



Elawa Farm Foundation Culinary Internship Summer 2018

About Elawa Farm

Elawa Farm is an historic, non-profit farm located in Lake Forest, Illinois, focused on education around small-scale vegetable and flower production, cooking and healthy living. Elawa Farm is committed to following sustainable & organic practices on the farm. The farm includes $\frac{1}{4}$ acre vegetable and $\frac{1}{4}$ acre flower gardens that are managed both for aesthetic beauty and production. Our produce is offered to the community through our small Community Supported Agriculture program and at our on-site Garden Market every Friday & Saturday from mid-May through October.

Elawa Farm is seeking a candidate for the position of Culinary Intern who demonstrates a commitment to and enthusiasm for farm-to-table cooking while working in a team environment to carry out the mission of our historic not-for-profit farm.

Overview of Internship

The Culinary Intern will work with our Chef and dedicated team of volunteers to produce and package seasonal items such as soups, salads, salsas, pizzas, sandwiches, quiches, pies and baked goods for sale in our twice-a-week Garden Market.

The culinary intern will gain hands-on experience in recipe formulation and production; facilities management; culinary-related administrative tasks; and day-to-day operations of an active kitchen. The intern will assist the kitchen team by prepping garden produce and other ingredients; maintaining the kitchen space/equipment according to sanitation standards; assisting with ingredient and inventory management; and packaging items for sale at the farm's on-site garden market.

Your Experience and Skills:

- sanitation certificate a plus, but not required.
- passionate about food, cooking and trends in farm-to-table cooking
- team player, flexible and resourceful
- good verbal and written communication skills along with a professional demeanor

Hours:

- 20 hours per week
- Flexible schedule during the typical kitchen hours of 6:00 am to noon during summer
- Winter hours TBD

Compensation: Upon request

Candidates: Please send a resume and/or a letter of interest with qualifications to info@elawafarm.org
847-234-1966