

On-Campus Internship Opportunity



KRCU Newscast Reporter Internship

Announcement

Hours per week:

Varies according to work demand, but should average fifteen hours per week. Must be available to work during the weekends and holidays.

Summary:

Duties include: Gathering audio in the field, over the telephone, and in the studio; quickly write news stories for broadcast, online, and social media distribution; generate story ideas; develop a list of contacts; use field equipment and audio production software; flexibility to work a variety of hours and work under strict deadline pressure; use NPR style of news writing and production; follow a given beat, but open to accept general assignments.

The Newscast Reporter Intern is expected to write a minimum of three 175-word stories per week and two 800-word in-depth features per semester.

This internship offers a rewarding opportunity to gain experience in research, journalism, and broadcasting. The intern will be treated as a professional capable of producing professional results.

Qualifications:

- Excellent communication skills.
- Ability to speak clearly and effectively.
- · Familiarity with journalism and interview techniques.
- · Knowledge of current events.
- · Willingness to collaborate as part of a team.
- · A valid driver's license and access to a car.
- · Able to work unsupervised with a high degree of responsibility.
- · Insatiable curiosity and the ability to work independently.
- Ability to develop story ideas and pitch them to supervisors.
- · Willing to work as early as 5:00 a.m. & as late as Midnight.
- Ability to work with daily deadlines.

Deadline:

Open Until Filled. Please stop by the KRCU Studios, Room 205 Serena on the Southeast Missouri State University campus to pick up an application during regular business hours (Monday – Friday, 8:00am – 5:00pm). For more information contact **Jacob McCleland** at imccleland@semo.edu.

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