



FORT MONROE NATIONAL MONUMENT

FORT MONROE, VA

STEWARDS INDIVIDUAL PLACEMENTS

Stewards Individual Placements provides individuals with service and career opportunities to strengthen communities and preserve our natural resources. Stewards, in partnership with the National Park Service, are seeking an intern to serve as Community Volunteer Ambassador.

POSITION DETAILS

- Length: position is 50 weeks, 40 hours/week
- Start Date: Monday, February 8th 2021
- Living Allowance: Baseline allowance of \$440/week*
- AmeriCorps Award: \$6,095 (pre-tax)
- Application Due Date:
12/04/2020, or Until Filled
- Members will attend a week-long, nationwide, virtual training- National Early Service Training

ABOUT THE SITE

Fort Monroe National Monument has a diverse history spanning the American story from American Indian presence, Captain John Smith's journeys, first arrival of enslaved Africans in English North America, a safe haven for freedom seekers during the American Civil War, and a bastion of defense for the Chesapeake Bay through the 21st Century.

POSITION SUMMARY

As Fort Monroe National Monument approaches its 10 year anniversary, they seek a community planner to develop two programs: 1619 Global Shared Heritage Ambassadors and Keep Fort Monroe Beautiful Ambassadors.

POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES

- Develop and implement volunteer activities for groups and individual in support of the growing Keep Fort Monroe Beautiful and 1619 Global Shared Heritage programs.
- This work will include recruitment, management, and training of volunteers.
- Develop a social media campaign communicating litter free goals.
- Develop interpretive media products sharing history and culture messages in coordination with park partners and cooperative managers.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- A self-starter who enjoys leading teams with a passion for history, culture and nature
- Interested in communicating key stories related to the history of Virginia, Indigenous Communities, the American Civil War, African Experience, and the relationship between the environment and health of the Chesapeake Bay
- Between the ages of 18-30 years old (35 years old if you are a veteran)
- Be a U.S. citizen or lawful permanent resident
- Submit proof of a Driver's License and undergo a Federal Background Check, upon selection

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Exceptional communication skills in writing and public speaking
- Working knowledge of social media platforms and layout/design concepts
- Strong experience in organizing teams and coordinating logistics for group projects
- Experience working with the African American community to develop talks, brochures, and programs
- Attention to detail in all aspects of the duties and responsibilities

HOUSING

Fort Monroe National Monument has no available housing on-site. The CVA is responsible for finding their own housing.

*If site is unable to provide housing at no cost, up to \$80/week may be allocated to support rent.

HOW TO APPLY

Apply online [HERE](#). In addition to your resume, please submit a one page cover letter highlighting why you are interested in this position and how your background and experience will help you succeed in this position.

Stewards Individual Placements Program does not and will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, gender expression, age, national origin, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, in any of its activities or operations. We are committed to providing an inclusive and welcoming environment for all.

