Work with Wyoming Equality’s Safe and Healthy Schools Program

Wyoming Equality strives to achieve equity for all lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, two-spirit, and queer Wyomingsites by building broad and inclusive communities, shifting the hearts and minds of our neighbors, and achieving policy victories. Visit the website at: www.wyomingequality.org.

We seek an intern to support and grow our Safe and Healthy Schools Program (SHS). The SHS program connects students and educators with the resources they need to succeed and thrive. Our Safe and Healthy Schools Coordinator, Ray Kasckow (they/them), works with over 30 student clubs across the State, visiting and offering training on topics such as advocacy, leadership, and subjects like sexuality and gender.

SHS organizes events such as Civic Engagement Day, Youth Summer Camp, and one of our biggest events, Supporting Leaders, Advocates, and Youth Weekend (SLAY). This event is in partnership with Shepard Symposium and offers a space for student clubs to learn leadership skills and strategize how to create better school climates.

Interns will experience all sides of the program, from school visits to events to networking and connecting with school districts, organizations, pride groups, and the community to help create safer spaces in communities for all students.

Scope of Work

- During Summer or Fall 2023, work 10 to 15 hours per week, at $15/hour.
- Collaborate with clubs, administrations, organizations, and community members around the State.
- Travel to visit schools and present health, rights, and leadership resources to students, teachers, and administrators.
- Organize events that create safe spaces for students
- Identify policies for students and teachers and create resource guides.

Qualifications:

- Strong interpersonal skills and the ability to foster genuine connections with students, teachers, and community members, engaging them in deep and meaningful conversations about equity, advocacy, and leadership.
- Enthusiasm about creating resources and spaces to improve school climates around the State for LGBTQ students and others.
● Ability to new situations, ability to learn new skills quickly, and to handle changing priorities.
● High level of motivation to take the initiative in tackling new projects and tasks.

Please email Ray Kasckow at ray@wyomingequality.org with a cover letter and 1-page resume to apply by June 1st, 2023.