

Application for Participation The Center for Student Missions High School Intensive Urban Internship 2008

Dear Student:

CSM has a special opportunity in summer 2008 for a select group high school students. Are you one of them? This two-week intensive internship is designed for individual students, ages 16 and older who also have the following qualifications:

- *Previous experience on a CSM trip (can be obtained while application is being processed);*
- *Is continuing to minister or serve in leadership on a regular basis in his or her own community;*
- *Is recommended by his or her Youth Pastor, Parents, and either a teacher or an organization for which he or she has volunteered;*
- *Feels God's call to minister in the inner city;*
- *Is available July 20 to August 2, 2008*

Housing will be provided at Riverside Missionary Church in Toronto (where all CSM groups are housed). Each student chosen for this program will participate in on site training and then be matched to one or more ministry sites where he or she will gain an in depth knowledge of urban ministry. In addition, there will be speakers, activities, outings and discussions.

*The cost for the two-week internship is \$550, which includes housing, food, and supplies, but **does not** include transportation to and from Toronto. **A valid passport is required for all US Citizens.***

Do you qualify for this program? Follow the instructions in this packet.

For more information either call 949-248-8200 or email info@csm.org

Check List

For those applying for two-week Intensive Urban Internship with The Center for Student Missions

- *Send in Application*
- *Youth Pastor's Reference*
- *Parent Reference*
- *Teacher or Volunteer Organization Reference*
- *Telephone and/or personal interview with Toronto staff (416-361-9980)*
- *Once accepted, make travel arrangements to Toronto*
- *Begin fundraising, if desired*

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Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Date of Application
Address: Number	Street	City	Province or State Postal or Zip Code
Telephone Number(s)		EMAIL	

- * Birth date (must be at least 16 years old by June 30, 2008) _____
- * School currently attending: _____
- * Grade Level: _____

References - Please give each person listed below a recommendation form to return to us (forms are included in the back of this application).

Youth Leader's Name:	Parent or Legal Guardian:	Teacher or Supervisor at Organization for which you volunteer:
Street Address:	Street Address:	Street Address:
City, State, Zip/Postal Code:	City, State, Zip/Postal Code:	City, State, Zip/Postal Code:
Telephone Number(s):	Telephone Number(s):	Telephone Number(s):

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Name: _____

Background Information

The Center for Student Missions believes that the breadth of its ministry is directly related to the depth and sincerity of the commitment to Jesus Christ demonstrated by each participant in the High School Urban Internship. Please respond to the following questions:

Do you consider yourself a Christian? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, how long have you been a Christian? _____

Please provide the following information about the church you are currently attending:

Church Name: _____

Address: _____

Senior Pastor: _____ Phone: _____

Denominational ties, if any: _____

Are you uncomfortable with any aspect of CSM's statement of faith (see <http://www.csm.org/whatwebelieve.php>)? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain:

On the sheet labeled "Christian Experience," please give a one-page description of your Christian experience. Include information as to how and when you became committed to following Christ, people who influenced your experience and how you see this internship relating to your commitment to Christ.

On the sheet labeled "Qualifications," please share why you think you are qualified to participate in this internship and explain why you feel led to participate in this internship.

APPLICANT'S STATEMENT

Acceptance and participation in the High School Urban Internship is the same for everyone without regard to race, color, nation origin or sex.

Specific Limitations: Center for Student Missions is a highly disciplined organization with regulations and policies in many areas, including conduct, dress, and Christian testimony. Participants will be expected to abide by these policies as set forth in the Internship handbook, as well as all staff instructions.

Any participant involved with alcohol, drugs, fornication, or other inappropriate behavior, as determined by CSM staff, will be sent home at the intern's and/or parent or legal guardian's expense.

Center for Student Missions is not liable in the event of sickness, accident, death, terrorist acts due to student's participation in this program.

I have read and agree to all the specific limitations and conditions stated in the application form and the statement above:

Signature of Student

Date

Parent or Guardian's signature required:

I have read and agree to all the specific limitations and conditions stated in the application form and the statement above:

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

Please mail your application to:

Attn: Internship Coordinator
CSM
PO Box 900
Dana Point, CA 92629-0900

If you have questions about the internships, please contact:

Toronto: Tara McPherson, 416-361-9980, tara@csm.org

Youth Leader's Recommendation Form

Date: _____

Name of Student: _____

This student is applying for entrance into a two-week ministry internship in Toronto, Canada. We would appreciate your responses to the following questions:

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Phone Number(s): _____

Relationship to student: _____

How long have you known this student: _____

Would you consider this student to be responsible and mature?

Is it evident from this student's life that he or she is committed to Jesus Christ?

Does this student demonstrate a positive work ethic?

Do you have any hesitation recommending this student for a two-week cross-cultural ministry program? (If Yes, Why?)

Any other comments you wish to add:

Parent's Recommendation Form

Date: _____

Name of Student: _____

This student is applying for entrance into a two-week ministry internship in Toronto, Canada. We would appreciate your responses to the following questions:

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Phone Number(s): _____

Relationship to student: _____

How long have you known this student: _____

Would you consider this student to be responsible and mature?

Is it evident from this student's life that he or she is committed to Jesus Christ?

Does this student demonstrate a positive work ethic?

Do you have any hesitation recommending this student for a two-week cross-cultural ministry program? (If Yes, Why?)

Any other comments you wish to add:

Teacher or Volunteer Work Supervisor's Recommendation Form

Date: _____

Name of Student: _____

This student is applying for entrance into a two-week ministry internship in Toronto, Canada. We would appreciate your responses to the following questions:

Your Name: _____

Your Address: _____

Your Phone Number(s): _____

Relationship to student: _____

How long have you known this student: _____

Would you consider this student to be responsible and mature?

Is it evident from this student's life that he or she is committed to Jesus Christ?

Does this student demonstrate a positive work ethic?

Do you have any hesitation recommending this student for a two-week cross-cultural ministry program? (If Yes, Why?)

Any other comments you wish to add:
