**2023 BLUM SUMMER FIELD INTERNSHIP AT UC-SAN DIEGO**

*Paid Summer Field Internship Opportunity with the UCSD Community Stations*

**APPLICATION FORM**

**Applications due: Friday, January 20, 2023.**

Successful Applicants notified: February 6, 2023

* Eight-week summer field internship. Monday June 26 – Friday August 18, 2020 (partial participation is not permitted).
* Summer participation entails a minimum of three full field days per week during the internship period. Schedules TBC.
* Compensation: $2750. Students are paid either via stipend, or via salary as hired student researchers, depending on summer enrollment and financial aid status, per university rules.
* Spring 2023 enrollment in VIS 102 is mandatory for all successful applicants. This course provides an orientation to the UCSD Community Stations, histories of the binational region, as well as an introduction to the ethics of community engagement.
* For-credit or paid research opportunities may be available to summer field interns during academic year 2023-4.
* For more information about the Blum Summer Field internship, see <http://gjustice.ucsd.edu/blum-summer-field-internship/>
* **Send application as a PDF file to Khushbu Gokalgandhi at** [**kgokalgandhi@ucsd.edu**](mailto:kgokalgandhi@ucsd.edu)**. DUE FRIDAY JANUARY 20, 11:59pm**

## Participating programs

***In which program are you currently participating?***

*Undergraduates in the following 18 majors, minors, programs and concentrations are encouraged to apply. Spots may be allocated to students in other fields / programs who are uniquely suited to the BSFI.*

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| Global TIES / Engineering | ☐ | Sixth College Practicum | ☐ |
| Global Health Program | ☐ | Thurgood Marshall College Public Service Minor | ☐ |
| Partners at Learning / Education Studies | ☐ | Seventh College Synthesis | ☐ |
| Human Rights Minor | ☐ | Urban Studies and Planning Department | ☐ |
| Mexican Migration Field Research Program | ☐ | Environmental Engineering | ☐ |
| Climate Change Minor | ☐ | Environmental Systems | ☐ |
| *Bending the Curve* course | ☐ | Earth Sciences | ☐ |
| Visual Arts / Speculative Design | ☐ | BS in Public Health (School of Medicine) | ☐ |
| Structural Engineering | ☐ | Public Culture (Arts & Humanities) \*\* | ☐ |
| Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |  | \*\* Including the PATH program, and any undergraduate major in the Arts & Humanities Division, committed to the intersection of arts / culture / humanities and public life, particularly in marginalized communities. |  |

## Student Information

***Please provide the following information:***

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| Full Name: |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Last | First | M.I. |  |  |

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| Student ID: |  |

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| Address: |  |  |
|  | Street Address | Apartment/Unit # |

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|  | City | State | ZIP Code |

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| Phone: |  | Email: |  |

## Additional Student Information

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| Major: |  | M Minor: |  |

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| Year: |  | GPA: |  |

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| College: |  |

## Border crossing

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| ***Do you have a current passport and (if needed) required visa to cross into Mexico? (This is relevant primarily for students interested in the Tijuana sites)*** | YES  ☐ | NO  ☐ |

## Volunteer / Work Experience

***Please describe two past or current volunteer / work experiences most relevant to this application:***

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| Organization: |  | |  |

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| Position: |  |  |

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| Supervisor: |  |  |

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| Supervisor email: |  |  |

***Description of Activities / Roles:***

*350 Character Limit (w/spaces ~ 55 words)*

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| Supervisor: |  |  |

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## Essays

***1. Why are you interested in participating in BSFI this summer?***

*1,500 Character Limit (w/spaces ~ 225 words)*

***2. Do you have previous field research and/or community engagement experience? If so, please describe***

*1,000 Character Limit (w/spaces ~ 150 words)*

***3. Please describe your career goals after college and how they relate to community engagement and / or public service?***

*1,000 Character Limit (w/spaces ~ 150 words)*

## Site Preference

***There are three Community Stations field sites available in Summer 2023. In which of the three stations would you prefer to participate? Please rank your preferences 1, 2, 3.* If you are unwilling to work at a particular site, please assign 0.**

Please review information about the Community Station sites at: <http://gjustice.ucsd.edu/ucsd-community-stations/>

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| UCSD-DIVINA Community Station (Laureles Canyon, Tijuana, BC, Mexico) + the Tijuana River Estuary (Imperial Beach, CA) | **\_\_\_\_** |
| UCSD-ALACRÁN Community Station  (Alacrán Canyon, Tijuana, BC, Mexico) | **\_\_\_\_** |

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| UCSD-EARTHLAB Community Station  (Encanto, San Diego, California) | **\_\_\_\_** |

## Spanish proficiency

***How would you rank your Spanish proficiency?***

(Refer to <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ILR_scale>)

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| 0 = No Proficiency | 1 = Elementary Proficiency | 3-Limited Working Proficiency | 4-Professional Working Proficiency | 5-Full Professional Proficiency | 6-Native or Bilingual Proficiency |
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## Emergency contact information

***Please provide two names to contact in case of an emergency:***

Contact 1:

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Full Name: |  |  |  |  |
|  | Last | First |  |  |

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| Relation: |  |  |

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| Phone (Home): |  | Phone (Work): |  |

Contact 2:

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| Full Name: |  |  |
|  | Last | First |

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| Relation: |  |  |

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| Phone (Home): |  | Phone (Work): |  |

## Questions / Concerns / Comments