

North Carolina Senior Games Internship Program



North Carolina Senior Games (NCSG) is the nation's premier senior Olympic-style program for adults 55 years of age and better. Since 1983, NCSG has implemented year-round health promotion and education programs, and now there are 60,000 year-round participants in 53 Local Games that serve all 100 counties in North Carolina. In addition to sports, Senior Games includes SilverArts, Cheerleaders and SilverStriders.

North Carolina Senior Games is looking for talented, energetic, innovative and team-oriented interns. NCSG offers internship opportunities in both paid and unpaid positions, depending on an intern's experience, skills, time commitment and availability. Summer interns must commit to assisting through the State Finals "Big Week" in the fall. Intern positions are located in the NCSG office in Raleigh and include hands-on planning and implementation for the annual State Finals events. Interns are required to secure their own housing for the duration of their internship.

Each internship experience is tailored to the student's interests. Potential Internship Concentrations include:

Public Relations: Nurturing and developing relationships with media throughout the Triangle and assisting with the production of all PR pieces, including newsletters, brochures, correspondence and website upgrades.

Event Management: Assisting with coordination for nearly seventy (70) activities at State Finals, including scheduling, correspondence, execution of activities, committee coordination and volunteer oversight.

Volunteer Management: Assisting with the coordination of over 900 volunteers for State Finals, from recruitment to confirmation and follow-up.

Development: Assist with individual contributor development including new and renewing contributors, follow-up, on-going communication, special programs and software.

We encourage creativity and innovation in order to expand and develop current initiatives and programs. The goal of this internship is not to get "pigeon-holed" into one set project or task, but for an intern to utilize his or her strengths. The goal for our team is to provide a comprehensive, educational and positive internship experience with an open line of communication on how our team can continue to make North Carolina Senior Games the best senior Olympics in the nation. We are seeking individuals who demonstrate confidence in their abilities and have the initiative to take project leadership on a daily basis.

All interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to lynn@ncseniorgames.org.