Job Title: Loyola Farm Operations Intern

Position Type: Internship with room and board included; monthly stipend provided.

Internship Learning Goals: To learn the workings of a two acre organic fruit and vegetable farm including field, greenhouse and hoop house production. Marketing and managing the Farm Stand for the summer will be part of this internship. Participating in our sustainable food operation including harvesting, processing and preserving produce for the winter.

Job Description: Working in all aspects of a sustainable food operation including but not limited to the following:

- Greenhouse management
- Hoop house management
- Field management
- Orchard, berries, permaculture management
- Succession planting
- Transplant vs direct seeding
- Plant sale May 22th
- LUREC farm stand
- Garden planning/layout design. Crop rotation
- Organic pest and weed management
- Working with kitchen: harvest schedule, communication, processing
- Produce to area restaurants: delivery, pricing, quality product
- Composting program with kitchen: transporting, communication
- General garden care: weeding, trellising, pruning, watering etc.
• Harvesting: highest quality, weighing and recording, storage

**Job Function:** an interest in or studying of Sustainable Agriculture or Urban Agriculture

**Number of Openings:** 2 full time interns

**Qualifications:** A current student of the Institute of Environmental Sustainability. Must be enrolled in ENVS 395 Internship at LUREC. Be able to work almost exclusively outside in rain or shine. Some strenuous work and lots of physical activity required. No experience in gardening necessary.

**Hours Required:** This is a full time internship, 40 hours a week including weekends.

**Internship Duration:** May 11 to August 15, 2016

**Compensation Details:** room and board plus $1,000 a month stipend

**Resume Receipt:** Please send application, resume and cover letter to the Farm Operations Manager Emily Zack by April 1, 2016:

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