

# Personal Financial Planning Internship

# Position available immediately – Our current intern is moving to a career position.

# **Company Description:**

Amicus Financial Advisors is a registered investment advisory (RIA) firm providing a full range of financial planning and investment advisory services, such as the development of comprehensive financial plans, investment management, and ongoing financial advice.

## **Position Description:**

The Personal Financial Planning Intern/Paraplanner will assist our Advisors in all areas of wealth management including preparation for and participation in client meetings, account maintenance, financial plan creation, and portfolio rebalancing.

#### **Major Areas of Responsibility**

The responsibilities of the Intern include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Create comprehensive financial plans for clients using MoneyGuidePro software
- Preparation for and participation in client meetings
- Monitor customer relationship management through the utilization of the Wealthbox
- Organize required regulatory compliance documents
- Review quarterly performance reports for clients
- Complete other projects and research as assigned by Advisors

#### **Required Knowledge, Skills, and Attributes**

The Intern must possess the following knowledge, skills and attributes:

- Broad knowledge and interest in personal finance
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Experience with the Microsoft Office Suite, particularly Microsoft Excel
- Demonstrated ability to think critically and solve problems
- Self-motivated, driven, and proactive in completing assignments
- Enthusiastic personality and positive attitude
- Proficiency in performing detail-oriented tasks
- Honest and ethical



## **Benefits of Internship**

The benefits and skills gained by the Intern include:

- Proficiency in Wealthbox CRM, , MoneyGuidePro, Black Diamond, Schwab Advisor Center and other softwares
- Insight into the daily responsibilities and tasks of a financial planner
- Increased financial understanding through a personal weekly training meeting.

## Testimonial of Dan Maxwell, our most Amazing prior Intern

For many years I have been interested in personal financial planning. I had looked into internship opportunities with some of the large financial planning firms, but few were able to provide the experience I was looking for in terms of breadth and depth. I was lucky enough to come into contact with Larry Peterson and Amicus Financial Advisors. After speaking with him on several occasions, I realized that the opportunity to be an Intern at a smaller firm such as AFA would allow me to learn the skills I desired.

My time at AFA has been instrumental in increasing my understanding of personal financial planning. Larry allocates one hour each week to answer any questions I have and to discuss different personal finance topics. This opportunity and learning experience is completely unique to this internship, and is enormously valuable.

I am able to use a variety of PFP programs extensively, including Schwab's PortfolioCenter, MoneyGuidePro, and Redtail CRM. This technical understanding and knowledge will help me immensely as I continue my career.

I love working for AFA and for Larry. I am able to ask questions, interact with clients, and be involved in almost every aspect of the practice. This type of exposure is only available at AFA. Larry is a wonderful and patient teacher who fosters my personal growth. He allows me to think critically and make decisions that impact clients. I cannot imagine a more beneficial internship than one with AFA.

#### **Contact Information**

To inquire regarding internship opportunities with Amicus Financial Advisors, please send Larry Peterson, MS, RSP, CFP a PDF copy of your resume and cover letter (Peterson@AmicusAdvisors.com). After sending your resume and cover letter please call Larry at (801) 938-1226 to schedule an interview.