



2023 SUMMER STAFF APPLICATION

What is Jesus Project Ministries? Jesus Project Ministries is an inner-city ministry reaching the youth and poor of New Orleans. It also operates as a training center for believers who want to be better equipped to fulfill their destiny in God. Community Outreaches, servant-hood evangelism, mission trips and many other hands-on ministries are part of this training.

What does it mean to be a JPM Summer Staff?

Every summer Jesus Project Ministries serves as a ministry site to hundreds of volunteers through mission teams from throughout the country. College-aged young adults serve as Summer Interns. They help as we serve incoming teams to understand the heart of God for the youth and the poor as we serve our community through various outreaches such as Summer Bible Camp, Evangelism, Prayer Walks, Food Ministry, Senior Citizen Ministry, Homeless Ministry, the Arts and Service Projects. As a Summer Staff, you will have an opportunity to minister not only to those on the mission teams, but also those who live in our city. You will also participate in a community environment with other Summer Interns during times of prayer, worship, and ministry.

What are the requirements for serving as a JPM Intern?

- At least 18 years old
- Must profess the Christian faith as a follower of Jesus Christ
- Must have a willingness to share the message of the gospel of Jesus with others
- Have a desire to serve in a missions-oriented environment
- Strong work ethic, integrity, and the ability to work well with others from different denominations
- Willingness to serve in a position of leadership
- Willingness to be flexible
- Fundraising (The summer internship is NOT a paid position. You must raise funds as needed.)

What is the summer schedule?

Summer schedule is as follows:

Staff/Interns will arrive by Sunday May 22, 2023 (no later than 5pm) and will depart no earlier than Saturday August 5, 2023.

How much does the position pay? Summer Staff positions are paid positions and dependent on experience.

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Personal Information

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Permanent Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Current Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Best Phone Number to Reach You: _____

Email: _____

Facebook Name: _____ Instagram Name: _____

Are you a U.S. Citizen? Yes _____ No _____ If no, country of citizenship: _____

College/Grad School Attending/Attended: _____

College Major/Minor: _____ Current College Year: _____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please explain: _____

Current/Former place of employment: _____

Dates employed: _____ Duties/Responsibilities: _____

Supervisor's name: _____ May we contact this person? _____

If yes, supervisor's phone #: _____

Have you ever worked in a summer camp or inner city setting before? If so, when/where:

What were your responsibilities? _____

Spiritual Life

Are you a Christian? _____ When did you first commit your life to Jesus Christ? ___/___/___

Have you made a recommitment since the date above? Yes ___ No ___ If yes, when? Month & Year ___/___

Please share your conversion experience: (Your testimony of when you gave your life to Christ)

Have you been water baptized? Yes ___ No ___

In the last 2 years have you used illegal drugs, tobacco or consumed any alcoholic beverage? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, please explain: _____

Date(s) of most recent occurrence(s), Month & Year: ___/___

In the last 2 years has your life demonstrated moral, ethical and pure living? Yes ___ No ___ If no, please explain:

Date(s) of most recent occurrence(s), Month and Year: ___/___

Please explain the Gospel:

What is God currently teaching you?

Church you are currently attending: _____ City: _____ State: _____

Years/months you've attended here: _____ How often do you attend church? _____

Denomination (please check one):

- Baptist (Southern)
- Baptist (non-Southern): _____
- Catholic
- Episcopal
- Methodist
- Pentecostal
- Presbyterian
- Non-denominational / Interdenominational
- Other (please list): _____

Are you willing to work with believers from different denominations? _____

Do you regularly spend time reading your Bible? _____ Do you regularly spend time in prayer? _____

Are you currently involved in any ministry (personal or organizational)? If so, describe:

List all previous work or leadership positions involving children and/or youth:

About You

How did you hear about Jesus Project Ministries? _____

Have you been to New Orleans before? _____ Have you previously been to JPM? When? _____

Why do you want to intern for Jesus Project Ministries?

What do you expect to learn this summer?

Our desire is to use you in the gifting that God has given you. Please list any special skills or talent you might have (such as arts, music, children or youth ministry, construction, etc):

What qualities do you have that would be advantageous to our staff & program?

What do you like to do in your spare time? (i.e. hobbies)

Do you have any health problems that might be of concern regarding your work with JPM?

Is there any time conflict you are aware of at this point that would prevent you from being available during the dates you have chosen? If yes, please explain:

Arrive Monday May 22, 2023 (no later than 5pm) and will depart no earlier than Saturday August 5, 2022.

PERSONAL EVALUATION Applicant please fill out the following

Please circle or check one. With "1" being the lowest or poorest end of the scale and "10" being the best or strongest.

Leadership	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Compassion	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Follow-Through	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Outgoing	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Sense of Humor	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Spiritual Maturity	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Ability to Teach	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Patience	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Initiative	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Discipline	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Please rank the functions of the internship role in the order you feel the most competent.

___ Administration

___ Vision Casting/Motivation

___ Interpersonal/Relational Skills

___ Conflict Resolution

___ Communication

___ Leading others

___ Compassion

___ Applying Biblical Principles

___ Sharing the Gospel

References

Part 1: Please list three references (One must be pastoral, one must be work/volunteer related, and one can be personal.)

Part 2: **Please have your references fill out and mail or email both pages of the personal recommendation/reference form found at the end of this application.**

All references must be mailed or emailed *directly from the person writing the reference*. Please send to the following:

Email: interns@jesusprojectministries.com Mail:

Jesus Project Ministries (Summer Internship), 8401 Apple St, New Orleans, LA 70118

1. Pastor or College Minister:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____ State of Residence: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

2. Work or Volunteer Reference:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____ State of Residence: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

3. Personal Reference:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____ State of Residence: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

Do you have a Mentor (someone who you are spiritually accountable to)?

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____ State of Residence: _____

How long have you known this person? _____

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize references or organizations listed in this application to provide information (including opinions) they may have regarding my character and fitness for working with children or youth. I release all such references from any liability for furnishing such evaluations, provided they do so in good faith and without malice. I waive any right I may have to inspect references provided on my behalf. Should I be accepted for the JPM Internship Program, I agree to be bound by the procedures and policies of JPM and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of the organization. I further state that I have carefully read the foregoing release and know the content thereof, and I sign this release as my own free act. This is a legally binding agreement, which I have read and understand.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please complete all sections of the application. Your application should include:

- Photo
- Completed Application
- List of 3 references emailed/mailed to us (At least one must be pastoral, one must be work/volunteer related, and one can be personal.)
- Your pastoral reference must fill out and mail or email the personal recommendation/reference form. It must come directly from the person writing the reference. Please send to address below.
- Please note that a background check will be required upon your acceptance into the internship program.

All applications should be RECEIVED by May 1, 2023.

Please note that submitting an application does NOT guarantee an interview or acceptance.

This application can be emailed or mailed to Jesus Project Ministries:

EMAIL

info@jesusprojectministries.com

MAIL

Jesus Project Ministries

Summer Staff

8401 Apple St

New Orleans, LA 70118

Personal Recommendation/Reference Form (Part 1)

Please have your references fill out and mail or email both pages (Part 1 & 2) of the personal recommendation/reference form).

Applicants Name: _____ Today's Date: _____

The above-named applicant is currently being considered for a summer internship at Jesus Project Ministries, an inner city ministry in New Orleans. We would appreciate your candid response to the following questions to assist us in the evaluation process. Your responses will be kept confidential. (Please email or mail the form directly to us at interns@jesusprojectministries.com or JPM Internship 8401 Apple St, New Orleans, LA 70118)

Evaluator Name: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____

2. What is your relationship to him/her? _____

3. In your opinion, what is an area of strength that the applicant displays?

4. In your opinion, what is an area of weakness that the applicant displays?

5. Our internship program is an intense time of ministry, discipline, and personal spiritual growth. It requires a heart to serve others, flexibility in being in a new and often unfamiliar environment. Knowing this, would you recommend the named applicant for our Summer Internship Program? (Please include any additional comments you think may be helpful in our decision.)

Personal Recommendation/Reference Form (Part 2)

Please indicate your knowledge of the applicant's abilities.	Poor	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Exceptional	Unknown
Motivation						
Initiative						
Capacity for Growth (Is the applicant teachable?)						
Concern for others						
Self-confidence						
Integrity						
Spiritual Maturity (Consider the following: Does the applicant have sound doctrinal belief? Does he/she possess a good knowledge of the Bible? Does he/she, to your knowledge, practice a daily prayer life?)						
Authority (How does the applicant respond to authority?)						
Leadership (Consider his/her performance as a leader)						
Servanthood (Consider his/her performance as a servant)						
Ability to Communicate						
Responsibility						
Discipline (Does the applicant show discipline in their everyday lifestyle?)						