SAHDES (salud hábitat desarrollo) is a non-profit civil association that was founded in 2007 and is integrated by an interdisciplinary team that seeks to contribute to the development and equity of vulnerable communities with a focus on bettering the health of mothers and infants, as well as the public health policies that go along with it. SAHDES’ mission is to promote and stimulate self-healthcare - understood socially, politically, and culturally. The community intervention programs are based on the training of neighborhood allies and promoters in order to stimulate infant-adolescent growth and development, to improve self-care during pregnancy, to ensure access to a safe birth, and to empower women to contribute to their self-esteem and autonomy.

**Website:** sahdes.org  
**Sector:** Nonprofit Organization  
**Industry:** Development & Sustainability; Medicine & Public Health; Global Health

**Examples of possible intern roles:**

**RESEARCH AND ANALYSIS INTERN**  
The intern will conduct research into mother-infant health programs that are being developed in other parts of the world in order to be able to identify best practices and enhance the nonprofit organization’s programs in Argentina. The intern will also work on indicator development to measure results.

**Suggested Spanish level:** Intermediate  
**Candidate requirements:** Studies related with sociology, social work, education, and/or experience with research. Interest in the company’s working areas. Enthusiasm in helping an NGO improve its programs to help more people be able to better their own quality of life.

**COMMUNICATIONS AND SOCIAL MEDIA INTERN**  
The intern will collaborate in the development of a social media communication plan with the team. The intern will identify key actors on social media, create material for publication, and collaborate in the edition of audiovisual content. The intern may also prepare attractive institutional presentations for companies and potential donors. The projects will help to create greater visibility of the organization online and will provide edited material which will be ready to present to possible donors and key stakeholders.

**Suggested Spanish level:** Advanced
**Candidate requirements:** Studies in communications, experience with community management, understanding of tools that help the work. Enthusiasm in helping an NGO’s work become more visible and in obtaining more resources (not just financial).

**FUNDRAISING INTERN**
The intern will conduct research to identify fundraising opportunities within and outside of Argentina (companies, international bodies, embassies, Argentine communities in the “exterior”, etc.) that align with the nonprofit’s key program area. The intern will conceptualize and write grants for select fundraising opportunities. The intern will also collaborate in improving the organization’s current database with internal and external fundraising contacts.

**Suggested Spanish level:** Advanced

**Candidate requirements:** Studies related to political science, economics, and/or experience with fundraising. Ideal candidates will have experience with nonprofits and/or small businesses. Enthusiasm in helping an NGO’s work become more visible and in obtaining more resources.

**In the words of past interns:** “Great mission, inspiring team of all women devoted to making the world a better and more equal place for women. I learned a lot about the nonprofit world in health and what a possible career there could look like. I also enjoyed grant writing and benchmarking, and feel these are materials that SAHDES can continue to use.” - Annie J., Fundraising and Research Intern, from Princeton University