Ladders for Leaders

Ladders for Leaders ("Ladders") is a nationally recognized program that connects companies and organizations with outstanding NYC students to their paid summer internship programs that seeks competitive candidates and provide meaningful work experiences.

Through Ladders for Leaders, employers...



Connect with a pipeline of young talent



Access a rich alumni network for early career recruitment



Develop mentorship opportunities

Interested in becoming an employer partner? Contact one of our community partners who oversee Ladders to express your interest.



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Ladders interns are:

- NYC residents ages of 16 and 24 currently enrolled in school.
- Hold previous work experience, and academically high-achieving.
- Ambitious, curious, and excited to work with your organization!



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