Undergraduate Community-Based Internship Application

Below are the questions you will find in the UCBI application.

Question 7
Have you previously been involved in community work with non-profit organizations through volunteering, service-learning and/or internship(s)? If yes, was this work coordinated through a UW program (i.e. Carlson Center, Jumpstart, Pipeline, Dream Project, etc.)? What organization(s) did you work with? For how long? If it was not affiliated with a UW program, tell us what you did, and where/with whom (i.e. what organization; in what city). Please also briefly describe what the experience was like.

Question 8
Please indicate your 1st, 2nd & 3rd choices for the community area you are most excited to work within (Please rank the order of preference by listing a "1" beside the community you would most like to work on, and so on.)

Communities:

1. U-District/ Capitol Hill
2. Downtown/ International District
3. Beacon Hill
4. Columbia City/ Mount Baker/Othello/Rainier Beach
5. SeaTac/ Tukwila

Short Answers (answer each question in approximately 300 words)

Question 9
What motivates you to be a part of the Carlson Center's Community-Based Internships? Why is service and/or community engagement important to you? How do you see a community-based internship experience complementing your academic studies?
Question 10
Please explain why you are interested in working with the communities you indicated above.

Question 11
Describe a school, community, work, family or extracurricular responsibility to which have been most committed in your life? Specify the length/frequency of the commitment and your role(s) or position(s). What are you proud of? What have you learned about yourself through the experience?

Question 12
Diversity and inclusivity are essential to co-creating healthy communities, please describe an experience working with someone different from you. What made it easy? Difficult? What did you learn from the situation about how to interact with others in respectful and productive ways?

Question 13
Service work can be unpredictable and challenging. Describe an experience where you demonstrated adaptability and flexibility in a work, school or volunteer environment.

Question 14
Carlson Center Community-Based Internship are structured to partner undergraduate student interns with a graduate mentor by location. What do you hope to gain from the mentor component of the program?