadership development** in the context of a service oriented Christian community. **We want to invest in you while you invest in the Kingdom.** Interns lead youth and adults in relational service with: people without homes, older adults needing physical assistance and support, and children and teens experiencing the risks of poverty.

*The Good Works community has been providing internship experiences for more than 20 years. This summer, we will hire up to 8 interns who will live in Christian community and have the opportunity to...*

- Make disciples of teens and adults who are participating in short-term mission experiences (called Work Retreats) with Good Works from places like Indiana, Ohio, Michigan, New York, and Illinois.

- Deepen your leadership capabilities as you interact with the Good Works staff in weekly discussions on issues of discipleship, community, justice, Appalachian culture, and ministry with people in poverty.

- Create engaging activities with kids every day at Summer Kids’ Discovery Club, and help provide a Community Meal to children and adults.

- Love people in practical, hands on ways by serving with Work Retreats through light construction and repairs at the homes of seniors and people with disabilities.

- Practice hospitality and build relationships with people without homes who live in our shelter, the Timothy House.
• Mentor local youth ages 14 to 17 in service, character development, and growing healthy food through our Teen Internship.

• Work alongside our friends who are struggling with poverty as they participate in our “sweat equity” service and earn cars, appliances and food through the Transformation Station.

• Participate in Friday Night Life, our weekly community meal, including health education, Kids’ Club, live music, Bible studies, gardening, and other community building activities.

*The Summer Service internship begins on Sunday, June 9th and ends on Saturday, August 10th. Applicants must be at least 20 years old or have completed one year of college. Good Works provides housing, most of your food and a $1,500 stipend. Interns can raise additional funds.*

**THE NEXT STEP—**

1. Visit our website ([www.good-works.net](http://www.good-works.net)) and explore Good Works. Pay special attention to the section on Internships, and take time to read “A Christian Worldview.”

2. Request an application through email at email@good-works.net. Applications must be completed by March 31st, 2019. Interviews are held on site in Athens.

**OTHER GOOD WORKS INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES—**

**Appalachian Immersion** is a 4-5, or 9 month residential internship with a stipend for people 18 years or older. Interns live together in the Good Works Hannah House and are immersed into the many different outreach initiatives of Good Works.

**Week of Service** is a one-week internship for anyone 16 years or older, especially available during the summer. For more information, visit our website and click on “Internships.”

**Academic Internships** can be facilitated year round, depending on the requirements of the program, and the availability of the Good Works staff.

Good Works exists to connect people from all walks of life with people in poverty so that the kingdom of God can be experienced.

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