

Team Monterey Leadership

Accepting Applications NOW!!

Team Monterey El Salvador Practicum 2010-2011

Team Monterey (TM) is seeking four student leaders to lead the Team Monterey El Salvador Practicum during its 2010-2011 program year.



**Do you want to gain skills in leadership?
International Development? Environmental
policy and natural resource management?
Survey creation? Improving your Spanish
proficiency and communication?**

TM El Salvador provides a unique, professional opportunity for MIIS students to develop and apply practical skills and enhance language proficiency and multicultural competency in a dynamic international setting.

Team Leaders will cultivate a variety of professional skills while gaining real world experience. The ideal candidate has a passion for international development, strong leadership skills, and a willingness to facilitate and manage a variety of program elements, including communication and outreach, program development, fundraising, updating and developing website content and social media sites, event scheduling and management, meeting planning and travel logistics and community engagement.

TM leadership is open to all MIIS students, from all departments and fields of study!

Project Areas include:

- ✓ Environmental Policy and natural resource management
- ✓ Sustainable agriculture
- ✓ Infrastructure & sanitation
- ✓ Youth development
- ✓ Organizational capacity development
- ✓ Education
- ✓ Small Business enterprise
- ✓ Translation and Interpretation



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Description of Responsibilities

- ✓ **Communication and outreach:** Managing relationships with all partners, including La Coordinadora-Asociación Mangle, Deans and MIIS Faculty, FSSCA/EcoViva staff, and in-country coordinators. Includes meeting, making presentations to and communicating regularly with the student body, faculty/staff, and project coordinators.
- ✓ **Program development:** Working directly with in-country staff to plan, develop, implement, manage and evaluate project work. Responsible for leading a small team of 3-4 MIIS students.
- ✓ **Fundraising and Marketing:** Includes supporting Global Giving project sites, developing and expanding fundraising strategies to sustain Team Monterey activities, and creating and distributing marketing materials and communication.
- ✓ **Logistics:** Help plan trips and excursions, assist in organizing meetings and trainings, reserving locations, and research cost-effective tickets and prices for team activities.
- ✓ **Updating and developing website content and social media sites:** Maintain TM communication channels including the TM Blog, Twitter and Facebook accounts; Archive and maintain TM documents in Google docs and management of electronic applications.
- ✓ **Recruitment and Community engagement:** Actively promote and recruit TM 5 participants (January 2011) as well as Summer Internship, DPPI Plus, and IPS placement opportunities. Develop platforms to engage community and establish strategic partnerships to strengthen TM project work.

Ideal Candidates will:

- Speak, write and read Spanish at a 400 level
- Understand the mission and goals of TM El Salvador and El Salvadoran history and culture
- Have strong communication and organizational skills
- Have experience living and working in rural communities of Latin America (or other developing countries)
- Have a lucid understanding of the unpredictable nature of development work
- Be personable, dynamic, patient, flexible and adaptable to changing program and project demands
- Have experience with fundraising
- Develop and deliver compelling presentations to MIIS faculty, prospective team members, etc. Executive management and staff



Generally, each project platform incorporates administration of surveys for data collection in local communities, evaluation and implementation, developing and facilitating workshops, conducting interviews and focus groups, conducting needs assessments, and participation in meetings with LC-AM staff and community members.



Each project will demand creativity, patience, and flexibility in the design and implementation phases. Each team leader will be responsible for managing one project platform.

Leadership terms last from spring of 2010 through spring of 2011. In addition to January travel, a leadership-only strategic planning trip (typically 5-6 days, including travel) will be required sometime towards the end of the 2010 summer timeframe (target mid August). **MIIS funding available*

Students from all MIIS programs are encouraged to apply. We look forward to receiving your application!

Team Monterey 4 Leadership Team

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