



Desert Companion Photography Internship

Nevada Public Radio is looking for a dynamic and hard-working student intern to work with our Desert Companion magazine and Fifth Street email newsletter. This internship would provide experience of working for an NPR-affiliated broadcast and media organization that provides the Las Vegas Valley's only city-regional publication.

Why intern with us? Launched in 2007, Desert Companion is the valley's premier city magazine that celebrates the pursuits, passions, and aspirations of Southern Nevadans. With award-winning feature journalism and design, Desert Companion does more than inform and entertain. We spark dialogue, engage people, and define the spirit of the Las Vegas Valley. Desert Companion launched its weekly Fifth Street newsletter in August 2020, which regularly publishes profiles, reviews, Q&As, essays, humor, and more.

Summary

- The intern will work three half-days per week.
- Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday.
- The hours will generally be 9 am to 12 pm or 1 pm until 4 pm for the duration of 12-15 weeks (one semester) and/or at least 150 hours as required for course credit.
- *Specific hours and days are flexible. We are open to working out a schedule to fit certain needs.*
- Final Internship Project Component:
 - A photo essay/department/feature/marketing campaign that would encompass the entire photography process. *(From conceptualizing the photo(s), organizing the shoot, execution, editing and vision of how they would like to photo(s) displayed in the magazine or on social media/marketing)*

What to Expect

The intern will participate in the key steps of processing and producing photography for a city magazine, a weekly email newsletter and marketing/social media platforms. Duties would also include, but not limited to, taking photos as assigned, conceptualizing the photo, organizing, and archiving photos, retouching, editing files for use in print and web.

The intern may also be asked to do some reporting, writing, for editorial/journalism photography. The internship pays \$10 an hour for 12 hours maximum a week.

Requirements

The intern must supply a resume and cover letter expressing interest in the internship program at Nevada Public Radio. Please also include a portfolio (PDF format or website link). Enrollment in a photography and/or photojournalism and photography degree program is preferred. If interning for academic credit, this must be communicated up-front, and approval must be obtained from intern's university and Nevada Public Radio.

- The intern should have an interest in photography, journalism and publishing or marketing. Most importantly, he/she/they should be knowledgeable about photography and lighting -- or be enthused to learn how.

Nevada Public Radio is an equal opportunity employer committed to a diverse and inclusive work environment. If selected for an interview, you will be contacted by our Human Resources Manager.