

Internships/Practica

Maine Adaptive Sports & Recreation provides students with intern and practicum opportunities that allow them to play an integral role in empowering people with permanent disabilities. We offer students hands-on experience, summer and winter, in program instruction, program management, therapeutic recreation, non-profit management, marketing, communications and development.

Who we are

Maine Adaptive Sports & Recreation is a 501c3 non-profit whose mission is to promote year-round education and training for individuals with disabilities in order to develop skills, enhance independence, and provide enjoyment through active recreation.

In the winter, we offer alpine and Nordic skiing, snowboarding, snowshoeing and pickleball. Our summer programming includes paddling, cycling, golf, indoor climbing, mountain biking, pickleball and tennis. Developing physical strength, self-confidence, and social contacts are just some of the benefits seen when people get involved with Maine Adaptive.

Benefits

- The opportunity to learn new types of recreation
- A workspace with access to a computer
- Mentorship and career guidance
- A meaningful and varied experience that will enhance professional development

Program Details

Internships/Practica are non-paid positions. The length of an Internship/Practicum may vary according to the needs of Maine Adaptive and the student. Maine Adaptive staff will coordinate with the student's academic supervisor to ensure that the experience meets both the student's needs and the requirements of their program of study. Maine Adaptive expects students to conduct themselves in a professional manner and one that reflects positively on the program and its staff.

The Intern/Practicum student will be supervised directly by a member of our professional staff.

Interns/Practicum students at Maine Adaptive are not covered under Worker's Compensation Insurance for accidents or injury. Interns/Practicum students are strongly encouraged to carry medical insurance.

How To Apply

Students should complete an Internship Application and a Volunteer Application, and submit them with a resume and cover letter. Applications may be submitted on-line at <u>www.maineadaptive.org</u>, submitted to <u>info@maineadaptive.org</u>, or mailed to Lizz Peacock, Operations Director. If accepted, a background check will be required.



Internship/Practicum Application

| Today's Date: | | | | |
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| First Name: | M.I | _Last Name: | | |
| Mailing Address: | | City: | State: | Zip: |
| Phone Number: | Email | address: | | |
| College/University: | | | | |
| Major/Program of Study: | Anticipated Date of Graduation: | | | |
| Advisor's Name: | Advisor's Phone: | | | |
| Advisor's Email address: | | [| Department: | |

Will this internship/practicum fulfill a school requirement?

Please describe the nature of the position you are seeking, the time that you have available, the credits you hope to earn, your goals for this experience, and how the experience will enhance your career. [Please add additional pages if necessary and submit this application with a cover letter, and a resume.]