

Dream Corps 2010 Summer Internship Program

Late May to late July

Dream Corps offers 8- to 10-week long, unpaid Summer Internship Programs (SIP) for motivated volunteers with strong initiative and leadership to work in the areas of library management, information system support, community outreach, reading program, and organizational communication. Internship period officially starts with the Beijing Training Camp of the Summer Volunteer Program (SVP) in late May and ends in late July. Work-related travel expenses will be reimbursed. This year, there are the following positions available:

Beijing - SVP Information Specialist: Responsible for collection, selection, and organization of site-specific SVP information, documents, and media files during and after the SVP, with the option of conducting reading program and community outreach activities at the New Century Dream Library in Zhufang Village, Beijing after the SVP. Involvement starts with the SVP online training.

Hunan Chaling County Dream Libraries - Information System Support Specialist: Responsible for setting up electronic library management system, and assisting local librarians in using the system, and provide general computer training for local teachers.

Sichuan Yibin Nanguang Dream Library - Library Management Specialist: Responsible for setting up electronic library management, providing support to local librarian, teachers, and students regarding how to use the system, and in general ensuring the school's readiness for library access and use in the subsequent academic year.

Requirements for the SIP in addition to those for the regular (SVP) include:

- If applicant have not participated in the SVP in previous years, they must participate in this year's SVP
- Internships are on-site and continuous with the SVP (running from late May to late June), with no vacation time in between.
- Submission to Dream Corps of documents required for your enrollment in your university's internship programs, such as (1) purpose or research statement and (2) funding application form, where applicable.

In addition to an application to the regular **SVP**, all applicants must submit a Dream Corps **SIP** proposal to sites@dreamcorps.org that (1) identify their intended position, (2) explain their specific motivations and qualifications, (3) identify their specific goals, and (4) articulate their specific plan for reaching these goals. Please direct further inquiries to sites@dreamcorps.org.