



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

PODCAST INTERNSHIPS (2 remote positions, Winter/Spring 2022)

Term of Employment: 3 months, flexible start date

Compensation: \$20/hr., 30 hrs./month (\$1800 total per intern, paid in 3 monthly installments of \$600)

Description: The Humane Rescue Alliance seeks advanced undergraduate and graduate students with experience in public history, journalism, audio engineering, and related programs to assist with the production of a podcast. The podcast initiative is an outgrowth of the HRA's broader advocacy, outreach, and education initiatives to prevent suffering and strengthen the human-animal bond. The podcast will serve as a national resource for animal welfare issues by cross-pollinating thought leadership and convening eclectic conversations about the history and future of animal welfare in the United States.

The **Pre-Production Intern (Winter)** will work closely with the Special Projects Consultant to make key creative decisions that will determine editorial content, episode structure, and strategic objectives. They will assist with researching relevant subject matter, creating show topics and segments, identifying potential guests, developing interviews, designing a production schedule, and other related tasks. The successful candidate thrives on collaboration and possesses a creative vision for compelling storytelling.

The **Post-Production Intern (Spring)** will be primarily responsible for editing and mixing audio. They will work closely with the Special Projects Consultant during the editing process and assist with music selection, promotion, publishing, and other related tasks. The successful candidate has demonstrated experience in editing and mixing spoken-word audio and familiarity with podcast audio standards.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Demonstrated experience collaborating across disciplines or organizations to produce knowledge
- Demonstrated experience with digital media, podcast production, or audio projects
- Academic knowledge of animal welfare issues and topics from discipline-based study and/or personal perspective on human and animal relationships within a variety of contexts

About Us: With five campuses in the District of Columbia and New Jersey, the Humane Rescue Alliance is the largest animal services provider in our region, touching the lives of over 100,000 animals annually. Our Alliance organizations are committed to a people-focused, community-based approach to weaving a supportive network for vulnerable people and animals and tackling systemic challenges facing animals, people, and communities in our region and beyond, with the goal of saving more lives and providing the programs and resources so people and pets can stay together.

How To Apply: Please direct all inquiries and application materials (cover letter and resume or c.v.) with the subject line "Pre-Production Intern" or "Post-Production Intern" to Special Projects Consultant, Paula Tarankow (Ph.D., U.S. History) at ptarankow@humanerescuealliance.org. In your cover letter, please address how your academic background has prepared you for this internship, how it would help you reach your career goals, and what interests you about working for the HRA. Please also specify your work availability. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until both positions have been filled.