Campaign Organizing Internship

For 38 years, Corporate Accountability International has successfully challenged corporations like Nestlé, General Electric, and Philip Morris to halt abusive practices that threaten human rights, public health, the environment and our democracy. The organization is leading campaigns challenging life-threatening abuses, specifically in the food, water, tobacco, and fossil fuel industries. Our internships are a unique opportunity to gain valuable organizing and non-profit experience. This is a hands-on program, designed to mentor and cultivate students interested in social justice, strengthen their understanding of a fast-paced campaign organization, and prepare them with the skills and experience necessary to challenge corporate abuse.

The Campaign Organizing Internship is a hands-on, skills-building internship in which interns will take on significant projects to advance Corporate Accountability International’s mission in one of three campaigns or our climate project. Interns will play a critical role organizing Think Outside the Bottle and Public Water Works! campaigns, the campaign to Challenge Corporate Abuse of our Food, the campaign to Challenge Big Tobacco, and the project to Kick Big Polluters out of Climate Policy. The projects will be coupled with training sessions on action planning, power mapping, campaign research, media outreach, fundraising, and many other skills and topics. Interns will come away from the experience ready to apply these skills to social change they want to see in their local communities or schools.

MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Work with the National Organizers and Campaign Directors to organize support for the campaign at the local, regional, national or international level, including activists and allies;
- Reach out to, engage, and secure support from potential allies to build coalition support for Think Outside the Bottle Campaign, the Value [the] Meal campaign, the campaign to Challenge Big Tobacco, or the project to Kick Big Polluters out of Climate Policy;
- Recruit activists by organizing and participating in campaign actions and organizing events;
- Respond to requests for information and management of campaign materials;
- Design and layout organizing materials for different constituencies;
- Provide administrative support to National Organizers on short term campaign projects;
- Participate in organizational building activities.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Demonstrated commitment to human rights, the environment, and public health;
- Highly effective written and verbal communication skills;
- Organizational skills and the ability to juggle several tasks while meeting deadlines;
- Experience in a high-energy campaign or non-profit setting preferable;
- For candidates interested in the Challenge Big Tobacco internship, fluency in Spanish or French is preferred.

DETAILS:

Location: Boston, MA
Duration: Summer internship program runs from late May through mid-August.
Training: Classroom sessions and ongoing trainings will be provided by senior campaign staff.
For more information: Please visit our website: www.stopcorporateabuse.org
Questions: Email Taggart Wass at internships@stopcorporateabuse.org.

Corporate Accountability International is an equal opportunity employer and an inclusive organization. People of color, women, and LGBTQ people are strongly encouraged to apply.