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Week 1: June 15th - 19th | Kick-Off Week

- Virtual Welcome Event - June 18th
- Interns receive RVA Welcome Packet with shirts, maps, and other Richmond swag

Week 2: June 22nd - 26th | Arts in RVA

- Scavenger hunt: Take a picture of 3 murals in downtown Richmond and share to social media; take a picture of "Rumors of War" and "Chloe"
- Attend virtual webinar or class by local Richmond artist
- Professional Development – Succeeding in a Virtual Workspace

Week 3: June 29th - July 3rd | Music in RVA

- Throughout the week: virtual concerts aka "Couchella" by local Richmond musicians
- Scavenger Hunt: Take of one large/small music venue; follow a Richmond musician on social media/post a screenshot of you streaming a song by a Richmond artist
 - Bonus: Be The Artist! Record your own Richmond-inspired song to share with everyone
- Professional Development – Self-Advocacy in the Workplace

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"The YRichmond events showed me that there is support here for young professionals and that the city can be a fun and vibrant stepping stone for me after graduation."

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"Even though I'm from the Richmond area, YRichmond was a great experience to learn to see Richmond as a potential place to stay for a job after graduation."

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Week 4: July 6th - 10th | RVA Food Scene

- RVA Food Tours on July 7th, 8th, and 9th - Dependent on COVID-19
- Virtual cooking class by Richmond chef
 - Bonus: Share your RVA-inspired meal creation on social media!
- Scavenger Hunt: Find a restaurant not on the bingo sheet and order takeout with another intern

Week 5: July 13th - 17th | Discover RVA

- Segway Landmark Tours on July 14th, 15th, and 16th - Dependent on COVID-19
- Scavenger Hunt: Take pictures of 3 Richmond landmarks and post to social media
- Flying Squirrels Game (date dependent on season)
- Professional Development: Service and Social Responsibility

Week 6: July 20th - 24th | River City

- Saturday, July 25th – White Water Rafting OR kayaking/Paddle Boarding OR Tubing
- Scavenger Hunt: Take a picture hiking/biking/running on a trail along the James River Park System or Virginia Capital Trail
- Or.: take a picture of yourself relaxing in a unique spot
 - Bonus: Find Buddy's Bench and take a picture of your view!
- Professional Development: Diversity & Inclusion
- Scavenger Hunt: Take a picture of your 4th of July fireworks view and post to social media

“I didn't know what to expect from Richmond at first, and didn't think I'd like the city life. Now, I can definitely see myself staying here after I graduate!”

“I enjoyed spending additional time with my coworkers outside of the office. The activities were a fun way to strengthen those ties.”



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Week 7: July 27th - 31st | End of Summer Program

- Professional Development: Job Search Toolkit
- July 22nd - Tang and Biscuit - End of Summer Blast - Dependent on COVID-19
 - "Making shuffleboard cool since 2018," Tang & Biscuit is RVA's first shuffleboard and social venue designed to bring people together in a one-of-a-kind environment! Come out and celebrate the end of summer with your fellow interns with shuffleboard over tasty food and conversation.

Compete in weekly themed scavenger hunts and "Takeout Bingo" for prizes from local businesses!

Watch for our weekly newsletter to learn about business openings and activity opportunities!

Participate in professional development sessions to learn career skills from local business leaders and young professionals!

Connect with fellow interns virtually and in person as you explore what Richmond has to offer!

