



APPLICATION FOR ENGAGE NJ STUDENT AMBASSADORS

Student Ambassadors are students from all across New Jersey’s higher education system who want to enhance their professional, career-building experience through volunteering. Whether you’re an Honors or Greek Life student trying to fulfill your required hours or develop your soft skills while assisting a federally-recognized non-profit, you will be put on the path to success as an Engage NJ’s ***Student Ambassador***.

Why become an Engage NJ Student Ambassador?

Volunteering is a fulfilling and rewarding experience, no matter how or where you do it. However, not all volunteering opportunities allow students to develop their career-readiness skills or ask questions about how the business or nonprofit world operates. At Engage NJ, we are looking to assist students in terms of honing their career strengths while they assist us in promoting democracy and encouraging other students to develop their skills.

Eligibility

A student interested in becoming an Engage NJ Student Ambassador must meet the following requirements:

- Commit to a minimum of one academic year, beginning in September 2024
- Be willing to attend one orientation in September, one marketing meeting in November, and the THRIVE conference in February or a regional event
- Be enrolled full-time at a New Jersey-accredited higher education institution
- Must have access to a computer
- Must have an eagerness to learn!

Preferably, applicants will also be involved in some form of student leadership but we are happy to take on any students new to acting in leadership roles.

Volunteer Tasks

- Volunteer 15 hours or more in one academic year to Engage NJ
- Promote Engage NJ events, opportunities, and news on your college campus
- Act as a liaison between Engage NJ and student organizations on your campus
- Assist with the Engage NJ Team with social media, the Student Success Steering Group, and general ideas on capacity building

- Attend Engage NJ's annual THRIVE Conference and give a presentation on your experience volunteering as an Engage NJ Ambassador

Volunteer Benefits

- A sign-off on all required volunteer forms/a confirmation of volunteer hours
- Free LinkedIn Learning access through Engage NJ's portal
- Resume and cover letter development
- Professional and resume-building work experience
- Letters of recommendation upon request
- Join our THRIVERS List of students, who we promote to various employers around the state

How to Apply

Send all materials to info@engagenj.org

- Submit a brief introduction of yourself (i.e., your name, year in school, major, interests, and brief explanation of why you would like to volunteer)
- Submit a resume (does not have to be perfect; we are more than happy to work on your resume with you after you become a volunteer)