

World Hunger Relief, Inc.
Internship Application Form

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Date Application Submitted: _____

Date Applied For: _____

Birth Date: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Citizenship: _____

Address: _____

Gender: M / F

Passport #: _____

Country of Issue: _____

Office Use

List three references. Indicate the relationship each reference has to you (employer, pastor, teacher, friend). Include at least one church and one work reference.

Name: _____ E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____ Relationship: _____ Years Known: _____

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Section I:

1. Please list your present employment or occupation, as well as all employment for the past 5 years.

Employer & Address	Job Title	Dates	Duties	Reason for Leaving

3. List your educational history. Include any schooling in which you are currently enrolled.

	School	Dates	Subject Areas	Degree
University		From: To:		
Secondary School		From: To:		
Technical/ ShortCourses		From: To:		
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4. List any extracurricular activities in which you have participated. List organizations, sports, hobbies, special skills, etc.

Organizations	Dates	Activities Performed
Sports		
Hobbies		
Special Skills		

5. List any cross-cultural experiences you have had. List countries or situations, purpose of encounters, and length of encounters.

Country or Situation	Purpose	Length

6. List your church affiliation.

Church Name	Address	Phone Number	Pastor's Name	Period of Association	Level of Involvement

7. List your spouse and/or your children below. Do your spouse and/or children plan on accompanying you to the U.S. for the internship, or do they plan on visiting you at any time during the internship?

	Name	Age	Will they accompany?	Will they visit?
Spouse				
Children				

9. If you are a foreign citizen, have you visited the United States? If so, when, where, and for what reason?

10. Have you ever been denied a visa to the United States? If so, why?

11. Have you ever been deported from the United States? If so, why?

12. Do you need financial support for any period of time during the internship at WHRI? Y/N

If yes, what are your needs? Please be specific in listing your needs. How will you meet these needs?

13. Does your local church support you in joining World Hunger Relief, Inc? Will they prayerfully support your work here?

14. Do you have any physical or mental disabilities, illnesses, or allergies? Y/N

If yes, please describe:

15. Please include a recent picture of yourself.

Section II:

Please answer the following questions to help us learn more about you. Answer each question completely.

1. How did you learn about World Hunger Relief, Inc. and our internship program?

2. What parts of the WHRI internship program caused you to want to apply?

3. What issues or concerns are most important in directing your life? How do these relate to sustainable agriculture and development work?

4. What are your personal strengths?

5. What are your personal weaknesses?

6. What skills do you have you that directly relate to our programs in agriculture, animal husbandry?
Please include technical skills in such areas as machinery, repair, carpentry, etc.

7. Describe your spiritual life and journey. What has God done in your life and what is God doing now?
How does your spiritual life affect your decision-making?

8. Describe your history of ministry towards your friends, family, and local community.

9. What leadership experiences have you had?

10. Describe experiences in your life that demonstrate self-motivation, creativity, flexibility.

11. What accomplishments in your life have given you the most satisfaction?

12. Describe one or two people who have significantly affected your life.

13. How do you plan to use WHRI training to better serve the poor of your country or of other countries?

Please provide contact information for someone we can contact in the event of an emergency:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Relationship to you: _____

RESPONSIBILITY RELEASE

If I accept an internship appointment, I understand that World Hunger Relief, Inc., P.O. Box 639, Elm Mott, Texas 76640, does not assume any responsibility for loss of property, damage to the same, personal harm or illness that may occur; and I, for myself, my heirs, executors, and administrators do hereby absolve WHRI and hold them harmless from any claim of demand which I or they might conceivably assert upon the basis of the foregoing.

Name: _____
(please print)

Signed _____

Date _____

Information for Interns

LIVING EXPENSES

World Hunger Relief, Inc. will provide you with living quarters, food, training, and travel to one training conference. You are responsible for covering all other expenses. Such expenses may include, but are not limited to:

- ~Transportation to and from World Hunger Relief, Inc.
- ~Long-distance and international phone calls
- ~Travel or entertainment

LIFE AT THE FARM

World Hunger Relief, Inc. is a working farm. Your time here will be highly interactive with other members of the World Hunger Relief, Inc. community, a wide variety of animals and plants, and the land itself. Interns who live at World Hunger Relief, Inc. share a kitchen, sometimes a bedroom and bathroom, and all farm work and household chores. Everyone works together and cooking and chores are assigned on a rotating basis. Mornings at World Hunger Relief, Inc. begin with a group devotional and work assignment meeting and we share in a community meal during the lunch hour. Public consumption of alcohol is not permitted on the WHRI property.

VISAS

If we apply for your visa, it will be a training visa that allows you to come to the United States for one year. This visa does not allow you to work and earn money while you are in the United States. In order to obtain your visa, it is important that you complete the application in detail. For example, when asked for your current employment, please do not answer only "self-employed." Please tell us about your work and business.

World Hunger Relief, Inc. provides training and education in small-scale, sustainable agriculture. Although we do use a tractor for some tasks, we do not make large farm machinery a central feature of our agricultural work. Our farm is operated organically, thus we do not use synthetic fertilizers, pesticides, or herbicides. Because we are a working, commercial farm, interns are expected to take an active role in both management and labor. A significant portion of your learning experiences will take place through hands-on, physical labor on the farm. In addition, we will schedule classes and assign weekly readings but we also expect you to take significant initiative in pursuing learning beyond our basic curriculum. Finally, you will be living in community with other Christians, and as such you will need to be committed to effective communication and participation in social and spiritual activities that mold us into a cohesive community.

Please sign or initial next to each of the following statements to indicate that you understand:

_____ I agree to participate in manual work on the farm, including cleaning barns, planting, weeding, harvesting, milking, butchering, feeding, etc. for a minimum of 1/2 of each week day.

_____ I agree to complete required readings, and to participate in morning devotions, field trips and other learning experiences planned for interns.

_____ I understand that World Hunger Relief, Inc. will *not* teach me about mechanized farming (tractors and other large-scale machinery).

_____ I understand that while I am a World Hunger Relief, Inc. intern I will receive food and housing but am responsible for all other personal expenses.

_____ If I have been awarded a WHRI assistantship, I understand that I will receive a monthly stipend and health insurance in return for working in one of WHRI's income generating enterprises.

_____ I agree to share in dormitory chores, including cleaning, cooking, and to be respectful of other interns and residents.

_____ I agree to respect the policy of no public alcohol consumption on WHRI property.