

# Equine Internship CORRAL Neuse River Campus (Southeast Raleigh)

### Who are we?

CORRAL is a non-profit organization that provides an intervention program for at-risk, adolescent girls in the Triangle Area. Our participants may be "at-risk" due to trauma, neglect, abuse, socioeconomic status, or, more frequently, a combination of these situations. We use a holistic approach including Equine Assisted Psychotherapy, tutoring, mentoring, & vocational training. Our goal is to teach participants how to be in healthy relationships, knowing that this will lead to further transformational healing. The work we do can be hard at times, but the reward of seeing the lives of young women change for the better is what makes it all worth it.

# Who are you?

We are looking for passionate, motivated individuals. The non-profit life can get hectic at times, so we need detail-oriented self-starters that aren't afraid to ask questions and think in innovative ways. As a CORRAL intern, you have strong verbal and written communication skills, including public speaking and interpersonal communications. You are willing to resolve conflict and make big decisions. Although we do serious work at the farm, we don't always take ourselves so seriously. You'll thrive in our fun, collaborative environment that's filled with supportive people. While our team loves to work together and so do you, you also possess the ability to work independently with self-direction. Ideally, you also have prior experience with horses and/or farm management, and are interested in non-profit horse management.

#### About the internship

At CORRAL, we don't just give our interns leftover projects. Your time with us will be filled with opportunities to produce meaningful and impactful work. Our interns are exposed to a variety of aspects of running a non-profit and are given organizational ownership over their projects. We value growth as a team and as individuals, so interns will work closely with their managers throughout their time at CORRAL. Interns will also have bi-weekly performance feedback check-ins with their managers to learn and grow as leaders throughout the internship. Interns typically work 15-25 hours a week, with flexible hours available between 11-7 Tuesday-Friday & 9-5 on Saturdays during the programming year (late August through early June) and between 7am-3pm Monday-Friday during the summer months (early June through late August). This is an unpaid internship.

# What you'll do

- Assist with management of herd health rescued horses
  - Coordinate training and grooming calendar
  - Assess and cares for medical needs, both routine and emergency
- Assist Equine Director in field and management
  - Ensure proper rotational grazing of horse herd
  - Administer and responds to soil samples
  - Maintain a neat and orderly farm environment
  - Check fences, fields and barn for safety
- Oversee organization and management of barn including horse tack and supplies
  - Seek donations of needed items



- Serve as liaison with horse community to best serve the needs of the horses and farm
- Project management
  - Coordinate task list of Horse & Farm Volunteers and communicates farm needs to volunteers
- Assist in Programming
  - Help ensure horses and farm are ready for sessions
  - Depending on schedule, participate in horse sessions with participants to aid them in learning healthy relationship skills

# Desired/preferred qualifications

- Natural Horsemanship experience is a huge plus, but not required
- Interest in Equine Assisted Psychotherapy
- Equine Related coursework

#### How to apply

To apply for an internship with CORRAL, email your resume along with a short personal introduction to <u>jobs@corralriding.org</u>. Please include the position you are applying for in the email subject. Please include the position you are applying for in the email subject and copy (cc) the manager, <u>lauren@corralriding.org</u>.