

Students Serve

Improving Communities by Empowering Students to Serve, Learn, and Lead

New Grant Recipients — Spring 2010

From the Founder

Angela Perkey

Students Serve is excited to announce its newest grant recipients. The number and quality of applications from students for our last deadline was the best we've ever had. This made the decision-making process a true challenge!

It is my honor to be able to introduce you to our newest grant recipients:

Julia Young

A student at American University in Washington, DC, Julia is using her grant from Students Serve to develop Community Learners Advancing in Spanish and English (CLASE), a student-led organization that teaches English to Hispanic employees on campus.

Rose Vogel

Rose is receiving a Students Serve grant so that she can teach locally owned Latino businesses in Washington state, specifically restaurants, how to recycle.
Kenneth Williams

Kenneth is a student at Morehouse and is using his grant from Students Serve to develop the Next Generation Scholarship Program, which helps college students at risk for dropping out of school due to financial reasons find funding so that they can continue their classes.

Raechel Schneider

Raechel, a student at Texas A&M, received a grant to initiate a student art project on campus that will surround buildings under construction with murals and ultimately raise money to help promote the arts in the community.

Laura Rolfe

Laura has been given a Students Serve grant for "Girls on the Go", a weekly after school program that she is starting to teach 4th-5th grade girls in Kentucky healthy eating habits and encourage regular physical activity. The girls learn about healthy body image and self esteem by connecting with college athletes who act as positive role models.

Sharon Frieson

Harmony In Me is a substantial preteen outreach program Sharon is developing in Chi-

cago, which uses hip hop to incorporate positive social values and direct participants toward higher education in a language that they can relate with and understand. Local college students are writing the fun and interactive lessons and sharing their experiences with the preteen participants.

Meredith Hart

Meredith will be conducting photography workshops for children participating in the after school program at East Side Neighborhood Services, a non-profit community organization near the University of Minnesota.

Julie Kohn

Julie is a student at Bucknell University in Pennsylvania, and she will be starting PROGRESS (Providing Resources for GED and Returning Education Students) to pair individuals in nearby the low-income housing neighborhoods with college students that help them earn their GED certificates.

As always, thank you for your continuous support. Please let us know if you have any suggestions or would like to make a donation.

Thank you!

Angela

 Volume II, Issue I

Spring 2010

Now Recruiting Volunteers!

Students Serve is in need of volunteers to help run the organization. If you're interested or know of anyone else who might be, send an email to StudentsServe@live.com or call 703-865-8790.

Volunteers will get hands-on experience helping to run a non-profit organization, which looks great on a resume. Plus, it's a great way to feel like you're making a meaningful difference.

We're really flexible and can make it work with your schedule. This is an ideal opportunity even if you only have a few spare hours or just want to make some new friends and contacts while doing good.

About Students Serve

Students Serve is a national 501(c)3 nonprofit organization that gives money to college students so that they can use their knowledge to improve our communities.

Get Connected with Us



Now Accepting Applications February 1st through March 15th

Students Serve is once again excited to announce that it is now accepting applications from students. Now, both undergraduate and graduate students can apply.

The application is online at www.StudentsServe.org. Once students complete the applica-

tion and fill in the information about their service ideas, personal information, and project budget, they send it to us by email to

StudentsServe@live.org.

We can't wait to start receiving the applications and hearing

from these inspiring students. This is what Students Serve is all about!

If you know anyone who may be interested in applying for a grant, just tell them to go to www.StudentSserve.org.

