

## **Unpaid Internship Position**

**Position Number: 9** 

Position Title: Environmental Justice/MEPA Program Intern - EEA

Location: 100 Cambridge Street, Boston, MA - Hybrid

Duration: January 21 - April 4, 2025

## **Brief Description of Internship Position:**

The intern will be asked to contribute to the MEPA office's environmental justice (EJ) regulatory and policy review effort, including tracking environmental impact and mitigation data associated with recent project reviews and conducting research into community outreach and engagement processes implemented by other states and federal agencies to inform proposed changes to regulations and related EJ policies and guidance.

## **Description of Duties and Responsibilities:**

The intern will work with the MEPA Environmental Justice Liaison to review prior MEPA filings and certificates to extract data related to project impacts and associated mitigation commitments. The intern will assist with data formatting for use in tracking and analysis and may be asked to summarize and display data for use in presentations to inform regulatory and policy updates. The intern will also complete research on outreach and engagement guidance promulgated by state and federal agencies and synthesize these findings to inform updates to MEPA EJ outreach policies and guidance. Other related tasks and assignments may be developed during the course of the internship.

## **Preferred Knowledge and Skills:**

Prior classwork or experience in public health and/or environmental science or environmental management. Successful applicants should demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the needs of vulnerable populations, environmental justice neighborhoods, and underserved areas. Familiarity with environmental justice principles and data analysis is a plus.

Hours per week:15-20