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Clinical Research Internship

Overview

This is a paid research internship position (i.e., \$550.00 stipend at the end of the six month contract) for a graduate student eligible or graduate student only, with the agreed upon time frame at the outset of the fellowship. Graduate student eligible or graduate student is defined as having a bachelors degree, or currently enrolled in a masters or doctorate program. The clinical intern will have to complete one research project which will be submitted for publication and a present either a poster or presentation at a conference that is aligned with the firm's mission and goals (i.e., in the realm of culture and trauma).

Remote: In this position, the intern will shadow the psychologist to observe case consultation with other professionals and learn how to develop training presentations and consultation reports. The intern will be able to participate in remote based trainings. The intern will have various practice projects to display a level of retention of learned material.

Local: In this position, the intern will shadow the psychologist to observe case consultation with other professionals and learn how to develop training presentations and consultation reports. The intern will be able to participate in remote and in-person trainings. Depending upon the level of experience, the intern may have the opportunity to take a lead on presentation development. The intern will also be required to assist with administrative duties as needed. The intern will have various practice projects to display a level of retention of learned material.

Benefits

Benefits to the Profession and the Public. This internship will provide a commencement experience to clinical psychology with an emphasis in culture and trauma. In addition to providing needed experience for future psychologists, F.I.R.E. Igniting Lives is assisting in maintaining quality control within the profession by ensuring that future professionals are entering the field competent.

Professional Growth and Development. This internship will provide professional growth and development by assisting the intern with development of resume/curriculum vitae, personal statements for graduate programs, and interviewing techniques. This intern will also learn how to search for the latest research, assessment tools, and theoretical developments.

Requirements

This is a part-time position that averages to 10 — 15 hours a week with some weeks needing less hours than other weeks. The candidate must have at least a 3.3 “major” grade point average on a 4.0 scale and a 3.0 “overall” grade point average on a 4.0 scale. An unofficial transcript must be provided along with answering the following questions in two pages or less:

1. Why do you want to learn about clinical psychology?
2. How is clinical and counseling psychology different?
3. What interests you in training and consulting work under clinical psychology?
4. How do you define culture?
5. What do you know about trauma?
6. What are you hoping to gain from the position?
7. If not remote, are you able to commute? 5. What hours and days are you most available?