Host Employer Information: Since the redevelopment of Ocean House in 2010, new hotels and restaurants have slowly begun to join our collection. Each of these a destination in its own right, all have their own names and personalities, and are managed by teams who regard their properties as "their" properties and are engaged and encouraged to contribute new ideas. Although unique in character, each property shares a passion for the values that define our collection and its special promise to our guests. Each hotel and restaurant shares this philosophy: Exceptional, discreet and professional service is an essential part of the experience, ensuring that all customers feel like honored guests rather than paying visitors.

Our brand character is our unique style, and it relates to every aspect of the guest experience: our product, our processes, our architectural and interior design, our identity, our marketing, and, most importantly, our people. They shape the way we do things, and they are at the center of what differentiates us from our competitors. Whether in the kitchen, dining room or administration, our motivation is creating memorable experiences for one another and for our guests. We ask that our associates take initiative, act with integrity and humility and work together to uphold and build upon our standards.
**Cultural Information:** The Ocean House & Weekapaug Inn have been hiring J1 Summer Work & Travel participants from over ten countries for many years.

**Job Placement Descriptions & Salaries:** There are many opportunities available at Ocean House Management:

- Beach Attendants - $11.50/hour plus weekly gratuity and monthly incentive – Guaranteed $20.00/hour
- Banquet Servers - $25.00/hour
- Ocean House Guest Relations Agent - $12.50/hour plus monthly incentive (average $3.00/hour)
- Bell Valet - $11.50/hour plus weekly incentive (average $10.00/hour)
- Servers & Server Assistants (Food Runners, Bussers, Bar Back) - $4.50 – 5.50/hour plus weekly gratuity
- Restaurant Hosts - $12.50/hour plus weekly gratuity
- Cooks - $13.50 – $16.50/hour DOE plus monthly incentive (averages $1.00/hour)
- Weekapaug Inn Bath House Cashier/Cook - $12.50 – $13.50/hour plus gratuity and monthly incentive (averages $1.28/hour)
- Dishwashers - $12.50/hour plus monthly incentive (average $1.51/hour)

**Work Hours:** 32-40 hours per week

**Uniforms:** You must maintain a neat and clean appearance while at work. The hotel will provide uniforms and launder them at no cost to you. You should bring or plan to purchase black pants, white long sleeve button down shirt, black socks and comfortable black shoes. You will be instructed on what type of shoes to purchase when you have been assigned a position and issued a uniform. Hair should be kept neat and men’s hair should not be longer than collar length. Only conservative jewelry is allowed. Men may not wear earrings at work, women may wear no more than two earrings per ear. No other piercings may be worn at work. Any tattoos should be covered while at work.

**Interview Format:** OHM will conduct a Zoom interview with you, which InterExchange will arrange for you.

**Housing Information:** Housing is in a motel, some units with kitchens, all with small fridge and microwave. Company housing is available with a weekly rent deduction of $100 for a triple/quadruple occupancy and $125 per week for double occupancy. There is security payment of $100 taken from four weekly deductions of $25. You receive the security back after satisfactory housing inspection and return of key. Common room for students including tv, internet and washer/dryer. Housing is one block from a busy summer beach area. We supply transportation from housing to the hotel. It is a little less than half a mile to the shuttle stop which students walk to. Housing units come with bedding, Wifi, Cable TV, mini fridge and microwave. There are community kitchens and free washers and dryers in each housing unit.
Area Information

Westerly is a town on the southwestern shoreline of Washington County, Rhode Island. It is a beachfront community on the south shore of the state. The town holds a number of annual events such as First Night and The Summer Pops, hosted by the Chorus of Westerly every June in the town park. Shakespeare in the Park is held in Wilcox Park.