



## **Campus Organizing Fellowship**

### **Fall and Spring 2019**

Engage Miami is seeking Campus Organizing Fellows for the Fall and Spring semesters who are interested in learning how to organize and lead efforts on their campus with Engage Miami. Our Campus Organizing Fellows will be our primary student leaders on campus, and will help us in engaging, educating and activating their campuses around civic engagement and local elections and campaigns. You'll be meeting new people, building connections on campus and guiding fellow students towards taking meaningful action on the issues that matter to them. You will receive training, mentorship and support towards becoming a force of change in your community, and this fellowship is great for anyone interested in political, electoral or non-profit work.

Engage Miami is a 501c(4) organization. Our mission is to build a more just, democratic, and sustainable Miami by developing a local culture of civic participation for young people that is bold, creative, and impactful. We make sure young voters are registered, engaged, and ready to go vote, lead local organizing and advocacy efforts, and provide the in-depth civic information and leadership development we need to influence our future. We are an affiliate of the Alliance for Youth Organizing, a national network of local groups helping America's biggest & most diverse generation take our seat at democracy's decision-making table.

#### **Duties & Responsibilities**

- One 4-hour canvassing field shift per week for voter registration, pledges to vote, voter guides or other activities
- Work with a Campus Organizer to be an Engage point-person on campus for administration, faculty, clubs and students, and recruit students to be Engage members
- Educate your campus on local government and elections and how to take action
- Participate in and organize around local and state level advocacy campaigns

#### **Qualifications**

Applicants should be self-motivated and accountable, while bringing a sense of humor and fun to their work. We're looking for people who are passionate about Miami, excited about the potential young people have to change it and willing to do the hard work to bring people to the table. Must be a student attending a college campus in South Florida.

Campus Organizing Fellows will work an average of 8 hours per week over the duration of the semester. Compensation will be a stipend of \$500, with half distributed at the beginning of the fellowship and the other half at the end. Fellows will report to the Engage Organizer in charge of their campus.

To apply please provide a current cover letter (including which specific campus you attend) and resume to Gilbert Placeres at [gilbert@engage.miami](mailto:gilbert@engage.miami). Applications are accepted on a rolling basis but you are encouraged to apply in advance of the deadline

**Priority Deadline for Fall Fellowship:** August 19th

**Priority Deadline for Spring Fellowship:** December 1st