Sustainable Transportation Fellowship

Location: San Diego, CA

Our clean energy future depends on a strong, low-carbon economy that provides abundant jobs and business opportunities, a high quality of life and a clean, healthy environment. To bring about such a future, each of us must make wise choices now. The Center for Sustainable Energy (CSE) provides people with information, incentives and opportunities to help make these choices easier. We work with policy makers, public agencies, local governments, utilities, business and civic leaders and individuals to transform the energy marketplace and beyond.

The Fellow will work with the San Diego Regional Clean Cities Coalition (SDRCCC), an independent organization housed at the California Center for Sustainable Energy. SDRCCC is part of the U.S. Department of Energy’s Clean Cities Program and is comprised of public agencies, businesses and individuals dedicated to improving air quality and reducing the region’s dependence on conventional petroleum-based fuels.

Throughout the summer of 2015 the Fellow will work with CCSE research and transportation staff members on initiatives that support the deployment of electric and alternative fuel vehicles.

The position will run 10 weeks beginning in June and conclude in August of 2015. Please note that CCSE may adjust the start date to accommodate the end of the academic year.

Come join the team and be a part of changing the future!

What you’ll be doing:

• Provide research on state and local policies supporting the deployment of electric and alternative fuel vehicles.
• Create toolkits on best practices for local governments.
• Identify current fleet users of alternative fuels such as biodiesel, CNG, LNG.
• Research market barriers and policy opportunities.
• Identify opportunities to connect the San Diego region to adjacent alternative fueling corridors.
• Share findings of above research tasks in written reports, web posts, and presentations.
• Regular web posts on other clean transportation topics.
• Assist in other tasks, as assigned.

The ideal candidate:

• Currently enrolled or graduating student in environmental science and management, public policy, urban planning or related program.
• Strong analytical and writing skills.
• Superior professional written and verbal communications skills.
• Strong organizational and multi-tasking skills, must be detail-oriented
• Skilled researcher with a strong commitment to deadlines, targets and objectives.
• Interest in energy, transportation, or the environment.
• Highly independent and dependable when working with a team

CSE is committed to creating a diverse environment and is proud to be an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, gender, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, national origin, genetics, disability, age, or veteran status.

Application Procedure:
Please send a resume and cover letter along with salary history via e-mail to human.resources@energycenter.org.