

INTERN APPLICATION

Personal Information

Last name First name

Street Address

City State/Province Zip

Country Tel. (cell) E-mail

You must be at least 18 years of age to be considered for an internship with PETA.

Are you 18 years of age or older? Yes No

Interns may be asked to drive on PETA business. Requirements to drive on PETA business include the following: You must be at least 21 years of age, you must have a current valid U.S. driver's license with a minimum of three years' driving experience, and you must have a clean driving record.

Do you meet all these requirements? Yes No

If you answered "No," please tell us why.

If accepted, you will need to purchase a copy of your current driving record and take it with you. Please give PETA the receipt if you would like to be reimbursed for the cost.

General Internship Information

Dates You Are Available: Start date: Month Day Year

End date: Month Day Year

Preferred Length of Internship: Months Weeks

Note: Internships are scheduled for periods ranging from two weeks to six months.

If accepted, would you require housing? Yes No

Please check one: Female Male

Please review the list of internship positions below and list your first and second position preferences.

First Position Preference

Second Position Preference

Additional Information

Are you vegetarian or vegan? Yes No

If yes, please tell us why you became vegetarian or vegan.

If "No," are you willing to practice a vegan lifestyle while at PETA? Yes No

Have you applied for an internship or employment with this organization before? Yes No



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757-622-0457 (FAX)

PETA.org
Info@peta.org

**Please complete this
application and
return this form to:**

PETA
Intern Program
Supervisor
501 Front St.
Norfolk, VA 23510
757-962-8412
AngelaC@petaf.org

Thank you for your
interest in interning
with PETA. If we are
not able to place you
at this time, we will
keep your application
on file for six months.

If yes, please list the date(s) that you applied and whether you were accepted.

Are you interning for school credit? Yes No

If yes, for which school?

Are you a PETA member, activist, or Street Teamer? Yes No

If yes, please list which one and describe your involvement.

Additional Questions

Please write a short paragraph (250 words or less) for each of the following questions.

1. Why do you want to intern for PETA?
2. What qualities define you as a worker?
3. Describe your involvement in animal rights.
4. Please browse the PETA Web site and describe which animal rights issue is the most important to you and why.
5. Please look at our Web site, review our stance on euthanasia at www.helpinganimals.com/i-euth.html. and let us know if you agree or disagree. Do you agree? Yes No
If "Yes," please tell us why. If "No," please tell us why not.
6. Please review our "I'd Rather Go Naked Than Wear Fur" campaign at www.furisdead.com, and tell us if you agree with the campaign or disagree. Do you agree? Yes No
If "Yes," please tell us why. If "No," please tell us why not.

References (volunteer, work, or school-related)

Please attach three letters of recommendation (volunteer, work, or school-related).

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

I attest that the information that I have provided is true to the best of my knowledge, and I grant PETA permission to contact the above-named references.

By applying for an internship at PETA, you will automatically be signed up to receive PETA's e-news and special announcements. You may also receive emails from PETA's international affiliates, and your signature below indicates your agreement to do so.

Applicant's signature _____

Date _____

Below is a list of departments that currently have internship programs. Please select exactly two departments according to your skills, interests, and abilities.

Communications works with local, national, and international media organizations as well as celebrities to spread the word about animal rights.

Corporate Affairs engages and influences external entities (e.g., companies, nongovernmental organizations, government agencies) through direct negotiations. Corporate Affairs includes the Caring Consumer program, which promotes a cruelty-free lifestyle and publishes a list of charities and companies whose business practices do not include animal testing. Corporate Affairs also oversees the planning and implementation of shareholder-advocacy campaigns.

The **Cruelty Investigations Department (CID)** handles a wide range of issues that affect domestic animals, including criminal cases of abuse and neglect, cruelty in the commercial pet industry, animal shelters, dogfighting, and dog chaining. CID also strives to make legislative changes for animals by mobilizing PETA members to support proposed pro-animal legislation and guiding citizens on what they can do to make a difference for animals.

Customer Service gathers and distributes animal rights materials worldwide to spread PETA's message that animals are not ours to eat, wear, experiment on, or use for entertainment. The Customer Service Department works to encourage compassion for all beings through a variety of literature and merchandise that it makes available by mail, e-mail, and fax and through PETA's Web sites.

The PETA Foundation's **Information Technology (IT) department** develops and maintains PETA's software programs and operating and networking systems to assist users with day-to-day technical and computer-related issues. IT also provides services to troubleshoot connectivity and networking issues.

The PETA Foundation's **Interactive Media Group** creates and manages PETA's Web sites. PETA operates a variety of Web sites that educate people on issues such as going vegetarian, not using fur, ending animal experimentation, and promoting animal welfare. The Interactive Media Group includes Web designers, project managers, and coordinators who create, post, and maintain PETA's Web pages, Web sites, and e-cards.

International Grassroots Campaigns (IGC) coordinates PETA's major campaigns, which promote the principle that animals are not ours to eat, wear, experiment on, or use for entertainment, and organizes all of PETA's grassroots outreach activities, including demonstrations and tabling events. IGC works both on a local level by promoting grassroots activism and nationally through PETA's major campaigns. IGC's goal is to keep animal rights constantly in the public consciousness, and it achieves this through holding demonstrations, writing Web features, sending letters to corporations, and other activities.

The **Laboratory Investigations Department (LID)** spearheads campaigns and conducts behind-the-scenes work in behalf of animals in laboratories. LID works with the International Grassroots Campaigns Department to design successful campaigns. LID also works with governmental bodies, including the Department of Health and Human Services, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and other agencies, to ensure that existing laws and regulations are enforced. LID's motto, "Modernizing Research, Replacing Animals," reflects its commitment to advancing scientific knowledge by promoting sophisticated, non-animal experimentation methods.

Marketing acts as a consultant to the entire organization. Marketing is active in many departments and areas, including online marketing (e.g., all of PETA's Web sites, e-mail campaigns, e-news), traditional marketing (e.g., advertising, public service announcements, merchandising), and assistance with a variety of projects that define and brand PETA.

Writers Group is responsible for corresponding with members and activists about animal rights, writing for *Animal Times* and other PETA publications, and generating op-ed pieces, articles, and letters to the editor.

The **Youth Outreach Division** is responsible for bringing PETA's message to people under the age of 24. The PETA Kids program communicates PETA's animal rights message to kids under the age of 13 in an age-appropriate way, using language that they understand. The peta2 program brings animal rights issues to the 13 to 24 age demographic through the words of their favorite musicians, extreme-sports athletes, and celebrities.