Position Details

Overview

Position Title: *Barista (Mid)-Sum27*

Position Code: *PC1648504*

Host Company Name: *Java Beach Cafe (Grand Hotel, Ocean City, MD)*

Host Company Description:
Are you looking to work at a location that has a beach and ocean view… then Java Beach Café is your answer. Java Beach Café is located on the boardwalk in Ocean City Maryland and offers wonderful views of the Atlantic Ocean. We are a top spot to catch a bite and satisfy that coffee fix. We offer everything from fresh ground coffee to paninis at the Café any time of day!

With a great location in Ocean City, near beaches, nightlife and more, Java Beach Café is a great place to spend your summer Work and Travel program.

Sun, sand, and the beautiful beaches of the Atlantic Ocean awaits you!

City: *Ocean City*

State: *MD*

Gender Preference: *No Preference*

English Level: *Advanced*

Minimum Age: *18*

Earliest Start Date: *5/15/2027*

Earliest End Date: *9/15/2027*

Latest Start Date: *5/26/2027*

Latest End Date: *9/26/2027*

Position Details

Average Hours/Week: *>32*

Typical Schedule: *You may work a variety of morning, afternoon, and evening shifts. Set schedules cannot be guaranteed.*

Working on the weekends and holidays is expected.

Friends traveling together cannot be guaranteed the same shift or same day off.

Additional Hours Details:
o You will work an average of 32 hours per week over the course of your program. Some weeks may be less, some weeks may be more. Will average 32 hours, weekly, over the course of your program

Position Description:
Here at Java Beach Cafe, we create extraordinary customer experiences every day and we do this through our commitment to hiring and retaining only the best-in-class talent. We're looking for motivated, passionate, and dedicated individuals with an inherent need and ambition to go after

bigger challenges.

A Barista is responsible for preparing and serving coffee, other beverages, and food items to customers in the cafe. Your duties include working with other Baristas to help take orders, prepare beverages, prepare food items, and provide timely service to customers. You will also have a lot of interaction with customers in a personable and service-oriented manner.

You must be able to make transactions by cash or credit and prepare items efficiently. Baristas may also spend time perfecting certain recipes and learning new ones to best serve their customers and represent their Host Company.

Although Baristas are mainly responsible for making and serving beverages to customers, they may have other duties. These may include:

- *Greeting customers in a friendly manner and taking food and drinks orders*
- *Preparing and serving beverages such as drip coffee, espresso-based drinks, tea, and other specialty drinks*
- *Preparing and serving food items such as soups, sandwiches, and pastries*
- *Answering customers questions about menu choices*
- *Promoting and recommending menu options to customers*
- *Taking payment from customers*
- *Maintaining espresso machines, grinders, coffee machines and other equipment by cleaning, troubleshooting, and informing management of repair needs*
- *Keeping the work environment and café seating area clean, sanitary, and organized*
- *Responding to and resolving customer concerns and/or complaints*
- *Evaluating processes to improve efficiency and the quality of service*

You must arrive by the date listed on your work offer, and are expected to work until the last day listed on your work offer.

You will be expected to arrive at work on time, every day, and dressed in the proper uniform.

You will be expected to make sure you perform your job responsibilities as taught in training and according to company standards.

Friends traveling together cannot be guaranteed the same day off or the same scheduled shift. Please be prepared for this.

SECOND JOBS:
Second jobs are permitted. Participants must be available for every shift they are scheduled to work at Java Beach Café and their second job must not interfere with their work performance.
Intrax participants are not permitted to start working at a second job without first obtaining permission from Intrax.

Required Duties:

Baristas need a variety of skills to memorize drink recipes, learn how to operate equipment and provide efficient customer service. A successful Barista should possess the following skills:

Excellent listening and communication skills to effectively interact with coworkers and customers

Exceptional customer service and interpersonal skills to interact in a positive manner and prevent or resolve conflicts

Strong teamwork abilities to work efficiently in a fast-paced and high-volume environment with other baristas

Attention to detail to manage specific customer requests as well a high-volume beverage assembly line with minimal errors

Time management and organizational skills to work efficiently and effectively in a high-volume workplace

Skills Required: *Advanced English, ability to stand on feet for a long period, outstanding work ethic required*

Supplies Required:
Host company will supply 1 company shirt. Please bring 1 to 2 black T-shirts, black pants (sweat, sport pants or shorts are not permitted, you will be sent home) and non-slip closed toe shoes. Cell phones and ear plugs are not allowed during shifts.

Supplies Cost: *25.00*

Company Policies:

Interview Required?: *Yes*

Additional Information:

Training Dates:

Different Training Period Wage:

Physical Demands:
Must be able to stand for long periods of time; Must be able to work with cleaning and sanitation products; Performing duties which require bending, reaching, and/or lifting; Lifting & transporting up to 25/30/50/100 pounds

Drug Testing Requirements:

Meals Included:

Transportation:

Host Placement - Related Costs:

Benefits Provided by Host:

Pay Rate: *USD 15.00*

Pay Frequency: *Weekly*

Pay Notes:
Overtime will be based on job performance and will not be guaranteed.

Participants can expect to work an average of 32 hours a week over the course of your employment. Some weeks may have less, and some weeks may have more depending on the business needs.

Overtime Available? *No*

Overtime Rate: *22.50*

Days Before Start of Work: *0*

Tipped Position? *Yes*

Accepts Couples? *No*

Accepts Groups? *No*

Second Job Allowed? *Yes*

Company Provided Housing? *Yes*

Arrival Information

Recommended Airport: *Baltimore Washington Airport (BWI)*
Washington Dulles Airport (IAD)
Philadelphia International Airport (PHL)

Nearest Bus Station:
Greyhound Bus Station, West Ocean City, Maryland

You can also contact the Ocean City Student Center to assist you in arranging transportation from the Airport. These arrangements must be made before you travel to the United States.

http://www.ocstudentcenter.com/ or 1-877-755-2959

Nearest Train Station: *There is no train station in Ocean City*

Transportation to Company:
You will be responsible for your own transportation to and from your location. Many participants choose to rent/buy bikes while in Ocean City and public transportation is also available.

Reporting Instructions:
Please keep in contact with your Host Company to let them know when you are arriving.

Please check in with Host Company as soon as you arrive into Ocean City. MD.

You must also update your travel information, in your MY INTRAX account at least 5 days prior to your arrival in the United States.

Travel Instructions:
Fly into one of the three suggested airports and then travel to Ocean City, Maryland.

You can travel by Greyhound bus, or can arrange other transportation options through the Ocean City Student Center, prior to your arrival in the United States.

Contact the Ocean City International Student Center for assistance in arranging transportation from the Airport to Ocean City.

You must make these arrangements before traveling to the United States.

Nearest Social Security Office: *Closest Social Security Office:*
Suite 1, 2414 Northgate Drive Salisbury, MD 21801

Social Security Instructions:
You must check in on your MY INTRAX Account the day you arrive in the United States. Please wait 7 days, after checking in with Intrax, before you apply for your social security card.

Area Information

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Ocean City is an extremely busy summer tourist destination. Water sports and activities surrounding the beach are big draws to the area, as is the beautiful weather.

The bustling boardwalk has amusement rides for the whole family, mini-golf, arcades and games. There are also numerous restaurants, bars and areas to shop while in town.

Websites: http://www.oceancity.org/

Climate: The average temperature in the summer months are 80-85 degrees F.

Nearest Major Cites:

Virginia Beach, VA - 1 1/2 hours away
Washington DC: 2 1/2 hours away Philadelphia, PA: 3.25 hours away Baltimore, MD: 3 hours away

What to Wear:

This is a casual beach destination for tourists. People wear shorts, sandals, sun dresses, short sleeve shirts and cover ups to protect from the sun and windy evenings.

Cultural Opportunities:
There are ten miles of beach to enjoy all sorts of water sports. These include:

jet skiing
surfing
skim boarding
snorkeling
swimming
parasailing
Shopping
museums

Ocean City also has a very strong Community Program for the international participants with monthly dinner, events and parties.

Website: *https://grandhoteloceancity.com/services/java-b...*

Additional Website Info:

Accomodation Option: Grand Hotel Employee Housing (115 72nd St. Ocean City, MD)

Company Arranged: *Yes*

Company Recommended: *Yes*

Description:
Participants working at any business through Grand Hotel, are expected to live in the housing provided. Participants who choose not to move into employee housing, or who move out of housing early, may be required to resign from their position at Java Beach Cafe.

Participants who quit their jobs, are terminated, move out of housing early, or cause damage to the housing will not be eligible for a refund of the housing deposit.

There are three housing options and you will be ASSIGNED to your housing and assigned by gender only. No mixed housing available.

Apartment- 2B/1.5BA, Full kitchen, Kitchen Cookware/Utensils, Washer/Dryer, Refrigerator, Stove/Oven, Microwave, Plates/Silverware, Dining Table/Chairs, Couch, TV/Internet, Bunk Beds, Single Beds, Bedding, Central AC- All included

2-4 people per room. 7people per apartment
$300 deposit due at move in

Estimated Weekly Cost: *USD 285.00*

Additional Weekly Cost:

Additional Cost Description:
Housing is $2850 for the season. The housing payment of $2850 will be paid off at the end of the 10th week and no further payments will be required after that.

Weekly rent will be $285 per week for the first 10 weeks of your employment.

There is a $300 security deposit and initial $285 housing payment which is due prior to arrival. The Host Company will provide you with information on how to make payment of the security deposit and first weeks rent.

The security deposit will be returned to you at the end of your program provided you do not cause damage to the housing and you work the full length of your work offer. Housing must be in good condition and clean upon move out. The Housing deposit will be refunded after inspection of the housing.

Participants who quit their jobs, are terminated, move out of housing early, or cause damage to the housing will not be eligible for a refund of the housing deposit.

Commute Options: *Walking; Bicycle; Bus*

Commute Cost: *USD 4.00*

Company Provides Transportation: *No*

Estimated Distance to Company: *Housing is located 2 miles from work location.*

Gender Restrictions: *None*

Accomodation Option: Grand Hotel Employee Housing (703 Baltimore Ave. #3 Ocean City, MD)

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