Organization Name: US Disaster Response, The United Methodist Committee on Relief

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Organization’s Mission Statement: UMCOR aims to alleviate suffering around the world due to disasters and emergencies.

Summary of organization’s primary programs and services:
The US Disaster Response Program seeks to empower and equip the UMC in their preparedness, early response, and long-term recovery capabilities for local disaster response. USDR programmatic activities include grantmaking, capacity building for conferences across response, relief, and recovery best practice and ongoing technical support for multi-faceted programs (volunteers, allocations, construction, case management, etc.) to help make early response programs more efficient and long-term recovery efforts more effective.

Intern’s title: USDR EASL Intern

Number of interns requested: 1

Internship project/job description (please include a virtual/socially distanced option if possible): The USDR EASL intern will support the disaster ministry efforts of UMCOR via the development of tools and resources for
US Methodist partners, in time for and during the 2021 hurricane season. The internship will have a decided focus on outreach and resources for underserved communities.

Qualifications: BA in a related field, some experience with emergency/disaster response from a professional, volunteer, or personal lens is a plus.

Are there other requirements for this position (security check, drug screen, immunizations, etc.)? Yes.
If yes, please note them here: **There will be a background check conducted.**

Will the internship require that the student have a car? No, this position will be entirely remote.

Is placement site accessible by public transit or other transportation options? The intern will work from their home or other location of their choice.