Delta Institute-Loyola IES Internship Program

**Delta Institute-Loyola IES Internship Program Description:**
One internship will be available for the Spring 2018 semester at the Delta Institute. The student will work **10-13 hours per week for one 15-week semester** at a rate of $11 per hour for up to a maximum of $2,000 per semester. If the student is an excellent intern for the Delta Institute, and desires to stay on longer in order to advance the project they are working on, they are eligible to apply for an extension of their internship for an additional semester or summer. The projects and/or case(s) on which the student will assist are determined by the Delta Institute, and are subject to change depending on their level of urgency and importance. **The student is expected to develop a work schedule that allows the Delta Institute to know when they can rely on the student intern being present.** The student can take the internship for Experiential Learning/Internship credit, and both the Delta Institute staff and the IES Associate Dean for Academic Affairs will be involved in drafting expectations for course credit and conducting assessments of the student’s progress.

**IMPORTANT!** Since this internship is funded by Loyola University and hours are logged in KRONOS, the total number of weekly hours cannot exceed 19.5 hours for all Loyola positions combined.

**Application and Selection Process:**
To be considered for this position, **students will submit a 1-page resume which should include pertinent courses and experiences, and a 1-page statement of purpose which outlines what they hope to do with their career, and how this internship could help them advance their goals and enrich their Loyola experience.** Students submit these materials to Ms. Eniko Racz (eracz@luc.edu) by January 5, 2018. The applications will be reviewed by a committee of Delta Institute and IES faculty/staff, and one candidate will be selected. Students will be notified by January 19, 2018.

**January-May Delta Institute -IES Internship opportunities:**

**Ecosystems Team Intern**
The Delta Institute is a nonprofit organization formed in 1998 that works in partnership with business, government and communities in the Great Lakes region to create and implement innovative, market-driven solutions. Delta works to build environmental resilience, economic vitality and healthy communities. You can learn more about Delta Institute at [www.delta-institute.org](http://www.delta-institute.org).

Delta Institute offers its interns a unique, hands-on learning experience in a fast paced nonprofit environment. Interns will have the opportunity to do program work across three strategic priority areas: energy, ecosystems, and waste. Interns will work in collaboration with Delta’s diverse and experienced staff to help create and implement innovative, market-driven solutions that build environmental resilience, economic vitality and healthy communities.
Each intern is supported by three designated staff contacts to ensure an educational internship filled with skill building and real-world experience.

For this particular internship, the intern will primarily work with the ecosystems team and assist with data, research and analysis with projects that are focused in the areas of agriculture, climate, water and forestry. He or she will be tasked with providing assistance to our team working on the Ohio River Basin Trading Project. Duties include but are not limited to: literature reviews, data research and analysis, model computations and economic analysis. The intern will also be expected to assist other professional staff across the strategic priority areas, as needed. At the end of the internship, interns conduct a presentation to staff highlighting their accomplishments during their time at Delta.

We are looking for a motivated, independent professional with strong research and writing skills and an environmental science or science background. Intern must be well organized, eager to learn, able to commit to a regular schedule, and able to communicate clearly and frequently with Supervisor.