

Community Internship Collaboration  
Spring 2018 Business Application

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<b>Describe your organization</b>	The Los Alamos Music Academy facilitates music instruction. We have 3 teachers for guitar and piano lessons, and rent space to several other local teachers. We partner with Candyman Strings & Things to offer a full-service music facility in Los Alamos. Together, we aim to be the Los Alamos Community Music Center, a musician collective and first call resource for music instruction and equipment.
<b>Internship title</b>	Data and Market Analysis for Music Teaching Opportunities in Los Alamos
<b>Specific days/hours (if applicable)</b>	We will arrange common contact hours upon intern hiring. Expect to work at LAMA 2-4 hours per week.
<b>What will the student learn from the internship?</b>	The student will learn to collect data and arrange it in a useful manner; how to search for and apply relevant information; what musical education resources are available in Los Alamos; some of the workings of a for-profit and non-profit business; how various organizations can work together to a common goal (collaboration).
<b>What does your business need that a student intern can impact?</b>	There are three specific needs that come to mind. 1) We would like to build a database of local, private music teachers in Los Alamos who teach piano, guitar, bass, strings, brass, woodwinds, and percussion. We get frequent inquiries looking for teachers on specific instruments, and this would be very helpful to the Los Alamos community. 2) We would like to build a musician database. There are a lot of talented folks in LA, but a lot of them are not well known, or are new to town. We want to provide an answer when someone comes to us looking for performers for an event or bandmates for a project. 3) As we are looking at obtaining non-profit status, we need to find grants to apply for to help cover our operating and equipment costs.
<b>What project(s) will the intern work on?</b>	The intern will work on one or two, of the needs described above, depending on interest and time. The best defined deliverable is the database, but help in all areas would be appreciated.
<b>What skills, ability or education level is required for this internship?</b>	The intern should have strong computer skills. An appreciation for and interest in the arts is preferred.

<b>What is the final product will the student produce?</b>	The final deliverables are collections of information that we can use going forward, the most important (to us) being the teacher database.
<b>How would you describe the primary purpose of this project? (Select one)</b>	Computer Science/IT; Science (Biology, Chemistry, Environmental); <u>Marketing/Communications</u> ; Project Management; Accounting/Finance Other (please describe)
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