

Internship Name	Community Engagement Intern (Apply Now)
Description	The Ras Al Khaimah Animal Welfare Center (RAK AWC), in collaboration with the Sheikh Saud bin Saqr Al Qasimi Foundation (AQF), is seeking a Community Engagement Intern. The ideal Community Engagement Intern will be passionate about animal wellbeing and raising awareness of RAK AWC's initiatives and services. The intern will be responsible for the development of a Community Engagement Plan for RAK AWC. This includes evaluating the current landscape and developing recommendations to improve community engagement and raise awareness around the following priority areas: • Volunteering at RAK AWC • Information on stray animals and trap & release • Pet health & wellbeing • Pet training • Making Ras Al Khaimah the most pet friendly emirate
Context & Location	This internship is based with RAK AWC but will be supported by the research department of AQF. The intern will work primarily at RAK AWC but will also have office space and spend time at AQF.
Duration & Timing	March 2021 – May 2021 (flexible) • Daily: 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM • In-person, with the option to be remote one day per week
Desired Skills/Qualifications	 Bachelor's degree (complete or in process), preferably in business, economics, or a related field Strong English proficiency, some experience with professional writing (may include employment, internships, contributions to campus newspaper, etc.) Motivated, self-starter who is organized and dependable Ability to think creatively, identify gaps, and articulate information Experience in organizing and conducting interviews Strong communication skills Strong MS Office skills Knowledge/use of various social media platforms is an asset Arabic language skills are an asset Must be an animal lover and passionate about the mission & vision of RAK AWC



Responsibilities & Deliverables	Responsibilities: Conduct a landscape study, identifying 10 potential collaborators Evaluate current RAK AWC services and initiatives that relate to the priority areas Evaluate current knowledge of the priority areas in the community Conduct interviews with community members and key stakeholders Identify challenges and opportunities to support the priority areas Work with the AQF research department to develop a strategic plan for RAK AWC Contribute to other projects as requested
	 Deliverables: Complete a Community Engagement Plan in the form of a report Complete a blog post with AQF
Renumeration	 Stipend of 2000 AED per month Furnished accommodation, may be shared with other AQF interns (if required) Transportation reimbursement (as necessary)
Applying	 Complete the application form here Cover letter outlining your interest in the internship, why you fit, and what you will contribute CV or Resume Academic transcripts (current program and all completed degrees) TOEFL or IELTS score report (as applicable) List three references (name, title, affiliation, email) One writing sample All documents must be submitted to internships@alqasimifoundation.rak.ae by January 31, 2021