



Position Title: Economic Development Internship

Organization: Greater Brazos Partnership

Location: Bryan – College Station, Texas

About Us

The Greater Brazos Partnership is an innovative economic development organization dedicated to positioning the Greater Brazos Region as a national hub for innovation, advanced manufacturing, and strategic investment. Our team works closely with corporate leaders, site selectors, and public stakeholders to accelerate economic growth, attract high-value projects, and deliver measurable results. Through a focus on data, technology, and proactive engagement, we strive to build a regional economy where breakthrough technologies are engineered, manufactured, and commercialized.

Position Summary + Key Responsibilities

Working closely with the leadership team, the Economic Development Intern will assist with outreach to prospective companies, preparation of business cases, and staying apprised of the latest state/county/local incentive programs. Responsibilities will include conducting research on target industries, compiling market data, supporting business development initiatives, and tracking engagement activities in the CRM. Competitive candidates will be comfortable working in a fast-paced environment and will demonstrate strong organizational and interpersonal skills. Interns will have opportunities to sit in on meetings with prospective investors, local governments, and strategic partners.

Key Qualifications

- Must be either a current or recent undergraduate or graduate student majoring in Business, Communications, Economics, or a related field
- Must have a GPA of at least 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale)
- Background in economics, business and/or sales preferred

Application Requirements

- Cover Letter
- Resume
- Writing Sample (1–2 pages)

Send Applications To

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Greater Brazos Partnership

Please email your application to info@greaterbrazos.org with the subject line “APPLICATION: Economic Development Internship”

GBP INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Overview

The Greater Brazos Partnership internship program offers graduate and undergraduate students a unique opportunity to gain hands-on experience in economic development, business attraction, research, marketing, and public affairs. Our interns work alongside a dynamic team dedicated to positioning the Greater Brazos Region as a global hub for innovation and investment.

Internships are structured to be substantive and impactful. Each intern will contribute meaningfully to active projects and will complete a capstone deliverable that showcases their skills and can be included in a professional portfolio or resume.

Potential capstone projects may include:

- An industry or market analysis report
- A prospecting strategy for a focus sector
- A communications plan or marketing campaign proposal
- A policy brief on workforce development or a topic of current relevance

Program Details

- Semester-long internship (a minimum of 10–12 weeks)
- 12–20+ hours per week, scheduled in blocks of no less than 4 hours at a time
- This is an in-office role based at the Greater Brazos Partnership office
- Interns are required to attend relevant meetings, events, and stakeholder engagements as part of their experience

Who Should Apply

The program is designed for motivated, detail-oriented students who want to build skills in economic development, strategic research, government affairs, and business strategy. Interns will leave the program with concrete deliverables, professional references, and a deeper understanding of how economic development organizations operate at the intersection of public and private sectors.

Application Deadlines

- Fall Internship (September–November): Apply by August 15
- Spring Internship (January–April): Apply by January 15
- Summer Internship (May–August): Apply by April 15