**Chicago Sky Youth Basketball Internship - Chicago Sky (Skokie, IL)**

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**Description**

The Chicago Sky is seeking former basketball players that will participate in all Chicago Sky youth basketball marketing and sales efforts. The position will report directly to the Youth Basketball Specialist. While this is an unpaid internship, there may be opportunities to expand into a part-time or full-time position in the future. Candidates must be outgoing, excited, and have basketball knowledge. The youth basketball interns will be attending youth basketball related events throughout the Chicagoland area promoting the Chicago Sky, and selling Sky youth basketball initiatives.

 Responsibilities include, but not limited to:

* Enthusiastically promote Chicago Sky increasing brand awareness and fan support at events
* Actively prospect and research youth basketball programs/teams/schools to drive attendance and group ticket sales programs
* Coordinate of on-site activities at events, festivals, tournaments, clinics, leagues - including transport, set-up and supervision of all Sky equipment, products, and materials
* Collect leads for Sky at youth basketball events, festivals, tournaments, clinics, leagues, etc

Qualifications:

* Ability to communicate in a professional and courteous manner with internal and external staff and clients
* Knowledge of basketball rules and skills (prior playing experience preferred)
* Knowledge, passion for, and interest in the Chicago Sky, Professional Women’s Basketball, and the youth of Chicago
* Must be willing to interact with groups of people including children
* Must be willing to travel
* Ability to work a flexible schedule with nights, holidays and weekends
• Sales or marketing background is a plus
\* Use of a reliable vehicle is a plus but is not required
\* Valid driver’s license required

**Job Questions**

1. Do you have former basketball playing or coaching experience? Please explain in detail
2. Are you able to work nights, weekends, and holidays?
3. Do you have local housing available?