



Oklahoma City Golf and Country Club: Internship search

The Oklahoma City Golf & Country Club was established in 1911 and is considered Oklahoma City's oldest and most prestigious private country club. OKCGCC is recognized in accordance with Platinum Clubs of America, Five Star Clubs of Excellence.

While being a part of Platinum Clubs of America, Boardroom magazine has also selected us with a Distinguished Emerald Club of the World award; being recognized as providing a Member experience at a level attained by only the finest clubs in the world.

Oklahoma City Golf & Country Club's signature venue is the golf course. Our course is a Perry Maxwell and Allister MacKenzie design constructed in 1929. OKCGCC has been recognized by many, including Golf Digest, as one of the state's premier courses. The 6,861 yard par 71 course has a course rating of 73.2 with a slope of 128. It is maturely landscaped with tree-lined holes throughout the rolling hills, and has eleven holes with either lake or meandering creeks in play. The club has hosted several regional and national tournaments, including the U.S. Amateur (1953), the Trans Mississippi Amateur (6 times dating back to 1932), NCAA Division I Southwest Regional (1994), Western Amateur (1939), Women's Western Open (1949), Women's Southern Open (1936), Oklahoma City Open (1929), as well as several women's and men's U.S. Amateur qualifying tournaments. Also, the Club has hosted U.S. Open qualifying on several occasions.

Starting March 2019, we will be starting an extensive restoration project here at OKCGCC. The goal of our project will be to preserve the Maxwell/ MacKenzie characteristics of the golf course while also improving the infrastructure and use of modern grassing varieties. The focus of the project will be: rebuilding the greens to USGA specs with 007 bent grass, reconstruction of bunkers, irrigation system complete with state of the art pump house, and updating the variety of Bermuda grass to Latitude 36 on fairways, tees, and approaches. Other improvements in the year 2019: new indoor teaching center, resurface all current bridges on the course, installation of permanent fans around the greens, and building new pavestone cart paths. Our architect is Tripp Davis, a member of the American Society of Golf Course Architects with 20 years of experience in design and construction.

We are searching for self-driven, ambitious individuals who are passionate about the golf course management profession. This internship will be a phenomenal opportunity for the future of your career. As an intern, you will be exposed to a complete restoration of our golf course while having the ability to learn not only from our staff, but with other professionals in our industry. Within this internship, you will learn a variety of grow in programs that will develop your skills to a higher level. We will complete many projects during the entire year including all grow in procedures on greens, tees, and fairways. Our internship program will forward any student's career in the golf course management industry.

We will have internships ranging from 3 to 6 months depending on each students' need. Our benefits include free housing, uniforms, and meals. Pay rate will be \$11.00 to \$11.50 / hour plus overtime. Please send cover letter and resume' to 1st Assistant Superintendent Garrett Barnes at gbarnes@okcgcc.com

