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Paid Opportunities

NEW POSTING!!

Edison Research is looking to hire some dependable, outstanding undergraduate students to help us on election day. Specifically, we are looking to hire students to collect precinct vote data at polling places throughout the Arlington/Alexandria area on election night, then call them in to our operators. The position pays $50 per polling place.

If interested, please call 888-325-8683 (Stephen McGee, Election Exit Poll Coordinator)

Edison Research
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www.edisonresearch.com

NEW POSTING!!

PAID SPRING 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.

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.
NEW POSTING!!

FOR IMMEDIATE HIRE: Work Opportunity through November 4th.

Political Compliance Management Services (PCMS) is looking for a short-term (through November 4th) full-time member.

What is it:

- PCMS is a political compliance firm in charge of doing campaign finance for campaigns around the country, congressional and senate - all Democratic.
- We process contributions, campaign spending, campaign payroll, etc. - in short all the finance stuff needed by the Federal Election Commission.

Ideal for:

- it would be a good job for someone who is already in DC and is looking for work, but who hasn’t found it yet, and would be able to resume looking in November. It’s decidedly short term, but it would be full time during the short term and the person would be able to make money during that time.

Interested?

- Please contact Rachel Landsberg
- Email: rachelal@gwmail.gwu.edu
- Phone: 215-908-1792

NEW POSTING!!

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, U.S. PIRG, 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 raise funds, 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 or call (202) 546-5338
Events & Opportunities

NEW POSTING!!

Undergraduate Research Enhancement Funds
Columbian College undergraduates who incur direct expenses while conducting faculty-mentored research or completing a capstone project are eligible for reimbursement through this joint initiative of CCAS and the GW Office of Teaching and Learning. Examples of permissible expenses include travel, books, supplies, memberships, or equipment. Expenses should not be of the type that the faculty mentor would ordinarily cover. The funds must be expended before June 1, 2015. To apply for UREF support, a student must submit this application form to Brad Gilligan (bradly@gwu.edu) in Phillips 107 no later than October 17, 2014. Earlier applications will get earlier consideration for the limited funds available. A GPA of 3.0 or greater is required. In addition, the student applicant must arrange to have the faculty mentor write an e-mail message (to Brad) supporting the request.

NEW POSTING!!
Application deadlines (Nov. 23 and Mar. 1) have been set for our Luther Rice Undergraduate Research Fellowships. This fellowship program invites students from all disciplines to submit faculty-mentored research proposals for the 2015-16 academic year. Students who are selected will receive $5,000, and the faculty mentor will be given an additional $1,000. The Luther Rice Fellows have earned a reputation as being among the brightest and most engaging CCAS students. This year 25 students were selected from a pool of 43 applicants, but I would welcome the challenge of finding additional funding if we receive an even greater number of excellent proposals. If you have questions, you may reach out to me at dullman@gwu.edu, or to Paul Hoyt-O’Connor, Director of the Center for Undergraduate Fellowships and Research, at phoytoc@gwu.edu.

NEW POSTING!!
From February 13 to February 14, 2015, eighty undergraduate and graduate students from US universities will gather at the Yale School of Management to discuss the future of the European Union. There will be five workshops: borders (focused on immigration in the Mediterranean), the transatlantic relationship (focused on the Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership), innovative economy (focused on youth unemployment), democratic participation (focused on the rise of far-right extremism) and identity (focused on social solidarity in Europe). In each workshop, students will develop their visions and strategies together with an EU policy-maker and a distinguished professor with a background in EU studies. At the end of the conference students will present their conclusions to a representative from the European Commission. Furthermore, participants will create a US-based student think tank, through which they will dedicate their creativity, ingenuity and time to build the future of the European Union. Applications are due on October 27 (both undergraduates and graduates) and December 1 (only undergraduates, 2nd round). Please download the application form and apply at www.escatyale.com. Feel free to address any questions to info@escatyale.com. Travel costs, food, and accommodation are covered by the conference thanks to the generous support of the European Commission under the Erasmus+ programme.
NEW POSTING!!

The Columbia Undergraduate Law Review, a journal of undergraduate legal scholarship based at Columbia University in the City of New York, is accepting submissions for its Fall 2014 issue. The deadline for submissions is Sunday, October 5th at 11:55pm but we encourage you to submit before that deadline. In recognition of the various paths undergraduates may take to study law, we welcome submission of research articles, senior theses, and essays embracing a wide range of topics and viewpoints related to the field of law. Undergraduate students in any major, track, or class year should thus feel free to send us their work. Check out www.columbia.edu/cu/culr to view past journals or to read our mission statement.

Submissions should be double-spaced in Microsoft Word .doc or .docx format, follow the Chicago style, and include endnotes as well as a Works Cited section. Although we will consider submissions of any length, the majority of published pieces range from 20 to 25 pages. It would be highly appreciated if longer papers could be shortened to fit this page length recommendation before submission. In the document, please also include the following information:

1. Your name
2. Current email address and phone number
3. Undergraduate college/university
4. Year of graduation
5. Title
6. Indicate whether the paper is about: International Law, Domestic Law, Historical Law, or Other
7. 250-word abstract
8. Short explanation of when and why paper was initially written

Kindly submit your article on our website under the "Submissions" tab rather than emailing us directly. However, please do not hesitate to contact us at culreboard@columbia.edu with any questions or concerns.

NEW POSTING!!

EMPact America in partnership with Breitbart and the Center For Security Policy will be holding the 2nd National Security Action Summit on Monday, September 29th at the Marriott Wardman Hotel in Washington DC. Dinesh D'Souza will kick the event off with a screening of his film America. Afterward, he will speak on the important role America plays on the world stage. Attendees will then have an opportunity for a question and answer period with Dinesh. Following Dinesh, we will have another star studded lineup including remarks by Vice President Dick Cheney, LTC Allen West, Senator Ted Cruz and many more.

To register for this event, please visit homelandthreats.com. Admission is $10.00 and includes continental breakfast and boxed lunch. If you have any questions, please email us at info@empactamerica.org. We look forward to seeing you there!
NEW POSTING!!

Everything an undergraduate could ask for.
( Including covering application fees!)

The Institute for Humane Studies is hosting a series of online webinars and a new funding option that should be of great interest to students you may know.

Grad School 101 Webinars

In this series of lively webinars led by experienced faculty, we go over all the ins and outs of grad school from deciding whether you should pursue a career in academia to choosing the program that's right for you to making the most of your experience once you're in. For complete information and to register please visit the Grad School 101 web page.

PhD Application Fee Waiver

The IHS PhD Application Fee Waiver makes it more affordable to apply to graduate school programs because it reimburses up to $300 in application fees and can increase the chances of getting into the program that’s right for you. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. For more information and to apply please visit the PhD Application Fee Waiver web page.

NEW POSTING!!

Don't just read sources. Start being one.

Interested in getting published? The Southern California International Review (SCIR) is now accepting outstanding submissions for publication in our Fall 2014 issue. Our priority deadline is September 21st and our regular deadline is October 5th. Early submissions are appreciated. Visit us online (http://www.scir.org) to see submission details and enter your work.

As a global research journal for international affairs, the SCIR provides undergraduates with the opportunity to have their work seen by the international affairs community at large. Managed and edited by students at USC, the Review publishes academic-grade research from undergraduates around the world. Each semester the Review evaluates submissions and selects up to 5 full-length works to be printed in the journal and displayed in the online edition. Past editions have pieces from Georgetown, Australian National University, USC, and other top international affairs programs.

A few criteria: Must be between 3,000-10,000 words, Must be submitted in doc or docx format, Must include a title page with an abstract, Must use a consistent citation format (e.g. MLA or Chicago)

To view our most recent issue and find out more, please visit www.scir.org and follow us on Facebook.
NEW POSTING!

Has the travel bug gotten to you? Are you a designer or a researcher at heart? Do you want to show off your debating skills at the Autumn Convention 2014 in Nijmegen? Then read on: perhaps IAPSS has just the right opportunities for you!

- CfA Student Research Committees

The IAPSS student research committees aim to mirror the research committees of the International Political Science Association (IPSA) and will cover various sub-fields within political science, ranging from methodological SRCs to Human Rights, Political Elites, Political Theory, Gender Studies, Comparative Politics, Electoral Systems, etc. If you would like to apply please fill in the annexed documents with the names and CVs of the members of the SRC alongside the title of the SRC, a short description of its purpose and specific field of study until 24th September 2014.

http://iapss.org/index.php/about/iapss-news/item/244-cfa-student-research-committees

- CfA Design Coordinator

Are you familiar with media design? Do you love playing around with infographics and Photoshop? Have you developed simple logos and banners before? IAPSS might just have the job for you! While you need not be affiliated with the discipline of political science, you will be in charge of all graphic and media design related activities with in the association. Interested? Check out the call for applications below and apply until September 28th!

http://iapss.org/index.php/about/iapss-news/item/245-cfa-design-coordinator

- Autumn Convention 2014: Show Debate

We present a Call For Applications for the Show Debate during the IAPSS Autumn Convention 2014, held in Nijmegen on 23 October. The proposition on which the debate will take place is: ‘Human rights as formulated in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights are universal and apply to humans everywhere without distinction.’ To apply for the position of debater on either side of the proposition, we expect you to write a short one-page essay explaining your position. The best 10 essayists will be selected and invited to the 2014 IAPSS Autumn Convention to debate the proposition in real life in an academic and engaging setting. The deadline for submission of your application is September 30th.

http://acganijmegen.wordpress.com/show-debate/

We look forward to your application!
In case of any enquiries or comments, please do not hesitate to get in touch with Wanda Tiefenbacher at international@iapss.org
NEW POSTING!!

Call for Submissions!

The Pi Sigma Alpha Undergraduate Journal of Politics

The Journal welcomes submissions from undergraduates of any class or major; submissions from Pi Sigma Alpha members are especially encouraged. We strive to publish manuscripts of the highest quality in all areas of political science. In general, papers selected for publication have been well-written with a well-developed thesis, compelling argument, and original analysis. Manuscripts will be considered with the understanding that they are original and have not been previously published. Authors may be asked to revise their manuscripts before they are accepted for publication.

Submitted manuscripts must include an abstract (150 words), and citations and references must follow the APSA Style Manual for Political Science. The maximum page length for submitted manuscripts is 35 double-spaced pages.

Submissions

Email submissions to psajournalou@gmail.com along with name, university affiliation, and contact information. Submission deadlines are OCTOBER 1 for the Fall issue and FEBRUARY 1 for the Spring issue. Manuscripts are accepted on a rolling basis, so earlier submissions are encouraged.

www.psajournal.org
NEW POSTING!!

Latino Votes

Get informed about the upcoming mid-term elections and the growing influence of the Latino Vote in local and national politics.

Tuesday September 23rd | 7pm
Marvin Center 3rd floor Amphitheater

Organization of Latino American Students

Panelists from: Libre Initiative, New Democrat Network, The Heritage Foundation, the Center for American Progress and the National Council of La Raza

For more information contact olas@gwu.edu
NEW POSTING!!

REMINDER:
The Fall 2014 Career & Internship Fair is coming up next Tuesday, September 23!

All GW students and alumni are invited and encouraged to attend.

Tuesday, September 23, 2014
1-5pm
Charles E. Smith Center
600 22nd Street, NW
Washington, DC

More than 100 diverse employers registered!

Student & Alumni may RSVP in GWork:  [http://gwork.gwu.edu](http://gwork.gwu.edu) (or their school-based GWork portal)

More Fair info and tips: [http://careerservices.gwu.edu/fall-2014-career-internship-fair](http://careerservices.gwu.edu/fall-2014-career-internship-fair)

A returning feature of the Fair is the LinkedIn Professional Photo Booth (sponsored by GW Alumni Relations) in which participants can stop by and get a free head shot taken by a professional photographer which they can use for their LinkedIn profile.

We will also once again feature the Fair Prep Room - this year sponsored by Macy’s.

See you at the Fair!
NEW POSTING!!

The Department of American Studies presents the 2nd annual
Mergen-Palmer Distinguished Lecture
in American Studies

This annual lecture is named in honor of Professors Bernard Mergen and Phyllis Palmer. Professors Mergen and Palmer each played a major role as a scholar and teacher at the George Washington University. We particularly honor their contributions to shaping the Department of American Studies over many years. These two scholars have broad interest in American Studies as a field, and specific interests in sustainability, food studies, and the environment.

Garden in the Machine: The Making of American Freshness
A Lecture by Dr. Susanne Freidberg

Elsewhere in the world, stereotypes about “American food” tend not to emphasize its freshness. Yet the history of this widely desired quality is in some ways a distinctly American one. This talk explores the ideals and technologies that have shaped freshness as we know it.

Monday, October 6, 2014, from 6:00PM to 8:00PM
Funger Hall 103
2201 G St, NW
Dr. Mount outlines a series of steps the United States can take to better gain the benefits of its extant commitments on nuclear disarmament, without having to unilaterally dismantle weapons or make policy changes like No First Use. These steps include the preparation and selective release of nuclear data, renovation of nuclear facilities, and changes to upcoming weapons acquisition programs. Many of the steps are cost-saving or appealing for other reasons, but packaging them as proactive preparations to meet disarmament safeguards could assist important diplomatic and nonproliferation initiatives.

Adam Mount is a Stanton Nuclear Security Fellow at the Council on Foreign Relations where he is writing a profile of nuclear disarmament in the United States. The book compares past disarmament debates with today's movement and shows how each have significantly impacted U.S. nuclear posture. He has spoken widely on the subject, including at the United Nations, Lawrence Livermore, Chatham House, CSIS, and at several academic meetings. Previously, he worked on nuclear elimination contingencies at the RAND Corporation. His writing is forthcoming at the Nonproliferation Review, and has appeared in the Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists, Intelligence and National Security, Democracy: A Journal of Ideas, and other outlets. He holds a Ph.D. in Government from Georgetown University. See Dr. Mount's full bio [here](#).

Lunch will be provided.
Internships
NEW POSTING!!

Are you ready to make a difference in the U.S. education system? Do you want to gain knowledge about education policy and put that into practice to create better education opportunities for all children? Do you have a knack for research and strong writing and communication skills?

If so, you would be a great fit at The Center for Education Reform (CER), the pioneer and leading voice for substantive change that improves learning opportunities and outcomes for America’s children.

As an intern with CER, you won’t be getting coffee – you’ll be working in all aspects of education policy, like research, advocacy, legislative affairs, and public relations. Responsibilities include, but aren’t limited to:

- Researching current education issues, analyzing reports and submitting briefs to CER staff;
- Maintaining membership information for charter schools;
- Assisting in tracking state legislative activity;
- Supporting outreach efforts to members;
- Updating and maintaining various databases;
- Attending and reporting on education policy briefings;
- Contributing to our Edspresso blog and The Media Bullpen© with interesting and topical content; and
- Assisting with mailings, filing, and answering the phone as needed.

Requirements: Applicants must be an undergraduate in college with an interest in education, public policy, and/or the nonprofit sector. Your passion and willingness to learn should be paired with sharp research and written communications skills.

How to Apply: Submit your resume, cover letter, and a 2-page writing sample to tloe@edreform.com. In your writing sample, address the following question: What do you see as the largest problem with education in the US today? For more information, visit: https://www.edreform.com/2013/10/intern-at-cer/
NEW POSTING!!

Apply to be a Campaign Organizer: 2 years of action for our environment, our democracy, our future

My name is Matthew Wellington and I’m a Campaign Organizer working to stop the overuse of antibiotics with U.S. PIRG. U.S. PIRG is part of The Public Interest Network, and we’re hiring!

To learn more and apply, visit http://publicinterestnetwork.org/page/pin/campaign-organizer. Our early application deadline is October 5th.

The Public Interest Network, which includes Environment America, PIRG and other groups, is hiring graduating seniors to join our team of 50 campaign organizers. It’s a two-year program designed to give you a chance to make a difference on some of the most important issues of our time.

Take global warming. It’s a ticking time bomb for life on this planet. But if we’re going to solve it, we have to get past the climate deniers in Congress. Campaign organizers work together to organize and mobilize citizens to take on global warming, antibiotic overuse, fracking, GMO foods, money in politics, clean water and other issues. As a campaign organizer, your number one focus is getting people involved. When people get involved, that’s when you see the energy and power it takes to win real change.

To learn more and apply, visit http://publicinterestnetwork.org/page/pin/campaign-organizer. Our early application deadline is October 5th.

And if you’re not graduating this year, you should apply to be a campaign intern –you’ll learn how to make an impact on critical issues, and there’s no better way to launch your career with us.
NEW POSTING!!

Progressive Media Strategy Firm Seeks PAID Interns for FALL 2014

West End Strategy Team is a Washington, D.C.-based media consulting and public relations firm that specializes in strategic communications campaigns for non-profit advocacy organizations. We work to achieve legislative, media and fundraising goals for clients who work in progressive domestic and foreign policy, social justice, human rights, faith-based advocacy, health care, conservation, women's rights and arts and culture. We are currently accepting applications for paid internship positions for the Fall. We are located in the West End neighborhood of Washington, D.C. near the red, blue and orange Metro lines.

Interns have the opportunity to gain hands-on experience working closely with progressive, nonprofit, Democratic and international organizations in a professional setting. Responsibilities include writing and editing news releases, researching client organizations, conducting media outreach, compiling press and client lists, aggregating news content and various clerical duties. Through this experience, interns will cultivate a working knowledge of highly relevant political organizations and the media.

Qualified applicants should possess strong written and verbal communication skills, be familiar with current events and demonstrate a thorough understanding of foreign and domestic politics. Other qualifications include strong administrative and organizational skills, the ability to conduct thorough research and a background in news writing and editing. Candidates should also be reliable, enthusiastic and able to work well with others in a fast-paced environment.

The firm pays around $50 a day. It's a great work environment, and they're located close to campus. An ideal candidate can work Monday, Wednesday, Friday (around 20 hours a week). If interested, please email your resume and availabilities to paulhailey3@gmail.com.
NEW POSTING!!

Internship description
Senator Casey offers internships in his Washington, D.C. and Pennsylvania offices to undergraduate and graduate students during the spring, summer and fall semesters. Interns will gain first-hand knowledge of the legislative process and of the daily operations of a Senate office by working with constituents and staff on issues affecting Pennsylvania. While our office welcomes all applicants, preference will be given to candidates with a Pennsylvania background.

Legislative internships are in the DC office and consist of a combination of legislative and administrative work. Intern duties include but are not limited to legislative research, attending briefings and hearings, preparing briefing memos, drafting constituent response letters, checking the front office voicemail, sorting incoming mail, and data entry. Interns also handle a variety of miscellaneous projects that surface on a given day. No stipend is provided, but the internship is available for school credit if approved by the student’s school.

We also offer a Veterans Internship for returning veterans or members of the armed services who are currently enrolled in educational programs such as the Post 9/11 GI-Bill or are recent graduates.

Application process
All internship applicants must apply through Senator Casey's online application by November 1, 2014. Click here for information about the internship and instructions to apply: http://www.casey.senate.gov/request/internships

Contact information
Intern Coordinator
393 Russell Senate Office Building
Washington, DC 20510
(202) 224-6324
internships@casey.senate.gov
NEW POSTING!!

COLLEGE STUDENTS
Interested in becoming a Legislative Intern for a member of the Maryland General Assembly?

Legislative Session January 14 - April 13, 2015
Applications should be received by the MGA Intern Office by October 31, 2014.

If you do not know the contact person for your college/university, please call:

    Intern Coordinator
    Phone: 410-946-5124 · Washington, DC Area: 301-970-5124
    Toll Free: 800-492-7122 Ext. 5124 · pegs@mlis.state.md.us

    Maryland General Assembly · Department of Legislative Services
    90 State Circle, Room 311 · Annapolis, MD 21401-1991

For more information, email Kelly at kbauer2@gwu.edu.