

Paid Student Internship Opportunity starting immediately: Junction Boulevard Vendor, Business, and Pedestrian Study, Queens

Looking for on the ground experience working on community project? Queens Economic Development Corporation, in partnership with Place Solutions Group, is seeking student interns to assist with surveys and community outreach in a few blocks around the Junction Blvd/Roosevelt Avenue subway station. Community input will be used to improve the area.



Project Description. The Junction Blvd project area is a vital area of storefront business plus over 150 vendors use the sidewalks, creating an informal marketplace of prepared foods, produce, flowers, clothing, and other hard goods.

Student Roles

- Survey vendors, customers, and businesses to solicit opinions about the plaza and how it could be improved. (Must be fluent in Spanish)
- Conduct an inventory of businesses and vendors (English language-only is also acceptable.)

Timeframe: March 2023 (start immediately) through early-April 2023. Most survey and inventory work will take place on Friday afternoon/evenings and weekend afternoons.

Skills needed:

- Fluent in Spanish (for surveys only), comfortable talking with diverse types of people
- Interest in getting experience with community projects

Payment rate Interns will be paid \$20/hour for approximately 20 to 30 hours of work. Flexibility depending upon availability. Payment will be made by Place Solutions Groups.

Questions or to apply: Please send a one-page cover letter and resume outlining your interests and experience to:

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Please email any questions you may have about the project to this same email address.