



Groundwork Buffalo Sr. Green Team Urban Agriculture Entrepreneurship Program

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

Groundwork Buffalo's Green Team is seeking young adults, ages 18-24, to be Senior Green Team members in a ***paid training program***. Through the GWB Sr. Green team program, you will develop job and leadership skills by working on a variety of community-based agriculture projects and hands-on learning experiences. This program will lead you through the construction, cultivation and operation of market gardens and farm stands through in-classroom workshops and hands-on growing.

POSITION DESCRIPTION

Over the course of 4 months, Sr. Green Team members will:

- Learn to grow, cultivate, and sell produce in different city environments
- Manage and maintain a neighborhood garden
- Work on operating urban farms and mobile markets
- Learn work readiness and transferable job skills
- Be introduced to careers in the food and agriculture industries
- Learn all things aquaponics

Summer Internship, June – September (all dates TBD)

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Garden planting and maintenance at the Community Garden at Humber and East Delavan Avenues.

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- 20 hours / week, days depending on partnerships
- \$16.50 / hour
- Rotation between the Community Garden Humber and East Delavan Avenues to cultivate and possibly sell/donate produce, learn all things Gro-Op at the Clinton Bailey Market, build and revamp all beds with UB urban studies. Other partners, programs and duties as assigned.

Job Qualifications:

- 18+ years old.
- Interest in gardening, food sources, urban agriculture and/or environment.
- Interest in working to improve access to affordable and healthy food in Buffalo neighborhoods.
- Ability to work outdoors in all weather conditions with a positive outlook.
- Ability to stand for long durations and lift 50 pounds.



- Desire and ability to work with people in different capacities and environments (such as working as a member of a farm crew and in customer service).
- Professional and courteous attitude towards diverse and sensitive populations.
- Available to complete Spring Training workshops and garden preparation (timetable TBD depending on current COVID-19 issues).
- Transportation to training and sites is the responsibility of the Crew Member, GWB will provide bus passes.
- Bi-lingual applicants welcome.

Delavan-Grider Community Center: The Center will provide classroom space, a place to store lunches and tools and be the home base for the program.

Please send completed application to: buffalointernships@sayyesbuffalo.org



JOB APPLICATION
GWB Green Team
Urban Agriculture Entrepreneurship Program

Personal Information:

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ Phone# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ D.O.B _____

How did you hear about this position? _____

Why do you want to serve as a Sr. Green Team member? _____

Employment Experience: Start with your present or last job. Include military assignments and volunteer experience.

Employer 1 _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone# _____ Supervisors Name _____

Job Title _____ Reason for leaving _____

Dates of Employment: From _____ To _____ Salary or Hourly wage _____

Employer 2 _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone# _____ Supervisors Name _____

Job Title _____ Reason for leaving _____

Dates of Employment: From _____ To _____ Salary or Hourly wage _____

Employer 3 _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone# _____ Supervisors Name _____

Job Title _____ Reason for leaving _____

Dates of Employment: From _____ To _____ Salary or Hourly wage _____



Education:

	School Name	City and State	Dates Attended
High School			
College			
Other			

Please list any additional skills and training you would like us to know about.

Personal References: You may include employers, teachers, mentors (non-related) and one relative.

Name	Email	Phone	Relationship
1.			
2.			
3.			

I, (Applicant Name) _____ hereby verify that the information above is accurate and that I am eligible to work.

Applicant Signature

Date