

William + Chris

VINEYARDS

William Chris Vineyards Cellar Intern Position

Position Description:

William Chris Vineyards is excited to present an opportunity this summer for a Cellar Intern. Qualified candidates will work side by side with cellar staff in grape and wine processing and finishing operations. We are looking for an individual who has a desire to gain hands on experience and work in an exciting and growing industry.

Job Description:

- Carry out all cellar activities assigned by the winemaking team
- Clean and sanitize winery equipment and hoses
- Clean and sanitize harvest equipment
- Assist in crush pad operations
- Perform filling, racking and cleaning barrels
- Make additions to fermenters, tanks and barrels
- Help maintain empty barrels
- Perform pumpovers and punchdowns
- Perform barrel topping and stirring
- Help track fermentation's (brix, and temperatures)
- Willingness to assist in vineyard activity
- Assist in laboratory tasks when needed
- Follow all procedures and protocols, including safety procedures
- Ask questions if procedures are not clear
- Immediately report any errors or out-of-the-ordinary circumstances in the cellar to the Winemaker, Assistant Winemaker or Cellar Master.
- Maintain a clean and organized cellar

Qualifications:

- Education: High School diploma or equivalent education
- Strong organizational skills
- Strong attention to detail
- Strong communication skills
- Team oriented
- Ability to remain calm under pressure
- Basic math skills
- Valid driver's license