



Chicago Park District 2020

The Chicago Park District offers paid internships for students who are residents of the City of Chicago. Michael Kelly '83, the General Superintendent and CEO of the Park District offered to work with JCU's Chicago Summer Internship Program to identify internships for our students.

Chicago Park District programs include a wide variety of activities for residents from childhood through retirement. The Chicago Park District won the award for excellence in parks and recreation management in 2014.

Students interested in interning with the park district should contact Dr. Finucane (mfinucane@jcu.edu) to discuss the possibilities. Opportunities include interning in Accounting, Arts and Cultural Resources, Communication & Marketing, Conservatories, Facility Management, Finance, Recreation Programming (coaching, instructors, accessibility aids, etc.), Park Administration, Information Technology, Natural Resources, Therapeutic Recreation, Legal, Security, and Maintenance & Operations. Based on your interests, Dr. Finucane will work with Michelle in the district office; she works with district staff to identify specific opportunities in your area of interest.