



Semester/Year: Spring, Summer 2012

Number of Open Positions: 1

Volunteer Job Description – Intern or Practicum Student

Request Date: 1/26/2012 **Target fill date:** Immediately

Job Title: Landscape Design/Architect

Objective: To assist in site design, planning, and graphic representations of urban farm development

Department: Global Farm

Volunteer Supervisor: Whitney Sewell, Farm Program Coordinator

Location: International Institute of Saint Louis

Time commitment: 5-10 hours per week

Responsibilities: Assess the current state of the urban farm site and create a coordinating graphic representation, create site plans for future development of the urban farm and subsequent additions

Qualifications: Practical knowledge of landscape design, landscape architecture, site development, urban agriculture, working knowledge of appropriate technologies use in generating site plans

Training Requirements: General introduction to the farm program and farmers given by the Farm Program Coordinator

Benefits to Volunteer: While collecting data, you can expect to experience many aspects of commercial production on a farm. We believe that learning is achieved through experience thus you will have your hands in the soil, at the market, seeding flats, harvesting greens, thinning carrots, weeding the transplants, tying up the tomatoes, and dozens of other tasks over the course of your time on our farm. You can also enjoy learning about a variety of cultures, their agriculture practices, and perhaps delicious foods.