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WSU VISTA Fellows Opportunities – Accepting Applications NOW

VISTA members are passionate and committed to their mission to bring individuals and communities out of poverty. Members make a year-long, full-time commitment to serve on a specific project at a nonprofit organization and earn a modest living allowance of \$12,500. After a successful year of service, members are eligible for an Education Award of \$6,000 or post-service stipend. Current and past members are also eligible to apply for a \$2,000 WSU scholarship and other supports. More information is available at www.VISTAcampus.gov.

To be a VISTA, apply at my.AmeriCorps.gov

Wichita

KanCare Ombudsman

- Help Medicaid help Kansas! Provide structure and sustainability to a volunteer program that helps Kansans make the most out of KanCare. Housed in Wichita: our office is in Old Town.

Community Credit Counseling Services

- Join us in assisting with financial literacy programs with our long standing organization. It is a rewarding way to make a difference for those living in poverty.

McPherson

STEPMC (Steps to End Poverty of McPherson County)

- Looking to develop your skills in volunteer coordination and marketing? Want to do it while working to eliminate homelessness and poverty? Check out this opportunity in the heart of Kansas.

Olathe/Overland Park

GoodLife's Neighborhood Network

- Help break the cycle of poverty by empowering independence in seniors and those with disabilities through generating support, funding, and volunteer capacity.

KanCare Ombudsman (fall position)

- Help improving the quality of life and access to services for Medicaid-eligible Kansans who meet state guidelines including elderly, those with disabilities, children and families. Works with Topeka from an office in Olathe.

St. John

Develop Employment Opportunities VISTA, Stafford Co. Economic Development, St. John, KS

- Join a team with a passion for entrepreneurship and keeping rural Kansas alive through coalition building efforts and expanding cultural amenities.

Two VISTA Leader Openings

1 year of previous AmeriCorps, Peace Corps experience required

The VISTA Leaders will expand and enhance VISTA project by recruiting VISTA members, orchestrating trainings, maintaining regular communication with VISTAs, tracking and reviewing weekly reports, promote member success stories and assembling data for reporting. The VISTA Leader will support the activities of approximately 10 VISTAs who are working to alleviate poverty by building capacity in their sites focusing on education, economic opportunities and healthy futures. Positions are located in CEI's Old Town office.

For more information contact WSU VISTA Leaders: G'Tobia Washington at gtobia.washington@wichita.edu, 316-779-4049 and Wakeelah Martinez at wakeelah.martinez@wichita.edu, 316-978-6502



Short-term AmeriCorps Fellows Be the Greater Good



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AmeriCorps is your moment to take the path less traveled, to break the status quo, to stop talking about the problem and be the solution. Join AmeriCorps and you can mentor and tutor kids, rebuild a community after disaster, help veterans, or work with local communities to alleviate poverty. WSU AmeriCorps members serve part time for a set number of months at education-focused programs around the city. They receive a modest stipend, become eligible for an Education Award after successful service, and are eligible to apply for a \$2,000 WSU scholarship.

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Girl Scouts (6 positions)

- From campfires to hiking, sunsets and s'mores, assist girls as they navigate the joys of summer camp. Our goal is to provide girls with opportunities to experience the outdoors in a safe, fun, nurturing and engaging setting

Rainbows United (3 positions)

- Gain experience with kids and education! Rainbows Kids' Point is an inclusive program that serves 60 children ages 2 weeks to 5 years, including 18 with developmental delay or health concern. Experienced staff welcome you!

***For more information contact WSU AmeriCorps Associate: Elizabeth Wenger:
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Full-time Summer Associate Opportunities

Summer Associate VISTA members are passionate and committed to their mission to bring individuals and communities out of poverty. Members serve full-time for 9-weeks at a nonprofit organization and earn a modest living allowance of \$2,150. After a successful summer of service, members are eligible for an Education Award of \$1,250 or post-service stipend of \$311. Current and past members are also eligible to apply for a \$2,000 WSU scholarship and other supports.

***To be a Summer Associate VISTA, contact G'Tobia Washington:
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