

CAPE COD COMMERCIAL
**FISHERMEN'S
ALLIANCE**

Small Boats. Big Ideas.

2018 Education and Outreach Intern

The Fishermen's Alliance is the leading voice for commercial fishermen on Cape Cod, working with more than 120 independent fishing businesses, 300 local fishing families, and more than 1,200 concerned community members. We partner with fishermen on policy campaigns, scientific research, economic development, and community outreach to build lasting solutions to fisheries problems. Our work—on fisheries management, scientific projects and community education—is aimed at protecting fish and fishing for future generations.

The Fishermen's Alliance seeks a 2018 summer intern to provide assistance with a diversity of communications and outreach activities. The successful candidate will be comfortable working independently, writing creative and educational pieces, and using a wide range of technology and techniques to communicate our message. The intern will work closely with the development, policy and research teams to communicate our message in a variety of forums.

Responsibilities include, but aren't limited to:

Community Events

- Participate in a variety of outreach events ranging such as weekly farmers markets, conservation days, the pier program, meet the fleet, and more.
- Confidently and accurately portray the message of the Fishermen's Alliance and our active campaigns to a wide audience

Policy, Research and Administration

- Assist staff with various research topics that range from literature reviews, to policy background.
 - Policy campaigns may include work on scallop, herring, groundfish, skate, monkfish and dogfish.
 - Current research initiatives include bycatch reduction, sea turtle and whale gear interactions, mercury content in dogfish and more
- Provide administrative support to the development team, (e.g. processing merchandise orders, processing membership requests, messaging, etc)

Requirements

- Availability to work 20-25 flexible hours per week from June 11 (or earlier) to August 28, 2018, including some evenings and weekends
- Must be available to facilitate in the production of the Alliance's largest annual fundraiser, the Hookers Ball, on the weekend of August 4th.
- Strong desire to pursue a career in fisheries management, education, communications and/or research

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- Strong time-management, organizational, and interpersonal skills a must
- Ability to self-motivate, learn quickly, and stay on task
- Some college or post-graduate coursework completion in a related field, preferred
- Must be able to lift/move objects up to 20 lbs.
- Driver's license with clean driving record and use of car

What you get in return

- Crucial work experience in the field of nonprofit outreach, research, policy and communication
- Opportunities to network with some of Cape Cod's most influential nonprofit, hospitality and other business leaders
- Additional skills for your resume to build your competitive edge in today's job market
- A busy, but FUN, summer with an endless amount of gratitude from one of the Cape's foremost nonprofit organizations

To apply, please send a resume, cover letter and two writing samples to amanda@capecodfishermen.org. Applications are due no later than May 31, 2018. This is an unpaid internship with a potential stipend based on overall performance.

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