

# ENVS INTERNSHIP

## at Land of Medicine Buddha

AVAILABLE: FALL, WINTER, SPRING, SUMMER  
4 INTERNSHIPS AVAILABLE @12 or 6 HOURS EACH

Land of Medicine Buddha (LMB), a center for healing and developing a good heart, is an active Buddhist community, a local registered non-profit, an environmentally conscious meditation and retreat center located on 108 acres of coastal redwood foothills in Soquel, adjacent to the 10,000 acre Forest of Nisene Marks State Park. Our mission, values, teachings and practices devoted to increasing wellbeing for all, were brought to the Santa Cruz area by our founder, Lama Thubten Yeshe and our Spiritual Director, Lama Zopa Rinpoche over forty years ago. His Holiness the Dalai Lama – spiritual leader of the Tibetan people – is the inspiration and guide of our organization. Most community members are familiar with LMB either through their enjoyment of our stunning property or through their participation in one of our programs that span a wide range of secular and non-secular offerings including teaching, meditation, retreat and community service.

Internship participants will be instrumental in planning, developing and actualizing 1 of 2 priority LMB projects; Regenerative Garden and Nature Walk. Additionally, interns will be provided the opportunity to participate in select, related LMB programs.

- 1) **Regenerative Garden** – The LMB regenerative garden will be a multifunctional, regenerative garden space that provides nourishment and healing to LMB visitors and residents through the growing of delicious, organic foods
- 2) **Nature Walk** – Using both existing and newly created trails, the LMB nature walk will highlight the amazing, native, biodiversity that thrives on property including trees, flora, fauna and wildlife while reminding participants of our connection with it and provide an opportunity for reflection.

Qualified candidates should be values driven self-starters with a dependable means of transportation, passionate about creating our best world, possessing or in the process of developing the fundamental knowledge essential for accomplishing the project objectives they are a part of, and enlivened by the opportunity to work and collaborate in both intellectual and physically challenging modalities.

Categories: Environmental Education, Conservation, Agroecology

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