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Accepting applications in March 2022



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APPLICATION GUIDE 2022
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
SUMMER INTERNSHIP



Summer Internship 2022

About the Adamson Lab Internship Opportunity

The Adamson Lab welcomes aspiring High School Juniors and Seniors interested in volunteering within Health Sciences.

Interested applicants will be partnered with a mentor, usually a postdoc or research assistant, and will be asked to complete critical tasks such as reviewing research papers, conducting scientific literature searches, and observing data collection.

Successful applicants will get experience and learn about Psychology and Counseling, Neuroscience, Ergonomics, and Disability & Rehabilitation Science.

Volunteers will create a poster based on the research they were involved in, have the opportunity to be acknowledged on research papers, and receive college and other recommendations.

Who can apply?

All requirements must be met.

- Must currently be a high school junior or senior in the 2021-2022 school year (i.e.. in the 11th or 12th grade at the time of application) OR a full-time Community College (CC) student and within the first three years of CC.
- High school juniors and seniors must be aged between 14-18 years (inclusive) by June 21. Full-time CC students, must be within the ages of 17-21 years (inclusive) by June 21.
- Must currently reside in the US and/or be a US citizen



How do I apply?

Submit an application form.

To apply for the 2022 internship at the Adamson Lab, you must:

- Complete and submit an internship application by March 2022.
- All submissions should be sent to the Lab Manager Kaitly Zhu via email kaitly.zhu@va.gov.

Do I get paid?

Financial assistance.

The internship is unpaid, however, if commuting to the lab or participating in our program will pose a financial burden, please let us know in your application.

What is the start date?

Dates are approximate.

The internship program for Summer 2022 will be 8 weeks long.

Students are expected to attend the entire duration of the internship.

- Start date: June 20, 2022
- End date: August 12, 2022

Interns may be able to continue volunteering in the Lab after the internship ends.



Contact Information

Please complete every section

Name:

Address:

City:

Zip Code

State:

High School Name:

Phone

Email:

Your Availability

List the beginning and end dates you want to do an internship:

List the days and times you are available for work?

List any dates that you will not be available ?

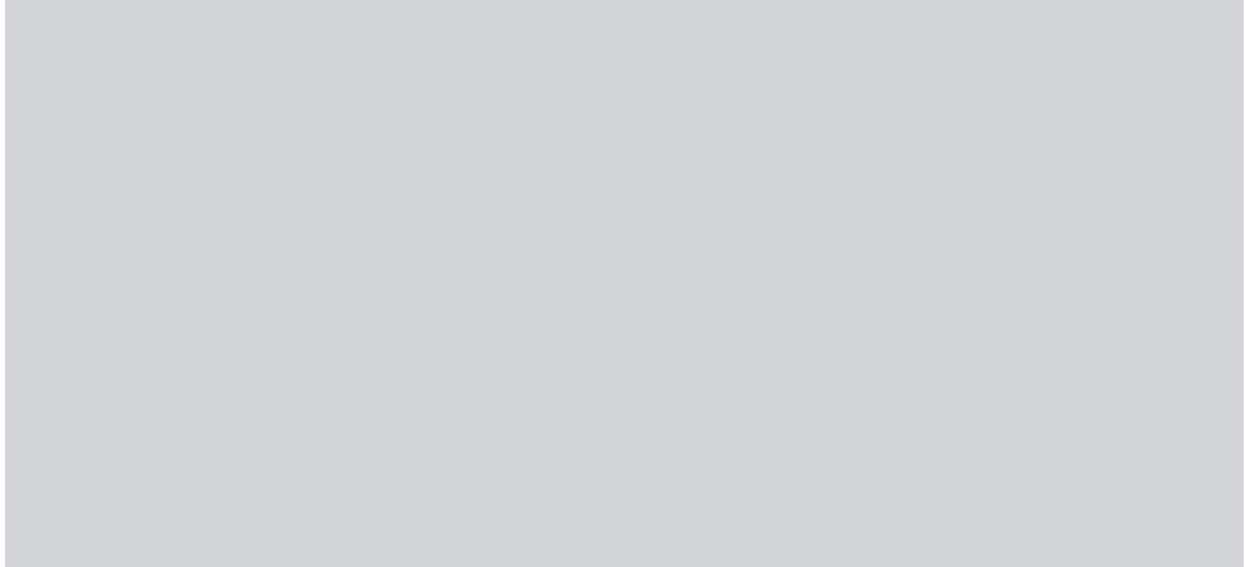


About You

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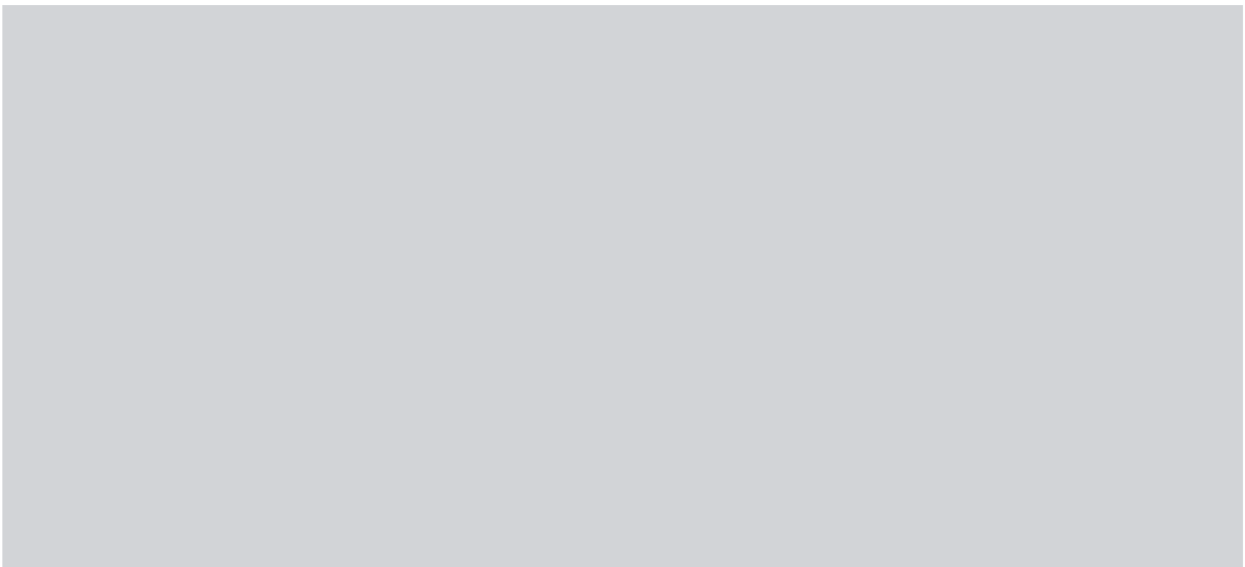
What are you most passionate about learning and why?

Describe the subjects or topics that you are interested in, and give examples of how you've pursued your passions in the past.



How would your best friend describe you?

Consider the strengths, qualities, and unique role and value you provide or have in your friend's life, give examples.

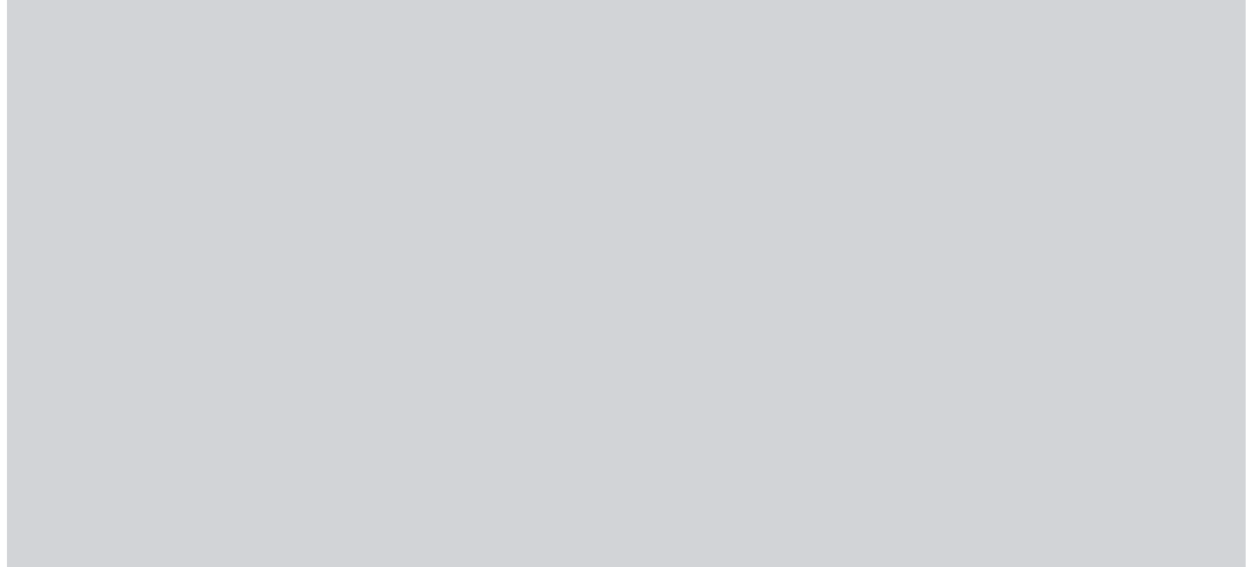


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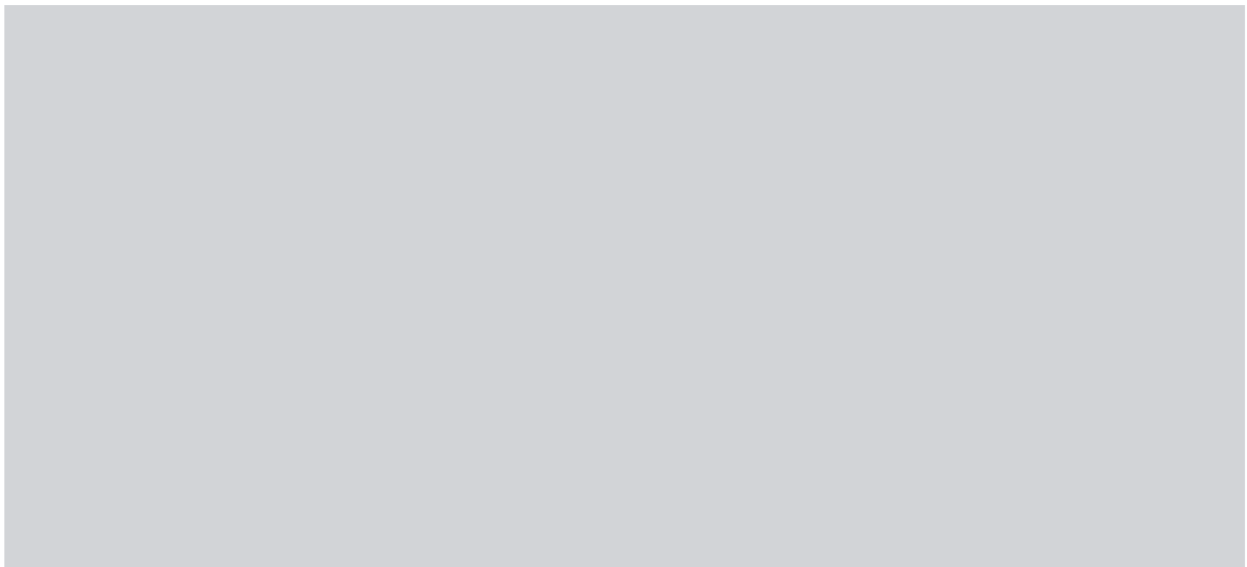
What unique abilities do you have, and in what ways do you want to contribute to the Adamson Lab?

Describe any student organizations, job experiences, additional course work, skills, prior internships or volunteer experiences that you have that will help you with this internship.



What skills or experiences do you hope to gain from an internship at the Adamson Lab?

Describe your career goals and how an internship at the Adamson Lab will help you reach those goals. Be specific about the experiences you want to gain through this internship and why you believe this internship can provide such an experience.



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What are your goals after graduation?

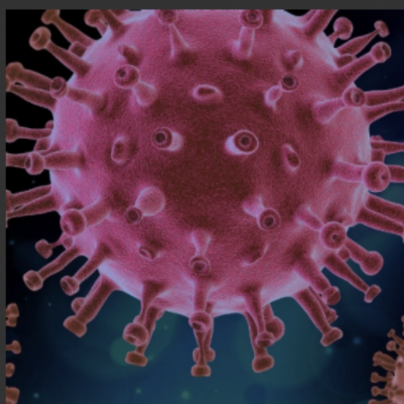
Describe how you imagine yourself in 1 year and 5 years from now, and how an internship in the Adamson Lab will help you in achieving your personal goals ambitions.

What do you know about the Adamson Lab and what questions do you still have?

Consider what research we are conducting and what you'd like to be involved in. Add details of potential team members or particular aspects about the internship that you'd like to know more about.

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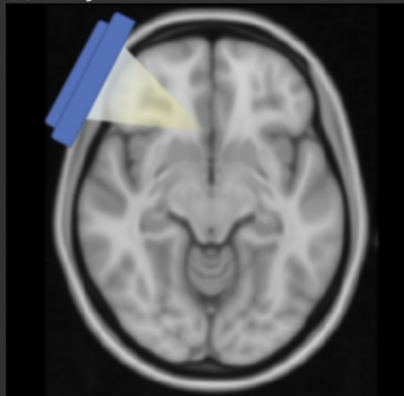
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