**Bonagany Inc. Overview**

The Non-Profit 501-C “BonaGany, Inc.” was created to help foster a positive relationship between Saint Bonaventure University (SBU), its students, and their Allegany community. We are certain that both Allegany and SBU benefit greatly from their shared existence and prosperity. Our goal is to nurture that shared prosperity. Our student interns support that mission by assisting in all aspects of BonaGany, Inc. These Interns apply classroom learning to real-world work experiences that support SBU’s values of compassion, wisdom, and integrity.

A strong emphasis is placed on providing community service projects for SBU’s on/off-campus housing students. These service projects allow students and community members an opportunity to work side by side with each other. Interns market, organize, oversee, and then publicize our community service projects. Interns also provide diverse services to other local non-profits which can include but not limited to website development, marketing, communications, and accounting. Our Interns and community service projects are the glue that keeps BonaGany together.

**Our goals are many and our opportunities are limitless! Intern Stipend $15 per hour**

**Health Science Intern - Job Description**

We are looking for an energetic health sciences student with an interest in pursuing a career in veterinary medicine. Under the supervision of Karen Trevaskis, an Operation Pets Partner, Interns will oversee and coordinate the trapping and data collection of a feral cat program in Allegany. Once data is compiled, the Intern will publish a summary of the results in an attempt to create a greater awareness of the problem and explain strategies that can be utilized to reduce the feral cat population in Allegany.

**Responsibilities:**

* Learn the process of preparing the traps and transferring our captured feline friends.
* Help determine whether to utilize the Trap, Neuter, Release "TNR" or Trap-Vasectomy-Hysterectomy-Release "TVHR" strategy.
* Interns will communicate with property owners who allow trapping on their land.

* Information collection for a long-term study. To include address, sex, procedures performed and # of immediately released cats (already clipped ears or obviously a stray with collar)
* Publish results and disseminate paper with assistance from a marketing Intern peer.

**Requirements:**

* A current S.B.U. Cumulative GPA of 3.00+ or a Core GPA of 3.25+ in health sciences.
* Highly organized and detail oriented.
* Proficiency with MS Word, MS Excel, PowerPoint.