

SPEND YOUR
SUMMER
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SOMETHING
THAT JUST
MIGHT
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YOUR LIFE.



"SUMMIT is a wonderful growing experience that helped me gain leadership skills, explore my desired field of study, and learn more about God."

Elyse Donhowe, SUMMIT 2006



WHAT IS SUMMIT?

SUMMIT (SUMmer MIssion Team) is a summer internship for college-age young adults who want to work in the community and the church to make a difference in the world. SUMMIT provides participants with the opportunity to give of themselves, share their experiences with fellow team members, and gain valuable internship experience.

JUST THE FACTS...

- SUMMIT begins in late May or early June and concludes in early/mid-August.
- Team members work 20-25 hours per week for 10 weeks.
- SUMMIT includes working in the community, serving in the church, and spending small-group time together.
- Each team member receives a \$2,000 scholarship for participating in SUMMIT.

HOW IT WORKS...

Participants work at local social service agencies to help people in need in our community. In past years, interns have been placed at agencies such as Habitat for Humanity, Churches United Shelter, Refugee Cooperative Ministry, Amanda the Panda, Shalom Zone Ministries, and others. Every effort is made to match team members with the agencies that best meet their goals.

Team members may assist with Westminster's Vacation Bible School or have the option of helping with the church's fine arts camp. In addition, interns will participate in special group projects, mission activities, faith development, fellowship time, and planning meetings.

WHO CAN APPLY?

Applicants must be recent high school graduates or college students. Membership at Westminster Church is not required – community members are also encouraged to apply. All applicants will be considered, but the number of SUMMIT team members is limited. Applicants are encouraged to apply by Sunday, April 17, 2011. For more information, or to receive an application, contact Lynda Albaugh, 274-1534 or lalbaugh@westpres.org.

"...this experience has been awesome. I have learned a lot about myself, the world, and my faith."

Nick Redmond, SUMMIT 2003

"They've taught me things about this world that I was completely blind to... that's probably what makes the internship so rewarding."

Jenica Tibboel, SUMMIT 2002
(Speaking about her work at Refugee Cooperative Ministry)

"SUMMIT was a wonderful and life-changing experience for me. It guided me toward my calling – social work."

Erin Davison, SUMMIT 2000



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