



ZUMIX AmeriCorps Massachusetts Promise Fellow

AmeriCorps Massachusetts Promise Fellows deliver the resources young people need to be successful in life by creating, managing, and leading meaningful out-of-school time programs for youth in grades 6-12. Fellow projects focus on college and career exploration and academic enrichment.

The Massachusetts Promise Fellowship achieves this by placing AmeriCorps Fellows with schools, non-profit organizations, and state/local government agencies that focus on fulfilling the needs of our youth by providing: *a caring adult, a safe place, a healthy start, an effective education, and an opportunity to serve.*

Service Description

A Pathways Coordinator will help us build upon the program's current foundation. The Fellow will work as a team with the Pathways Manager to meet the ever-changing needs of the teens in our programs. They will provide college and career counseling to youth both one-on-one and in groups, support the ZUMIX Teen Council, and co-design and implement work-readiness training for our youth employees. They will build relationships with local schools and other academic institutions to create a network of support that ensures academic success for our young people.

Primary Location: 60 Sumner St, Boston 02128

More information about Zumix and the youth program can be found at www.zumix.org

Essential Functions

- Provide training focused on the high school and college application process including application advising, essay support, and financial aid advice
- Meet with youth in groups and individually to discuss their post-ZUMIX education and career plans
- Implement skill-based training to make youth marketable in the workforce including resume workshops, interviewing, and networking
- Develop relationships with students to provide partner resources to youth in programs
- Co-advise the ZUMIX Teen Council which meets once a week
- Complete required MPF data and evaluation requirements
- Travel at least once per month for Fellowship meetings, retreats, and training throughout the Commonwealth
- Make a full-time, 11 month commitment

Qualifications

- Passionate about social justice, youth development, and working with people from diverse backgrounds
- Proficiency in Spanish and/or Portuguese strongly preferred
- Must be a US Citizen, US National or Permanent Resident Alien
- Must be willing to undergo a National Service Criminal History Check, including screenings through the National Sex Offender Public Website, a name-based search of the statewide criminal history registry both in Massachusetts and your state of residence upon application to our program (if not Massachusetts), and a fingerprint based FBI check. *Eligibility to participate in MPF is contingent on the results of this screening



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Fellow Schedule

Monday-Friday, 12:00pm-8:00pm

Must have availability to serve on occasional weekends

Supervisor Name: Wilce Mascary

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Benefits

For an 11 month full-time commitment (minimum of 1,700 hours of AmeriCorps service) Fellows receive:

A taxable living allowance of up to \$23,000/year ♦ Loan forbearance and \$6,895 Segal education award that can be used on past or future educational expenses ♦ Training and professional development ♦ FREE courses at Northeastern University in the College of Professional Studies & discounted courses upon successfully completing the service year ♦ Travel reimbursement 15+ miles for Fellow monthly meetings ♦ Career coaching and support ♦ Healthcare benefits

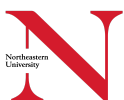
Apply ASAP! Applicants are selected on a rolling basis through July 12, 2023.

Please contact Yuliya Lantsman at y.lantsman@northeastern.edu or 617-373-5609 if you would like to request an accommodation for the application and/or interview process.

More Info

- Interviews will take place during February-July 2023.
- Selection decisions will be made on or before July 28th, 2023 to guarantee an on time program start. **All position offers will be provisional until 2023-2024 federal funding has been confirmed.**
- MPF Program dates are August 14th, 2023 - July 14th, 2024.
- Visit masspromise.sites.northeastern.edu for detailed program information

The Massachusetts Promise Fellowship is committed to providing equal opportunities. We serve and partner with diverse organizations, and are dedicated to non-discrimination. It is our policy to ensure that all individuals with whom we are in contact are treated equally without regard to age, color, disability, gender, marital status, national origin, religion, sexual orientation or expression, or veteran status. We require that all our partners make reasonable accommodations for interviews and service for any and all individuals with a permanent or temporary disability. We actively partner with organizations representing minority concerns and interests to build high-performing teams that mirror the communities we serve.



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