



## **Show Me Campaign Fellowship 2013**

“Show Me” is a song that charts a conversation about the state of the world and the individual’s place in it. Exploration of these themes led to the Show Me Campaign, which was launched as a platform through which people could improve the world.

The mission of the Show Me Campaign is to break the cycle of poverty by investing in solutions that have been proven to improve people’s lives.

The Show Me Campaign Fellowship Program, launched in 2009, encourages young people who are dedicated to helping improve the world. The Fellowship provides \$3000 stipends for college students who have unpaid internships during the summer of 2013 in the following areas:

- International development, specifically eradicating global poverty
- Improving education in the United States

John Legend, Grammy award-winning musician and founder of the Show Me Campaign, provides the inspiration for the Fellowship program.

John believes that a commitment to social justice means turning down some of the noise and clutter of our daily lives and stopping to think about the way others live. He believes that developing a sense of empathy leads to caring and that caring leads to action.

Show Me Campaign Fellows are leaders committed to social justice. They are persons who witness injustice and act on it. They want to improve the world and inspire others to join them.

The Show Me Campaign Fellows program is now accepting applications for the summer 2013 program. The deadline to apply for the summer 2013 program is **May 10, 2013**.

### **Eligibility**

Applicants must:

- Be enrolled at an accredited college or university in the spring of 2013
- Have a predetermined unpaid internship with a registered 501(c)3 organization
- Be a United States citizen

Fellows will develop and submit a personal profile and a host organization profile that will be posted on the Show Me Campaign Fellows blog (<http://showmefellows.tumblr.com/>). Responsibilities include submitting 3 written or video entries over the course of the summer highlighting the community in



which you are working, your host organization's mission and goals, and demonstrable measures of the progress and impact being achieved. Fellows are also asked to share information that will help others become more informed of issues related to the mission of the Show Me Campaign.

Fellows will receive the \$3,000 stipend after their internship is completed and if their profiles and blogs were maintained throughout the summer.

Please contact [fellowship@showmecampaign.org](mailto:fellowship@showmecampaign.org) with any questions.

## **Application Process**

Materials must be submitted by email before Friday, May 10, 2013 at 11:59 p.m. EST to [fellowship@showmecampaign.org](mailto:fellowship@showmecampaign.org).

In order to be eligible to be considered for the Show Me Campaign Fellowship please be sure to include the following items in your application by Wednesday, May 8, 2013 at 11:59 p.m. EST. *Incomplete or late applications will not be reviewed.*

1. Current Resume or CV
2. Statement of Purpose
  - a. OPTION A: Provide a 2-4 minute video proposal describing your internship project. Answer the following questions:
    - i. What organization are you interning with?
    - ii. How does your internship relate to the mission and vision of the Show Me Campaign?
    - iii. How does this internship relate to your larger personal or career goals in the area of international development or education in the United States?
    - iv. What are the quantitative and qualitative measures that you will use to evaluate the success of your internship?
    - v. If you do not receive this fellowship, how will this affect your ability to complete an unpaid internship?
  - b. OPTION B: Provide a written statement of purpose (No longer than 500 words) describing your internship project. Answer the same questions from Option A.
3. Sponsor Letter - the Show Me Campaign Fellowship requires documentation confirming your internship from an employee at the organization where you will be interning
4. 2013 Summer Personal Budget (no longer than 1 page)
5. Unofficial transcript
6. Student Application Form (attached)
7. Show Me Campaign Online Community Participation Pledge (attached)



**Show Me Campaign Fellowship 2013 Application Form**

Full Name:

Address:

Email:

Tel. No.:

School and intended Major and Degree:

Expected Graduation Year:

How did you hear about the Show Me Campaign Fellowship?

Internship organization:

Location of internship placement:

Internship dates (start and end dates):

Organization contact person (name and title):

Organization contact person email:

Organization contact person tel. no.:



## **Show Me Campaign Fellowship Pledge**

I have read the Show Me Campaigns Fellowship Program information package and instructions. I completely understand all responsibilities associated with the award.

I have discussed my role and responsibility with my internship organization. If selected as a Show Me Campaign Fellow, I agree to meet all required responsibilities on time and to the highest standard. I commit that I will dedicate myself full time to my Show Me Campaign Fellowship work during the period stated above unless specified to the contrary in my application.

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Signature

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Date

## **Show Me Campaign Online Community Participation Pledge**

If selected as a Show Me Campaign Fellow, I pledge to develop one (1) personal profile and one (1) organization profile for the organization with which I volunteer within the Show Me Campaign Fellows blog (<http://showmefellows.tumblr.com/>). My responsibilities include posting at least 3 blog entries highlighting the community in which I am working, my internship organization's mission and goals, and demonstrable measures of the progress and impact being achieved. I will share information that will help others become more informed on using education to end poverty.

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Signature

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Date