



# Be a Leader. Shape a Leader. Hire a Summer Search Intern.



## WHO?

Summer Search is a national youth-development program with a 20-year record of success. We identify low-income, resilient, high-performing Boston high-school students. Then, we inspire and train the young people to become leaders. 97% of Summer Search students go to college – compared to 33% of their low-income peers. Despite numerous obstacles, they've made it to competitive colleges – UMass, Colby, Spelman, Bentley, Tufts, BU, Northeastern, MIT, Harvard and more. Now, 40 of our college students are looking for a summer internship that will give them a chance to apply what they've learned in a professional setting.

## WHEN?

Summer 2010. You decide how many weeks.

## COST?

We suggest students be paid \$10-20/hour.

## WHERE?

We're looking for summer internships in a broad range of organizations: Banks, investment houses, law firms, doctors' & dentists' offices, daycare centers, advertising agencies, hospitals, engineering firms – you name it, and there is likely be a Summer Search student interested.

## WHY?

Summer Search has a rigorous selection process. Our students have worked with us *weekly* throughout 3 years of high school. We've sent them on two summer trips – one risk-taking outdoor trip like Outward Bound, another overseas to live with a family or to do community service, like teaching school in Ghana. They know how to thrive in unfamiliar situations. They know what it takes to get the job done.

### Hiring a Summer Search college student will:

- > Add a hardworking, motivated young person to your team
- > Train Boston's next generation of professionals
- > Help your organization "do well by doing good"

**YOU'LL BE IN GOOD COMPANY** The following organizations hire Summer Search interns: Choate Hall & Stewart, LLP, Corby Capital Markets, MGH, Grand Circle Travel, Harvard Business School, Loomis Sayles, John Snow Inc., King Fish Media, Shawmut Design & Construction, Dana Farber, and more ....

**HERE'S WHAT A SUMMER SEARCH INTERN HAS TO SAY:** "Working at Loomis Sayles reminds me that efficient collaboration is nothing without cooperation. Each day I walked into the office I knew I was more than just an intern. I was a member of the team. Loomis allowed me to apply classroom applications to the workforce, which has enabled me to grow as a writer and a leader." *Marie Pierre, Babson College, class of 2008*

**HERE'S WHAT A SUMMER SEARCH EMPLOYER SAYS:** "My Summer Search intern added a fresh perspective to the research projects she worked on, and in doing so made a unique and valuable contribution to my work and to the team." *Modupe Akinola, Harvard Business School*

## NEXT STEPS:

For more information, contact: Ines Ariceta, Summer Search Alumni Coordinator, at [iariceta@summersearch.org](mailto:iariceta@summersearch.org), or (617) 524-9911.

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