Dr. Wiley’s Weekly Brief
The GW Political Science Department Undergraduate Newsletter

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Paid Opportunities

Internship Position in Government Affairs Department

I. Overview: Aetna is hiring a Government Affairs Intern for their Washington, D.C. office conveniently located near Union Station. This position would provide interns with valuable experience with the operations of a fast-paced government affairs office in the aftermath and implementation of the most sweeping health care reforms ever enacted. Interns will gain experience reading legislation/regulations, drafting advocacy documents and summarizing key meetings. Interns also will have exposure to select industry, stakeholder, and Capitol Hill hearings and meetings. Interns will ideally work between 16-20 hours per week and will be paid a competitive hourly wage.

II. Required Characteristics: The successful individual will be:

- **Proactive**: The successful candidate will be a self-starter that identifies, prioritizes, and expeditiously completes critical tasks and projects to achieve needed objectives.
- **Accurate and detail oriented**: This position requires an individual committed to assuring the quality and accuracy of written documents, facts and other data used externally.
- **Organized and enjoy multiple tasking**: This individual must be capable of juggling multiple projects and shifting timeframes. The successful candidate will adapt to changing priorities but still bring projects to a timely completion.
- **Flexible with strong work ethic**: Legislative opportunities are time-sensitive and ever changing. Therefore, the successful candidate would be focused on working efficiently and effectively to accomplish projects in an expeditious manner.

*To Apply: Please send PDF version of resume and cover letter (including GPA and availability) to John Graziano at grazianoj@aetna.com.*

NEW POSTING!

**PAID INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES IN RESEARCH AND POLICY PROMOTION:**

Heritage is looking for rising juniors, seniors, and grad school students interested in experiencing DC first hand this spring. Our program will run from January 12th to May 8th with opportunities in **research** (Asian Studies, Latin America, cybersecurity, national security, international economics, energy, regulatory policy, law, welfare reform, and more) and **policy promotion** (marketing, outreach, communications, business, development, etc.) You can find a [full list online](#) of our 60 open positions in policy, promotion, business and more.

For more information, visit [www.heritage.org/internships](http://www.heritage.org/internships). Interested applicants should apply by October 1st by filling out our [online application](#). They also need to submit 2 letters of recommendation and an official school transcript by the deadline. International students must also submit work authorization.
On September 11, the United Nations Foundation (UNF) is hosting a viewing of the documentary "Honor Diaries" at GWU's Jack Morton Auditorium. We would like to invite students and faculty of the George Washington University's – Political Science Department to attend the viewing of this event. Associate Producer Julie Smolyansky (CEO of Lifeway Foods) and member of the UN Foundation's Global Entrepreneurs Council will moderate the panel.

This powerful film has a particular focus on female genital mutilation (FGM), honor violence and honor killings, early and forced marriage, and lack of access to education. The film profiles nine women's rights activists with origins in the Muslim (and non-Muslim) world, and follows their efforts to affect change, both within their communities and beyond.

Jack Morton Auditorium
805 21st Street NW
September 11, 2014
Reception Viewing and Panel Discussion, 6:00 – 8:30 pm
The trailer can be viewed at: http://www.honordiaries.com/

The Synopsis:
These women, who have witnessed firsthand the hardships women endure, are profiled in their efforts to affect change, both in their communities and beyond. The film gives a platform to exclusively female voices and seeks to expose the paralyzing political correctness that prevents many from identifying, understanding and addressing this international human rights disaster. Freedom of movement, the right to education, forced marriage, and female genital mutilation are some of the systematic abuses explored in depth. Spurred by the Arab Spring, women who were once silent are starting to speak out about gender inequality and are bringing visibility to a long history of oppression. This project draws together leading women’s rights activists and provides a platform where their voices can be heard and serves as inspiration to motivate others to speak out. More than a movie, Honor Diaries is a movement meant to inspire viewers to learn more about issues facing women in Muslim-majority societies, and to act for change.
INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY
STUDENT PROGRAMS
VIRTUAL INFO SESSION

U.S. citizenship is required

LEARN ABOUT INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY OPPORTUNITIES FOR CURRENT STUDENTS ONLINE

The United States Intelligence Community (IC), an integrated network of agencies that work together to protect our nation’s security, has internship, co-op, and scholarship opportunities for current students. Join us at the IC Student Programs Virtual Info Session to see how you can participate. Chat with Student Program Managers and learn how to apply.

Internship and co-operative education opportunities are available for undergraduate and graduate students majoring in the following areas:

- Accounting
- Business Administration
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Criminal Justice
- Data Science
- Economics
- Engineering (Computer, Electrical, Mechanical, and Power)
- Environmental Science
- Finance
- Foreign Languages
- Geospatial/Geographic Studies
- Geology
- Information Assurance/Cybersecurity
- Intelligence/National Security Studies
- International Affairs
- Law
- Mathematics
- Operations Research
- Physics
- Political Science/Public Policy
- Public Relations/Marketing

Scholarships are available for students studying chemistry, computer science, computer or electrical engineering, foreign languages, geology, international affairs, intelligence/national security studies, and political science.

The following IC agencies will be participating in the fair:
- Central Intelligence Agency (CIA)
- Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA)
- Department of Homeland Security (DHS Office of Intelligence and Analysis)
- Department of State (DOS) (Live auditorium presentation only)
- National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA)
- National Security Agency (NSA)

Use your computer or mobile device to:
- Visit IC agencies virtual booths to learn about internships, scholarships and co-operative education programs
- Attend live presentations
- Link to IC agency websites and online application systems

*This list is not meant to be all inclusive and similar majors will be considered. Not all participating agencies have opportunities in all listed majors.

*U.S. citizenship is required

The United States Intelligence Community is an Equal Opportunity Employer and a Drug-free Workplace
MONDAY 9/8
11am-2:45pm Center for Career Services Info Table | Marvin Center 1st Floor
12noon-1pm Open House: Meet Your Career Coach | Resource Room—Colonial Crossroads—Marvin Center 5th Floor
6-8pm Kick Off Event | Dorothy Betts Marvin Theater & Marvin Center Continental Ballroom

TUESDAY 9/9
9am-10:00 Lobby Greeting with Deloitte | Duques Hall Main Lobby
11am-2:45pm Center for Career Services Info Table | Marvin Center 1st Floor
12noon-2:30pm Vets: Marketing Yourself for a Career After College | Marvin Center 307
6-8pm Dress for Success! A FutureU Special Event Co-sponsored with Ann Taylor Loft & Men’s Wearhouse | Dorothy Betts Marvin Theater
7-9:30pm Covering the Midterm Elections—Panel Discussion & SSWPA Alumni Reception | Jack Morton Auditorium (Panel open to all)

WEDNESDAY 9/10
11am-2:45pm Center for Career Services Info Table | Marvin Center 1st Floor
12noon-2pm GW Linkedin Virtual Networking Hour | http://alumni.gwu.edu/gw-linkedin-virtual-networking-hours
5-6pm Ace the Interview—Get the Job! | Marvin Center 405
6:30-8:00pm Student & Alumni Speed Networking | Marvin Center 307; 402-404; 407

THURSDAY 9/11
11am-2:45pm Center for Career Services Info Table | Marvin Center 1st Floor
1-2pm On Campus Recruiting (OCR) & Site Visits Overview | Colonial Crossroads Resource Room—Marvin Center 5th Floor
2-4pm LinkedIn Lulu/GWork | Colonial Crossroads Resource Room—Marvin Center 5th Floor
3-4pm Study Abroad Returnee Workshop | Marvin Center 402-404
5-6pm Effective Internship & Job Search Strategies | Marvin Center 405
6-7pm Student2Student: Interns’ Inside Scoop | Marvin Center Amphitheater

FRIDAY 9/12
11am-2:45pm Center for Career Services Info Table | Marvin Center 1st Floor

PROGRAMS AND EVENTS OPEN TO ALL STUDENTS
RSVP GWork.gwu.edu or GWorkSB.gwu.edu
For specialized Career Week programs for GWSB students, go to business.gwu.edu/careercenter

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GWSB Career Center
business.gwu.edu/careercenter

Center for Career Services Drop-in Hours: Mon-Fri 11am-4pm
Colonial Crossroads Resource Room—Marvin Center 5th Floor
Internships

Fall Internship in Congress!

Kansas Congressman Kevin Yoder is currently looking for qualified students to apply for a full or part-time Fall internship in the Congressman’s Washington D.C. office. Applications for hard-working and motivated undergraduate and graduate students can be found on Congressman Yoder’s website http://yoder.house.gov/. Congressman Yoder’s office is seeking individuals with a strong desire in government and public service. Internships are offered during the school year for both the Fall and Spring semesters as well as opportunities for the summer.

Intern with DC Campaign!
Welcome back, students! Are you looking to get involved politically while exploring the wonderful city of DC. Join us on a progressive independent At-Large DC Council campaign for a unique opportunity to get to know DC while meeting students and residents from across the city. Eight Wards in Eight Weeks! Join our Student Ambassador League as we travel to all eight wards working to elect small business owner and community organizer, Khalid Pitts, to the DC Council. Each week, you will travel with a team to a different part of the city talking to voters and getting our campaign's message out. This is a great experience to get to know DC and to start to get involved politically. If you're interested, contact getinvolved@khalidforcouncil.com. Also, check out our website http://www.khalidforcouncil.com/

NEW POSTING!!

Project Northstar a tutoring and mentoring program for homeless and low income kids (grades K-12) in Washington, D.C. is looking for well-rounded, friendly and energetic interns to help out this fall between 15-40 hours per week. Since Project Northstar is a very small office, our interns play a big part in helping to keep the program running smoothly. Interns can expect to manage any number of projects from working on our social media outreach and event planning to grant research/writing and fundraising. The internship position is unpaid, however interns will gain valuable experience in the nonprofit sector and general project management.

To apply, please send resume and cover letter to Bronwyn Townsend at BTownsend@mppi.org
NEW POSTING!!

Political internship (for summer or fall ‘14)- work on a campaign!

The Hogan for Governor Campaign is a statewide, gubernatorial campaign committed to changing Maryland, and bringing fiscal responsibility and common sense to Annapolis.

We are currently internship openings in the following areas:

**Headquarters staff** will be involved in research, event planning, office duties, finance and fundraising, phone bank organization and other duties as assigned.

**Field staff** will be involved in volunteer outreach and management, event organization, operational planning, phone bank organization, signs and other road work, and other duties as assigned.

**Communications staff** will be involved in managing our hundred-thousand followers on social media, working with press and community organizations, writing and research, office work, and other duties as assigned.

All internships involve hands-on experience and direct contact with candidates and campaign staff with years of experience in multiple state and national campaigns.

We currently have internship openings for students for the Summer or Fall 2014 semesters. All internships will be available for continuance throughout the entire Hogan for Governor Campaign.

We will work with universities to arrange credit hours if needed.

Interns are expected to work side-by-side with staff with the understanding that campaign hours grow longer as the campaign progresses. Students enrolled in classes will have class schedules taken into consideration. Hours and days of the week are flexible. Some work on weeknights and weekend days will be expected, however.

Our headquarters is located in Annapolis; some statewide travel may be expected. Depending on your location, there may be opportunities elsewhere in the state.

**Requirements:**

- Desire to work on a statewide, multi-million dollar gubernatorial campaign.
- Strong work ethic and desire to learn.
- Student must provide their own transportation and be available for in-state travel.
- Laptop computer or tablet

To apply please send the following in an email:

- Resume, with at least 3 references
- Typed response *(1 paragraph each)* to the following questions:
  1. Why do you want to work for the Hogan for Governor campaign?
  2. What would you bring to the Hogan for Governor team?
  3. Why do you think a Hogan-Rutherford administration would be good for Maryland?
  4. What history/experience do you have in politics, if any? If none, what would you hope to learn?

**Please contact:** Paul Beatty  443-221-4450 x113  
phbeatty@hoganforgovernor.com

*Authority: Hogan-Rutherford Committee to Change Maryland, John C. Wobensmith, Treasurer*
NEW POSTING!!

The James Wilson Institute on Natural Rights and the American Founding is announcing a new internship program for the Fall 2014 academic term. The Institute, founded by Prof. Hadley Arkes of Amherst College in 2000, is dedicated to reviving the thought and writings of James Wilson, Alexander Hamilton, John Marshall, Abraham Lincoln, and other great American statesmen, philosophers, and jurists on natural right. Our mission is to teach the principles, understood by those men, which form the deep axioms of law and morality, and precede even the Constitution itself.

The exceptional students accepted into this highly competitive internship program will be intimately involved the pursuit of the Institute’s mission. Interns will receive opportunities to learn from engagement in all aspects of the Institute’s substantive work, such as the following:

- Researching and analyzing legal and press material for draft legislation
- Planning and coordinating academic and judicial conferences
- Editing and publicizing scholarly writings from Prof. Arkes and others
- Representing the Institute at meetings of the Senate Conservative Working Group and Senate Values Action Team, and at lectures and events hosted by American Enterprise Institute, the Federalist Society, the Heritage Foundation, Hillsdale College’s Kirby Center, and our other partner organizations
- Creating and managing content for the Institute’s website
- Maintaining a dialogue with the Institute’s supporters, partners, and friends

Interns would ideally work 10-15 hours per week, but we understand that the most excellent candidates will likely have other substantial academic and extracurricular commitments, and are therefore willing to be flexible with regard to hours. The Institute’s offices are located at 1730 Rhode Island Ave. NW, within walking distance of George Washington University, and a short bus ride away from Georgetown University. Interns will be paid a modest stipend for their work.

Applicants for fall internships should submit the following to Garrett Snedeker, our Assistant Director, at garrett@jameswilsoninstitute.org:

- A resumé
- A cover letter
- A writing sample of roughly 1000 words
- A letter of recommendation from a professor or former employer (optional)
congressional Internship Program (Non-paid)

Student internship opportunities are available now and throughout the year in the Office of U.S. Representative Juan Vargas. Congressman Vargas represents the 51st Congressional District which includes all of San Diego and Imperial Counties and a border region. Internship positions are available in Legislative, staff drafting, research, legislative ill, correspondence; working with press staff on press outreach and information gathering projects; providing support work for schedulers and office managers; processing mail answering phones and other various staff support work.

Applicants will be asked to provide a resume, cover letter, three references and a short writing sample (three pages or less). Please include a brief synopsis of your interest in interning for a congressional office, your issues of interest (Agriculture, Health, Foreign Affairs, Veterans, Immigration, Environment, etc.) and your availability.

Our fall, winter, and summer programs offer flexible hours student’s school schedule. We require a minimum of 8 hour per week. Duties vary widely and include, but are not limited to: working with legislative to easily coincide with a salaried position; legislative staff drafting; research; legislative ill, correspondence; working with press staff on press outreach and information gathering projects; providing support work for schedulers and office managers; processing mail answering phones and other various staff support work.

Applicants will be asked to provide a resume, cover letter, three references and a short writing sample (three pages or less). Please include a brief synopsis of your interest in interning for a congressional office, your issues of interest (Agriculture, Health, Foreign Affairs, Veterans, Immigration, Environment, etc.) and your availability.

If applicable, credit for internship.

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Intern with Rep Jeffries!

U.S. Representative Hakeem Jeffries' Washington office is accepting highly energetic press intern applicants for the fall! This is a perfect opportunity for exceptionally talented students who want to get involved in the communications arena, political arena or both! In this internship, you’ll have real work that will provide an invaluable skill-set for the real world! We’re looking for meticulous interns who can hit the ground running with ease, persistence, determination and passion!

Duties will include: Writing and research, Issue tracking, Administrative tasks, Compiling and organizing daily news clips, Maintaining press and media contact lists, Assisting with the office’s viral media and social networking operations, Conducting research and compiling statistics for senior staff, Special event support

Qualifications:
- Bachelors degree with strong academic credentials (completed or in-progress)
- Exceptional interpersonal skills
- Strong sense of initiative and personal leadership demonstrating the ability to function independently, but must also be able to contribute to team initiatives
- Must be articulate, organized, meticulous, and able to multi-task in a dynamic, rapidly-changing environment
- Excellent communication skills (verbal and written)

Application Process: Submit resume, letter of reference, short writing sample, cover letter including dates and hours of availability and a personal statement outlining your interest in working for Congressman Jeffries. Please submit all resumes to pressinterns08@mail.house.gov

NEW POSTING!!

Ready for Hillary's Communications team is looking for an intern for the fall.

Day-to-day work in the Communications office:
- Monitoring media coverage and social media sites.
- Designing, proofreading, and editing digital content.
- Gathering, organizing, and distributing press clips
- Assisting with special projects, including targeting digital efforts, creating performance reports, and managing taskmasters involving outside consultants.
- Supporting the daily needs of outside consultants, including working with consultants to create testing reports.
- Creating a bank of photos and quotes from Hillary Clinton.

If interested, contact Sean England at sean@readyforhillary.com
Intern with RNC!
The Republican National Committee is seeking interns to work at the national headquarters in Washington, DC this fall. The program runs August 25 – December 19, 2014 with full time and part time positions available in all our departments. Internships are unpaid but we do offer school credit. Qualified applicants should submit a resume, two letters of recommendation and a completed RNC Internship application to internships@gop.com. More information can be found on our website at http://www.gop.com/internships. Applications for the fall are accepted on a rolling basis and there is no official deadline; however, in order to ensure a timely review of your application materials, we recommend you submit your application materials early. Please contact the intern coordinator at (202)863-8630 if you have any questions.

Fundraising Internship!
Company Description
Advanced Network Strategies is a Democratic Campaign Fundraising firm located on Capitol Hill specializing in contributions from interest groups. The firm’s twelve clients cover a wide range of knowledge, expertise, and geography. Its client roster currently boasts 12 Members of Congress including Mike Thompson (CA), Bennie Thompson (MS), Collin Peterson (MN), John Larson (CT), Emanuel Cleaver (MO), Hank Johnson (GA), Jim Cooper (TN), Janice Hahn (CA), Luis Gutierrez (IL), Robin Kelly (IL), Michelle Lujan Grisham (NM), and Marcia Fudge (OH).

Job Description
Interns will interact with Members of Congress, Lobbyists, and Hill Staffers on a daily basis. Additionally, the firm consists of only two paid employees, making our intern a valuable and necessary part of the office. While the job does include some data entry, the vast majority of our intern’s responsibilities involve direct interaction with our clients and potential contributors. Interns will be responsible for planning and executing fundraisers, conducting research on potential donors, staffing Members of Congress, as well as soliciting contributions from interest groups and individuals. This is an unpaid internship.

Job Qualifications
The ideal candidate would be well-versed in current events (e.g. read a newspaper daily), have excellent phone presence, be able to multi-task in a fast-paced environment, be responsive and decisive. Because our interns spend so much of their time interacting with Members and their staffs, candidates must be mature, professional, and a quick-study.

To Apply
To apply, please send a copy of your resume to Julie Vieburg at JVieburg@gmail.com.
NEW POSTING!!

**Impact issues that matter this year with the Fund!**

The Fund for the Public Interest is a national non-profit organization that works to build support for progressive organizations across the country. We run campaigns for the Human Rights Campaign, USPIRG, and Environment America. This year we will be in over 50 cities, working and lobbying to help win environmental and social justice campaigns. In our DC office, we will be working on behalf of the Human Rights Campaign to end workplace discrimination for the LGBT community. Our current campaign is working to pass a bill through the house that would end employment discrimination on a national level. At this time, we have paid positions open on our campaign staff in our DC office. We require that interested candidates are hard workers and have excellent communication skills.

As a member of our staff, you will fundraise, build membership for HRC, and educate and activate citizens on the pressing issues or workplace equality. While on staff, you gain knowledge of LGBT civil rights issues, learn how to effectively generate public support, and obtain a firm understanding of the political process. We will be holding information sessions and interviews at our local office located at 218 D Street SE, Washington, DC 20003.

To apply, please visit [http://fundforthepublicinterest.org/page/fpi/apply-now-washington-dc](http://fundforthepublicinterest.org/page/fpi/apply-now-washington-dc) or call (202) 546-5338

NEW POSTING!!

Congresswoman Barbara Lee (CA-13) seeks a highly motivated, full-time **Intern for fall 2014**. Interns are responsible for both administrative and legislative duties. Administrative tasks include assisting the staff assistant with answering phones, greeting visitors, sorting mail, entering data, and drafting correspondence. Legislative support includes performing research, drafting public statements, preparing materials for hearings, attending hearings and briefings, reaching out to agencies and other congressional offices, and a host of various special projects.

Candidates should be professional and possess strong oral and written communication skills, and an ability to multitask in a fast-paced environment. Ties to California’s 13th Congressional District are a plus but not required. Interested and qualified applicants should send their resume, cover letter, and writing sample to lee.internships@mail.house.gov as soon as possible. Minority candidates are strongly encouraged to apply. Please note this is an unpaid internship.
August 22, 2014

To whom it may concern,

D.C. Council candidate Kris Hammond (Republican) is searching for students who are interested in gaining valuable knowledge about the political process. Student interns will work towards becoming adept professionals through hands-on experience with civic organizations, elected officials, the candidate, and the general public.

Beginning September 1st, these internship opportunities are open to any student on a rolling basis. Hours are flexible, but students must commit to a minimum of six hours per week. There are multiple positions available, including data processing, research, and outreach roles.

While these positions are unpaid, eligible students encounter political opportunities not available elsewhere, receive credit for service hours, and, upon completion of the program, receive a letter of recommendation. Interns should complete a minimum of 50 work hours before listing the organization as a reference.

Interns will be expected to assist the campaign with one or more of the following activities:

* Voter Contacts
* Outreach Activities
* Grassroots Organization
* Event Planning
* Membership Recruitment

For more information and to apply, please contact the Campaign Manager, Dustin Howard, at (571) 395-7005 or krisfordc@gmail.com. The campaign website is www.KrisForDC.com.
Grassroots organizing internship with USPIRG

Every day decisions are being made at the state capitol, the Governor’s office, and Congress that impact our health, environment, economy and democracy. USPIRG works to ensure the voice of the public is represented and fights to protect the public interest. We start with hard-hitting research on the issues and make the case for reform to our decision makers through advocacy. However, just having the facts is often not enough, so we build power through grassroots organizing, coalition building, media work and public education to achieve tangible benefits for the public and overcome the opposition from powerful special interests.

Interns working in our Grassroots Organizing Internship will work with our professional staff on a public interest issue—local, statewide, regional or federal—and then learn to develop a campaign, educate and mobilize the key constituencies, stakeholders, and the general public.

Our priority campaign right now is to stop the overuse of antibiotics on factory farms. Antibiotics are a cornerstone of modern medicine. They are essential to keeping people alive and well, whether it’s fighting pneumonia or dealing with infections that set in from scrapes or after chemotherapy. However, these drugs are becoming increasingly less effective due to the growing problem of antibiotic-resistant bacteria, or “superbugs.” A large part of this problem is due to the practice on many big farms of routinely putting antibiotics into the daily feed of healthy animals for growth promotion and disease prevention. In fact, 70% of antibiotics in classes used in human medicine are sold to be fed to animals on these farms. The result? Bacteria that come into contact with those animals develop resistance to antibiotics, putting us at risk for infection that antibiotics may no longer treat. In fact, 2 million people fall ill and 23,000 people die from drug-resistant infections each year. The solution is simple. We are calling on the Obama administration to stop the overuse of antibiotics on factory farms, and we need your help in making a difference.

PROTECT THE PUBLIC INTEREST AND MAKE A DIFFERENCE:
  • Gain firsthand experience into the political process
  • Sharpen your communication skills by working with the media
  • Learn to develop and run an effective campaign to influence decision-makers
  • Gain experience recruiting and working with volunteers
  • Learn to build a coalition and work with coalition partners

To apply, email your resume and cover letter to pclough@pirg.org or apply online here: http://bit.ly/pirginternship.
The United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) is looking for motivated students interested in an opportunity to participate in a full-time internship program. Interns will have an opportunity to work alongside DHS employees, gain critical work experience, and build invaluable relationships. DHS departments include: Office of Legislative Affairs, National Protection Programs Directorate, Customs and Border Protection, Immigrations and Customs Enforcement, United States Customs and Immigration Services, Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, White House Liaison’s Office, Office of Public Affairs, Office of International Affairs/Policy, TSA

DHS Background:

- Created in 2002, The United States Department of Homeland Security leads a unified national effort to secure and strengthen America, preserve our freedoms, and uphold a strong and resilient society.
- DHS consists of more than 225,000 employees working in a vast array of fields. Examples include aviation, border, and cyber security, science and technology, intelligence analysis, civil rights protection, legal counseling, and legislative oversight.
- DHS headquarters are located at the Nebraska Avenue Complex, on 3801 Nebraska Ave NW, across the street from American University.
- DHS compound headquarters are located throughout the National Capital Region.

Purpose:

- To offer dedicated students with an interest in public service a meaningful opportunity to serve as a part-time intern in one of DHS’ departments.
- To provide students with an occasion to gain invaluable work experience, and to provide them with crucial employment tools and relationships.
- To usher in a generation of leaders with a desire to service our nation.

Student must be enrolled at a university, college or community college at least half-time and must be available to work at least 20 hours per week.

To apply, email your resume, completed application, statement of interest, transcript and 1 recommendation to WHLOintern@HQ.DHS.GOV by midnight on Friday, September 12, 2014. On your resume, be sure to include your GPA, work experience, community service, and updated contact information.