Donovan Hill

linkedin.com/in/D_Hill_1999

May 31, 2019

World Health Organization Avenue Appia 20 CH-1211 Geneva 27 Switzerland

Dear World Health Organization Summer Internship Selection Committee:

I am truly excited to apply for your Public Health Policy internship program in August 2019. Like your organization, I am determined to dedicate my career to build a better and healthier future for people, especially those who lack access to basic healthcare resources. What the WHO does to help others all over the world—and to teach others to help themselves—reaffirms my decision to pursue the public health field.

With my enthusiasm and a positive attitude, I am an excellent communicator. This past semester, I wrote, edited, and oversaw the submission of a grant for the Northern Arizona University Health Club to purchase over-the-counter health supplies to donate to local schools. Thanks to our efforts, we received \$1,500 from the Arizona State Government to provide resources for over 300 elementary students. I am also confident in my public speaking abilities, as I have given presentations in front of 100+ undergraduates and can speak Spanish comfortably.

I understand that your internship program is grounded in a team setting, and the importance of teamwork cannot be overstated. Recently, I was a proud member and co-captain of the Frisco Foxes Football Club. Besides coordinating our team practice schedules, I was elected to give halftime pep talks to encourage our players to perform at their best levels each game. I also organized team-building exercises to strengthen our interpersonal communication skills. All of this culminated in our team making the Colorado Minor League Soccer semi-finals in 2018 for the first time in over 20 years.

I view this internship as a meaningful opportunity to gain valuable practical experience from the best healthcare professionals and policymakers in the world, so thank you for considering me. Please contact me if you have any questions. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Respectfully,

Donovan Hill

Donovan Hill