

## MusicPlayers.com Internship Opportunity

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MusicPlayers.com is the premiere online magazine for serious musicians and recording professionals. Our readership is made up of over 140,000 musicians worldwide, and we are highly regarded for the quality of our editorial content. We publish the most in-depth reviews of professional music equipment of any magazine in the industry (in print or online), tutorials, feature stories and interviews with professional musicians, and more. In 2015, we'll also be launching a variety of online services for musicians to help them with various activities surrounding music creation.

An internship with MusicPlayers.com will provide the right candidate with experience working in the world of online publishing. The intern will learn about all facets of publishing, from researching and selecting editorial content to testing musical equipment to understanding online advertising and web site analytics. And if you're a graphic design student, you'll be creating actual designs for the online publication/website!

Below is a summary of some of the tasks and experiences that interns will participate in based on experience and/or areas of interest:

1. Publishing online news releases about music equipment and musical artists (includes determining relevancy of newsworthiness)
2. Editing product photos for inclusion in news releases and product reviews
3. Transcribing interviews with musical artists for feature stories
4. Writing feature stories, artist interviews, press releases
5. Increasing the MusicPlayers.com audience through social media
6. Screening new music for possible review by MusicPlayers.com (and possibly writing music CD reviews)
7. Creating HTML/web pages for editorial content
8. Graphic design for feature stories and web pages
9. Evaluating web site usage, traffic patterns, visitor demographics, etc.
10. Managing a music news blog

The ideal candidate should be a Communications, Journalism, Graphic Arts, or Music major with a personal interest in music from the performing musician's perspective (i.e. someone who also happens to be a musician is a fantastic fit).

This is an unpaid internship, but a travel stipend may be provided if needed. The position includes fun perks for the musically-inclined candidate that may include free music/CDs, getting to work with famous musicians, getting published before a huge audience, and getting to purchase musical equipment at crazy discounts.

Hours will be flexible to accommodate work/class schedules, two to four days per week. Our offices and private studio facilities (where this work will take place) are located in Franklin Lakes, NJ. Many school co-op programs provide college credit for internships with us, too.

Interested candidates should send a cover letter and resume to:

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