



## STEAMBOAT ADAPTIVE RECREATIONAL SPORTS INTERNSHIP

SEMESTER: SUMMER 2020

**Position: Social Media and Marketing**

**Time Frame: May – August (starting date negotiable) | Full-time (30+ hours per week)**

**About STARS:** With a mission to empower and enrich people's lives through adaptive recreational activities, STARS (Steamboat Adaptive Recreational Sports) was founded in 2006 to provide recreational programming and training to individuals with disabilities. We strive to increase our clients' independence while focusing on their abilities rather than disabilities. STARS accepts clients as young as the age of 5, with any disability. We focus on a safe, fun learning environment where they can achieve their goals!

In 2017-2018 our volunteer-based program served 2,700 lessons through more than 11,000 volunteer lesson hours utilizing over 100 volunteer instructors. These lessons were provided in skiing, snowboarding, biking, waterskiing, camping, kayaking, horseback riding, and much more. STARS is located in beautiful Steamboat Springs, Colorado. Steamboat has produced 89 Olympians, which is more than any other town in North America. Steamboat is a popular tourist destination and offers summer activities such as kayaking, paddle boarding, mountain biking, hiking, rafting, and more.

**Job Description:** We're looking for an individual to help expand our mission and brand through social networking. This role will help share our story through social network platforms, public relations, and developing engaging content. This is an excellent opportunity to expand your professional marketing skills, build an influential social platform and make a real difference in people's lives.

In addition, the intern will assist in the operations of various ongoing STARS programs including youth and adults programs, military camps, skill development programs, and fundraising events.

This internship opportunity will demand a lot but is guaranteed to provide outstanding real-world experience. Our interns will be closely involved in all aspects of event and program management and tasked with significant responsibility.

**We're Seeking:** The candidate should be a current junior, senior, or recently graduated undergraduate student with interest in serving others, proven written and oral communications abilities, plus great digital and social media skills. We offer a unique and fast paced work environment set in the beautiful Yampa Valley in Northwest Colorado.

Qualifications: Must be organized and detailed oriented with a strong work ethic and be able to work independently. Given the nature of our work, all interns will be subject to a background check.

**Other Perks:**

- STARS provides furnished housing at our co-ed STARS Intern House
- STARS provides a stipend of \$1300 (50% paid half way through internship with remaining 50% paid at the conclusion)
- Have fun while building your resume and meeting new people

**Deadline:** Open till filled

**How to apply:**

Email a resume and cover letter. Please indicate which internship and semester you are applying for in the subject line of your email.

**Submit to:**

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