

EarthDance Alumni Communications Intern

Positions available: 1.

Benefits: Gaining understanding of the operations of small nonprofit organization; professional experience in constituent communication; and the opportunity to publish original written and photographic work to EarthDance's popular website/blog. This is an unpaid internship, however, the intern will receive a CSA (share of farm-fresh vegetables) for the duration of the internship.

Position Purpose:

To gather information that will enable EarthDance to assess and report the ongoing value of EarthDance's apprenticeship program. The Alumni Communications Intern will also develop EarthDance's ability to serve our graduates effectively.

Qualifications

- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Interest in sustainable farming and/or food system issues
- Ability to work independently
- Desire to communicate with and interview EarthDance alumni
- Study of journalism and/or sociology desired but not required
- 18 years or older

Reports to:

EarthDance Founding Director and other staff members

Specific Responsibilities:

- Collaborate with EarthDance staff to administer an alumni survey
- Catalogue survey data
- Follow up with alumni that do not initially respond
- Interview, and when possible photograph selected alumni
- Write short articles about alumni farming, gardening, and food system projects.

Time commitment

- 15 hours per week, June-August
- Schedule of office and site-visit work is flexible

- Vacation needs can be accommodated

To apply for this position: Send cover letter, resume and writing sample (no more than 2 pages typed) to Matt Lebon (volunteer@earthdancefarms.org)