

Garden for the Community



College of Agriculture and Natural Resources *Garden for the Community* Internship APPLICATION DEADLINE – April 6, 2015

The *Garden for the Community* is a cooperative project between the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources (CANR) and the Food Bank of Delaware (FBD). In this 15,000-square foot garden, located on the CANR Newark Farm, a variety of vegetables and herbs are grown to provide fresh, local, sustainably-grown produce to the FBD throughout much of the year. The *Garden* also provides a living classroom for students and community members, as well as a demonstration area for FBD culinary workshops.

The *Garden for the Community* seeks undergraduate student interns to serve as leaders of this important CANR project. The interns will be responsible for:

Garden Management: Oversee, with support from CANR faculty, extension specialists, and professional staff, all aspects of garden management including garden design, planting, maintenance, harvesting, and distribution of garden produce to the FBD. Supervise the activities of individual and group volunteers that work in the *Garden*.

Volunteer Coordination: Build partnerships and oversee activities of individual volunteers and organizations at the University of Delaware and in the community who help in all activities related to the *Garden*. Help organize and work with diverse groups of volunteers, coordinate events that develop and build partnerships in support of the *Garden*, and lead educational programs using the *Garden* as a resource.

The intern will receive (up to) a \$4000-stipend (paid as hours worked at \$10 per hour) and will be expected to work ~10 hours per week in May, full-time in summer months, and ~10 hours per week in September and October.



To apply for this internship, please submit all of the following materials electronically to Maria Pautler (mpautler@udel.edu) by April 6, 2015:

- Letter of interest
- Resume
- Unofficial transcript
- Names and contact information for three references

Please expect to be interviewed if you are a finalist for this internship.

Images from the
2014 *Garden for
the Community*
growing season. Be
a part of the 2015
season!