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The Port of Long Beach and Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network are proud to offer an outstanding career exploration opportunity for current high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors in the Long Beach Unified School District’s service area. The eight-week program offers hands-on work experience and mentoring at the Port of Long Beach for those interested in careers in the goods-movement industry.

The program starts June 23, 2014, and concludes on August 14, 2014. Applicants must have reliable transportation to and from the Port. Applicants will need to complete an application and have at least three personal references. Selected youth will be required to have the National Work Readiness Credential issued by the Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network. Selected youth will earn $10 an hour and work up to 30 hours per week.

National Work Readiness Credential

Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Network will conduct the National Work Readiness Credential (NWRC) training with potential candidates. The NWRC curriculum is designed to help youth gain the skills needed to successfully enter the workforce. Upon completion of the training, youth will be administered four assessments. Youth successfully completing the assessments will earn a Credential.

Applicants must:

- Be a current sophomore, junior or senior attending a high school in the Long Beach Unified School District service area
- Be in good academic standing (2.5 GPA or higher)
- Have reliable transportation
- Be available June 23, 2014 — August 14, 2014
- Earn a National Work Readiness Credential
- Attend Port’s World Trade Week Education Luncheon

Deadline

Applications are due by Wednesday, March 12, 2014 to:
Youth Opportunity Center, Pacific Gateway
3447 Atlantic Ave.
Long Beach, CA 90807
562.570.4700

For more information, please visit:
www.polb.com/internships

Selected participants will:

- Gain meaningful work experience with professional mentors at the Port of Long Beach
- Learn and develop skills, attitudes and commitment necessary for success in the workplace
- Gain exposure to different career options
- Earn money, too!

Application

Applications are available at the Youth Opportunity Center located at 3447 Atlantic Ave. in Long Beach.