



Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Prevention Program Peer Educator Application

Description of Program: The Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence (SARV) Prevention Program promotes safety and improve quality of life by **educating** students on sexual assault and relationship violence, **eliminating** violence on campus, **empowering** students to become advocates for a non-violent community and positively **effecting** social change. This is done through mandatory workshops for incoming first-year students.

Description of Position: Peer Educators will facilitate freshmen workshops designed to promote awareness and safety in the MSU community. They will be responsible for promoting an atmosphere conducive to educating and empowering incoming students to become active bystanders and allies at Michigan State. They will receive a \$20 stipend *for each freshmen workshop they facilitate*, and will facilitate 2-3 workshops a week.

What we are looking for: The SARV Prevention Program is looking for men and women to lead these workshops. Additional experience in Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Prevention or Response is encouraged, but by no means necessary. Focus will be put on teachability, enthusiasm, leadership, and the ability to connect with other students.

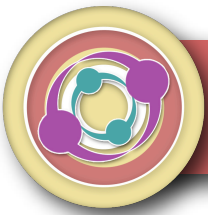
Internships: We are also hiring interns for the Fall and Spring semesters. Interns will be able to apply for school credit, and will work an additional ten hours a week with the staff to recruit peer educators and help with day-to-day operations of the program. For more information and to apply, see and complete the third page of this application.

Instructions for applicants: Please submit the completed application to Kelly Schweda, SARV Prevention Coordinator, 101 Student Services Building, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI 48824; or send via email to sarvp@msu.edu, **re: SARVP Application**. Additional questions can be answered by calling 355-8286.

Applications are due on April 3rd, 2009.

What will happen after you submit your application?

- You will be notified via email within one week of the application's arrival notifying you that your application has been received. You will later be contacted indicating whether or not you have been chosen to interview.
- After your interview, you will be notified via email within one week about whether or not you are invited to be on our SARV Prevention Team. *To be a member of the team*, you are required to attend **32 hours of training**.



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Please attach a resume, complete with work and volunteer experience, student group and activity membership, and three professional references with contact info. Answer the following questions in the space allowed or on an attached sheet.

Name:	Email:	
Primary Phone:	Secondary Phone:	
Summer Address:		
Next Fall's Status: So. Jr. Sr.	Program/Major:	GPA:

- Why did you decide to apply to become a SARV Prevention Peer Educator?

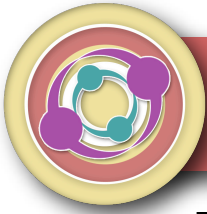
- Please respond to the following scenario: *A college freshmen named J. tells the following to a police officer: J. was in a male friend's room, his name was A.. J. had several shots of tequila. After a certain point, J. has no memory of what happened. J. thinks she passed out, but is unsure. When J. woke up, she was still in her friend's room. They were both naked, and there was a used condom next to her. J. asked A. if they had sex. He said, "yes". J. started crying. Later, J. called the police because her roommate told J. that she had been raped. What are your thoughts on this situation? If you could talk to "J", what would you say to her?*

- What questions would you like answered at your interview?

- How did you hear about the position for SARVP Peer Educator?

I certify that the information I have provided in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I recognize that any misrepresentation or falsification will be cause for rejection of this application or for dismissal from the SARV Prevention Program. I authorize the SARV Prevention Program staff to verify information I have provided and to complete a criminal background check.

Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____



Sexual Assault and Relationship Violence Prevention Program Peer Educator Internship Application

Peer Educator internships will be available for both the Fall and Spring semesters. Typically, a man and woman are chosen for each semester, and help with the day-to-day operations of the SARV Prevention Program. In addition to your duties as a Peer Educator, Interns are expected to work approximately ten hours a week.

Course Credit: Although not required, interns have the opportunity to earn academic credit through the GenCen internship program at MSU. This program links interns with a faculty member, and the student is expected to complete a final project related to their internship for a grade. Students can gain up to three credits.

Fall Internship: The fall is a busy period since it is when our workshops and training are being run. Fall interns will help with the day-to-day of getting prepared for training and putting on the workshops.

Spring Internship: The spring is primarily our period for recruitment. Interns will help disseminate information regarding the program, advertise at various campus functions, and participate in the selection, interviewing, and hiring of Peer Educators for the following year.

Please answer the following if you are interested in applying to become a SARV Intern.

- Which internship are you interested in applying for?

Spring

Fall

- What do you feel makes you uniquely qualified to be a SARV Intern? In what way will it help you develop as a student and a professional?

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Applicant Signature: _____ **Date:** _____