



# Volunteer and Help Your Mission Neighbors!



**"I am not a tax 'expert.' MEDA provides all the training you need.** The smiles on clients' faces—and the sense of relief they express when you tell them that their taxes are filed—is so gratifying."

—Granger, MEDA Tax Volunteer

## Volunteer the Better Way!

The Mission Economic Development Agency (MEDA) is currently recruiting volunteers for its 2015 Tax Season Team. All tax preparation done by MEDA is FREE to clients.

This is the perfect way to improve your skills while you improve the lives of low- and moderate-income Mission residents.

### Better your skills.

Learn tax law and the latest in tax software, plus refine your customer-service skills.

### Better your resume.

All volunteers who pass the IRS Basic Certification exam will receive a certificate from the IRS upon completion of the program. Plus, volunteering is a great addition to your resume.

### Better people's lives.

**Last tax season, over 3,300 tax returns were done for FREE at MEDA and its satellite VITA sites. Over \$5.33 million were refunded to clients in the 2014 tax season.**

### Better your life.

Volunteering gives you a greater sense of purpose.

## Training Dates

### Part 1:

Saturday, November 1st, 1–4pm  
Friday, November 21st, 5–8pm  
Saturday, December 6th, 1–4pm  
Saturday, January 3rd, 1–4pm  
Friday, January 16th, 5–8pm

### Part 2:

Saturday, November 8th, 12–6pm  
Saturday, November 22nd, 12–6pm  
Saturday, December 13th, 12–6pm  
Saturday, January 10th, 12–6pm  
Saturday, January 17th, 12–6pm

**If you are interested in volunteering, please contact our Volunteer Services Manager, Leah Cerri: (415) 282-3334 ext. 156; lcerri@medasf.org.**