

SCI AmeriCorps — **Youth Leadership Coordinator**

The SCI AmeriCorps program supports youth success by connecting young people with the relationships, experiences, and resources they need to succeed. Members implement volunteer outreach and capacity building activities that increase volunteer participation, and provide leadership training and service-learning opportunities for youth. Since 2007, SCI AmeriCorps members have served at various host sites in Greater Boston, who are aligned with the mission of Social Capital Inc.

SCI AmeriCorps is currently looking for members to fill Youth Leadership Coordinator positions for a 1700-hour service commitment between September 2020 and June 2021. The YLC will increase the capacity of host sites to implement social capital building, youth engagement and community service-learning as strategies to achieve high educational outcomes.

HOST SITE OPPORTUNITY — Friends of the Hernandez (Roxbury, MA)

The SCI AmeriCorps member will:

- Spearhead a middle school college and career 'Advisory' program as well as facilitate training, activities, and projects for a group of high school volunteers from the Margarita Muñiz Academy.
- Lead 'Advisory' program participants in engaging peer youth in community service learning though the peer-mentoring after school homework program and in other civic activities by attending and helping to promote community and partner events and programs.
- Be responsible for researching best practices for the 'Advisory' program, and tracking students' progress through a series of both qualitative and quantitative evaluations.
- Boost the sustainability of middle school advisory and volunteer training programs through the
 creation of a legacy document. This document will serve as a how-to guide on creating relevant
 curricula, recruiting students into programs, and improving programming for the future.

REQUIREMENTS

- Able to commit to Full-Time service in local communities with diverse residents
- Effective communication skills to conduct community outreach through marketing strategies and civic engagement
- Strong work ethic, collaboration, and time management skills
- Availability to serve in-person for some or all service activities.

BENEFITS

- Receive a Taxable Stipend up to \$18,000/year, paid bi-weekly
- Earn a Federal Education Award worth \$6000+ on successful completion of service
- Professional Development Trainings
- Eligible for Free Health Care at a no cost premium
- Can receive Student Loan Forbearance during active service

To apply please send a resume and cover letter to americorps@socialcapitalinc.org (Attn: Philip Gordon, Program Director)

Or, submit an application through the <u>MyAmeriCorps</u> portal (search "Youth Leadership Coordinator" in the Program Name field)