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Paid Opportunities

NEW POSTING!!
AARP, the leading advocate for older Americans and their families, has internship openings in its Campaigns department for the spring semester (beginning in January 2016). The internships are paid and offer interesting work in campaign management, political research and social media. In terms of time commitment, AARP is looking for individuals to work roughly 25 hours a week. If you are interested, please send your resume as soon as possible to mburns@aarp.org.

NEW POSTING!!
We’re looking for smart, hard-working students who work well in a team and are eager to make real change after graduation.

The Fund for the Public Interest (“the Fund”) partners with leading nonprofit groups from around the country, providing the kind of people power it takes to build organizations for the long-term, win hard-fought campaigns, and make real change on some of the most important issues of our day. And we’re hiring!

Specifically, we’re hiring Citizen Outreach Directors to run our grassroots campaign offices across the country this fall and spring -- working on behalf of groups like Environment America and US PIRG. www.fundjobs.org
Paid Advocacy Journalism Internship
($15.00 per hour/up to 20 hours per week)
The Campaigns & Elections department of the National Education Association invites applications from journalism students or recent college graduates ready to apply their journalism skills to the fields of public education and politics. The internship involves reporting and writing articles for EducationVotes.org, a website that engages and recruits activists in the fight for public education.

Typical tasks of this position:
- Contribute to all aspects of article content development, from idea generation to execution to distribution.
- Research, report, and write articles—may include conducting interviews and traveling to local hearings, press conferences, demonstrations, and other events.
- Assist staff with research and site maintenance.
- The practicum—for up to 20 hours per week—provides exciting learning opportunities and practical work experience for the individual. Interns are paid and hours can be flexible.

Position requirements:
- Interest in public education advocacy and other issues important to NEA, such as voting rights, immigration policy, worker’s rights, etc.
- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Eagerness to learn; ability to work independently, proactively and effectively
- Knowledge of social media (Facebook, Twitter, etc.)
- Ability to produce multimedia content and photo editing skills a plus.

For more information, contact:
Brian Washington
Campaigns & Elections
1201 16th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20036
202-822-7405 (desk)
202-403-4804 (cell)
bwashington@nea.org

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Amazon has a number of full time positions and internships available for college students and recent college grads. More information can be found at:
http://www.amazon.jobs/team-category/university-recruiting
Internships

NEW POSTING!!
Rep. David Schweikert (R-AZ-06)
Congressman David Schweikert (AZ-06) seeks applicants for an unpaid internship in his Washington, D.C. office for the spring semester. Interns will be responsible for answering phones, speaking with constituents, giving tours of the U.S. Capitol, attending briefings and hearings for legislative staff, and supporting the office with any additional duties. Other duties may include legislative research, as well as constituent correspondence. The ideal candidate will be a college student or recent graduate who is motivated, possesses strong writing and organizational skills and is willing to jump in wherever needed with a positive attitude. Although internships are unpaid, the office is happy to fill out any necessary forms for students to receive credit at their respective college or university. Arizona ties are a plus, but not required. To apply, please visit: http://schweikert.house.gov/congressional-internships/

NEW POSTING!!
The White House Office of Management and Budget’s (OMB) Director’s Office is pleased to offer opportunities for spring 2016 internships. Interns will work with the Director’s front office and other senior leadership teams. Current undergraduate students may apply for these unpaid internships.

Responsibilities
☐ Assist OMB senior leadership on budget, management and regulatory initiatives
☐ Prepare daily briefing materials for OMB’s senior leadership
☐ Coordinate meeting and event logistics
☐ Manage incoming inquiries from government agencies, White House offices and outside entities
☐ Assist with correspondence preparation and management
☐ Provide general office support
☐ Special projects as assigned

Qualifications: Qualified candidates should have a strong interest in the budget process/economic policy, public policy, and government. Strong interpersonal, organizational and communication skills are required. Experience handling multiple tasks and working under tight deadlines is also necessary. Ideal candidates will have a strong interest in learning about a range of executive level agencies, policy areas and current issues.

Academic Credit: Internships are only offered as student work-study programs and are not for compensation. Students accepted for an internship may earn academic credit while working in our office. Information on academic credit programs can be obtained from school placement offices.

Requirements: Applicants must be United States citizens. Please note that participation is contingent upon the satisfactory completion of a background check and drug testing. Applicants should send a cover letter and resume to: Jessie Crabb, jcrabb@omb.eop.gov. Applications are due by 5pm on Monday, November 30, 2015. Select candidates will be contacted for an interview.
NEW POSTING!!
The Social Science Research Council invites applications from ambitious, resourceful, well-organized enthusiasm of democracy for an internship with its Anxieties of Democracy program based in Brooklyn. Applicants with related coursework in political science, strong research and writing skills, social media talents, and/or design experience are especially encouraged to apply. The internship offers an exciting opportunity to gain valuable research, communications, and administrative experience as part of a dynamic team operating in a high-profile network of academics, policymakers, reformers, and journalists. The internship will last three months, at 10–20 hours per week. More than one intern may be hired for this search. For more information, please visit the program’s website: www.ssrc.org/programs/anxieties-of-democracy.

Qualifications
· Bachelor’s degree in the social sciences or current enrollment in a degree program, with coursework on democracy, especially US democracy.
· Experience with communications and publicity efforts, including social networking services.
· Proficiency with web publishing platforms and Internet resources; familiarity with WordPress and HTML a plus.
· Excellent communication, interpersonal, and organizational skills. Strong attention to detail.
· Self-motivation, adaptability, and ability to work independently as well as part of a team.
· Proficiency in MS Office; familiarity with database and web management software is desirable.

Responsibilities
· Work closely with program staff on communications strategy and publicity efforts.
· Manage social networking and e-mail campaigns to promote noteworthy project developments.
· Help to expand and organize our network of contacts in academia, the media, and the public at large.
· Contribute to research, copyediting, and editing according to standards of the Chicago Manual.
· Assist in proposal and report writing and editing.
· Assist in the planning of workshops, meetings, and outreach activities.
· Assume additional responsibilities and projects as directed, depending upon interest and capacity.

Application Information
Please send a brief cover letter and resume to applications@ssrc.org with “Anxieties of Democracy Fall/Winter Internship” in the subject line of the e-mail. Applications will be accepted until the position has been filled but should be received by November 20th, 2015 for priority consideration.
NEW POSTING!!
Please note that the FBI is now accepting applications for their internships. The process has changed and is described below.

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The Human Resources Division has opened the call for applications for the 2016 Honors and Cyber Internship programs and launched a new application process. All intern candidates must go to fbijobs.gov to register and complete a profile, and then select their profile to be added to the Intern Talent Network by November 24.

After selecting the Intern Talent Network, intern candidates must attach their résumés and answer suitability questions. Candidates are strongly encouraged to review the instructions for joining the network (below) before beginning the process. Only those candidates in the network by November 24 will be considered for the 2016 program.

All educational backgrounds will be considered for the internships. To qualify for the Honors or Cyber Internship Programs, candidates must:

- Be a second-semester freshmen or above; candidates cannot have graduated before June 13, 2016;
- Be available 40 hours per week from June 13, 2015 to August 19, 2015 (10 weeks); and
- Have a minimum cumulative 3.0 GPA.

NEW POSTING!!
The Office of Congresswoman Debbie Wasserman Schultz (D-FL) has openings for full-time and part-time interns to support our administrative, legislative, and press teams. Responsibilities include: researching legislative issues, attending legislative briefings and hearings, answering phone calls, processing constituent mail, giving Capitol tours, and assisting with special projects.

Applicants should be enthusiastic, reliable, professional, hardworking, and have strong writing and communication skills. South Florida ties are preferred, but not required. Internships begin in early to mid-January and run through the semester. These positions are unpaid. Interested candidates should submit a resume, cover letter, and one-page writing sample to RepDWSresumes@gmail.com by November 23. Location: Washington, DC.
NEW POSTING!!
Congressman Raúl M. Grijalva is accepting applications for spring 2016 internships in Washington, D.C. and his various Southern Arizona district offices through January 15th.

In Washington
In the D.C. Congressional Office, interns work closely with legislative and press staff, conduct legislative outreach and research, answer office phones, distribute mail, communicate with constituents, and may have the opportunity to assist with activities in the U.S. House Natural Resources Committee (Minority). In the Natural Resources Committee, interns assist committee staff with administrative support, conducting legislative research, compiling data, and drafting correspondence. In addition, interns in both offices may attend committee hearings, briefings, and meetings.

Preference is given to students and individuals from Arizona’s 3rd Congressional District, although all qualified applicants are carefully considered. Interns are unpaid and are responsible for lodging and transportation. Applicants are highly encouraged to explore scholarship opportunities that may be offered through their respective institutions or by other programs.

Anyone interested in working in the D.C. Congressional office should submit a cover letter, resume, and a one-page writing sample to Cristina Villa, Rep. Grijalva’s internship coordinator, at Cristina.Villa@mail.house.gov. Those seeking to apply directly with the U.S. Natural Resources Committee (Minority) should indicate this in their application.

In Tucson, Somerton & Avondale
Interns at district offices help staff provide constituent services to residents of the Third Congressional District. Interns also perform administrative tasks and may be asked to work on special projects for public outreach, events and other needs of the office. Internships for the Tucson, Somerton, and Avondale offices are available at the beginning of each semester. There is no hard deadline, but earlier applications may be given priority.

Tucson District Office – Submit an application form, cover letter, resume, and a short writing sample to Alexandra Martinez at Alexandra.Martinez@mail.house.gov.

Somerton District Office – Submit an application form, cover letter, resume, and a short writing sample to Martha Garcia at Martha.Garcia@mail.house.gov.

Avondale District Office – Submit an application form, cover letter, resume and a short writing sample to Jennifer Papworth at Jennifer.Papworth@mail.house.gov.

Application deadlines for the rest of 2016 are:
· Spring: January 15, 2016
· Summer: May 6, 2016
· Fall: August 5, 2016
NEW POSTING!!
Are you interested in gaining international work experience and building your post-graduation career prospects? Consider doing an internship in China! During the month of November, CRCC Asia is running its annual Scholarship Program. The application is open until November 23rd 2015. Applicants will be judged on the strength of their application and phone interview, with a final decision made in the second week of December 2015.

CRCC Asia’s China Internship Program provides one, two, or three month internships in Beijing, Shanghai, Shenzhen, and Hong Kong. Fluent English is the only language requirement and there is a program start date each month of the year. We work with over 500 companies, offering a wide range of placements across various industries including Finance, Law, Marketing/PR, Engineering, Green Tech, International Business, Pharmaceuticals, NGOs and many more. All accommodation and visa processing is included in the program, as well as a schedule of social and business events. You can find more information through our short video here.

To apply for our scholarships, simply visit our website and submit your application. Be sure to choose China Internship Program as your program of choice, and tell us why you deserve this opportunity for funding in your application!

To learn more about the scholarship process, Sign up for our November webinar which will spotlight not only our scholarships, but all relevant scholarships that can be used towards our programs. The webinar will take place Tuesday, November 10th at 1 PM PST. We will cover several external scholarship opportunities and will discuss in detail our own application process, deadlines, and timeline for The CRCC Asia annual scholarship. Get all of your scholarship questions answered and find options to subsidize an unforgettable international experience. Join the Webinar.

NEW POSTING!!
Rep. Tom Reed (NY-23) – 11/13/2015
Congressman Reed (NY-23) seeks full or part-time unpaid interns for the 2016 spring semester in our Washington D.C. office. Qualified candidates must be organized, hard-working, detail-oriented, responsible, and dependable as well as possess good oral and written communication skills. Responsibilities would range from leading tours of the Capitol, running errands, handling constituent communications to assisting staff with legislative research, writing memos and attending committee hearings. New York ties are preferred. If interested, please send a cover letter, resume, and writing sample to logan.hoover@mail.house.gov to apply.
Apply for an internship with Congressman David Rouzer’s office to experience what it’s like to work on Capitol Hill. The internships in our office are unpaid, but offer students invaluable work experience and tremendous exposure into the way Congress operates. Hours can be made flexible to accommodate students’ course schedules and commitments, but generally run from 8:30 AM to 6 PM when Congress is in session. When not in session, hours are from 8:30 AM to 5:30 PM. If anyone has any further questions please contact the intern coordinator at ian.whitson@mail.house.gov or refer to the Congressman’s website: https://rouzer.house.gov/internships. We have available spots in the Spring as well as during the Summer months.

The office of Congresswoman Suzanne Bonamici (OR-01) is seeking unpaid interns for winter/spring 2016. Interns in the Washington, D.C. office will gain valuable experience supporting legislative staff and will learn about the operations of a congressional office. Responsibilities will include: conducting legislative research, providing office support, answering phones, assisting with constituent correspondence, leading tours of the U.S. Capitol, and assisting staff with projects as assigned. Interns in the district office in Beaverton, Oregon will assist the outreach staff and caseworkers, research policy issues, help with constituent communication through mail and phone calls and attend meetings with the Congresswoman. Successful candidates will demonstrate professionalism, strong communication skills, and an interest in learning more about the legislative process. Candidates with Oregon ties are strongly encouraged to apply. The deadline for applications for the winter/spring 2016 internship is November 20th. To apply, please visit http://bonamici.house.gov/internshipform.

Fellowship - Hillary for New Hampshire
Hillary for New Hampshire is looking for smart, energetic winter fellows who are committed to winning the New Hampshire primary for Hillary Clinton.

Fellows will be an integral part of the campaign team for New Hampshire. Our goal is to give every fellow valuable experience learning and implementing campaigning techniques and strategies. Fellows will have an opportunity to work with our field program to talk to voters in NH to identify their support and then turn them out for the First in the Nation Primary! No prior experience is required except a willingness to learn, work hard, and help the team however's needed.

We have two tracks for this unpaid fellowship: a Winter Fellowship and a GOTV Fellowship. Full time and part time positions are available and local housing is available for full time fellows.

- **Winter Fellowship**: 10 weeks (December 1 - February 9)
- **GOTV (get out the vote) Fellowship**: 5 weeks (January 4 - February 9)

To apply, send your fall availability, your resume, and a short statement as to why you want to help elect Hillary Clinton by November 20th to Danielle Melfi at dmelfi@hillaryclinton.com.
The Treasury Office of Public Affairs is seeking enthusiastic and dedicated students to serve as non-paid student interns. From **January 4 – May 13, 2016** (flexible) students will be exposed to the Federal work environment and will learn about the mission and the roles and responsibilities of the Department of the Treasury. We are located in the heart of Washington, D.C. with offices on 15th and Pennsylvania Avenue, next door to the White House, a few blocks from McPherson Square and Metro Center metro stations.

Responsibilities will include monitoring news coverage, preparing daily clips, contact management, research, drafting memos, etc. Opportunities also available within the Office of Business and Public Liaison and in speechwriting. Applicants will be expected to provide a resume, and transcript, and to submit a formal application through USA Jobs by **November 27, 2015**. Visit the link below to apply: https://www.usajobs.gov/GetJob/ViewDetails/41772500

Following submission of a formal application, please email Sarah Logan at sarah.logan@treasury.gov to coordinate a brief interview.

**KEY REQUIREMENTS**
- Must be a U.S. Citizen
- Must be at least 16 years of age
- Successfully complete Pre-Employment Background Investigation
- **Actively enrolled at least part-time in an accredited institution**
- Must be in good academic standing
- College credit is available; student must facilitate
- Relocation and housing expenses are paid by student, metro stipend may be provided

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**Press Internship Posting**

The Washington, D.C. office of Congresswoman Louise Slaughter (NY-25) is seeking a full-time press intern to work with the communications team in the Congresswoman’s personal and Rules Committee offices for the Spring 2016 semester.

The press intern will work directly with an award-winning communications staff to carry out responsibilities including – but not limited to – creating digital content, developing press lists, collecting and distributing press clips, drafting press releases, and contacting reporters. Special skills such as photography or graphic design are a plus. Standard schedule begins with aggregating news clips at 8:00 am and ends at 4:00 pm.

Congresswoman Slaughter is the top Democrat on the House Committee on Rules. The Rules Committee determines the parameters of debate for all major legislation before it can be considered on the House Floor and is a hotbed of activity.

Applicants should e-mail a cover letter, resume, and a short writing sample, and if applicable, a portfolio sample to James Blum at NY25.InternApplications@mail.house.gov. Please do not hesitate to contact James at **202-225-3615** with any questions.
Senator Tammy Baldwin (D-WI) is seeking 2016 Spring Semester interns for her Washington, D.C. Office. Both Press and Legislative internships are available. Interns perform a variety of tasks including: drafting letters to constituents, attending hearings and briefings, leading tours of the United States Capitol, answering constituent phone calls, sorting mail, and researching federal policy. Press interns work directly with the Communications team, while legislative interns are paired with legislative policy teams related to their areas of interest.

All internships are unpaid. Applicants with Wisconsin ties are preferred. If interested, please submit an application at [https://www.baldwin.senate.gov/internships](https://www.baldwin.senate.gov/internships) by November 22nd 2015.

We are seeking applicants for our internship program at the Economic Development Administration (EDA), U.S. Department of Commerce. EDA’s mission is to lead the federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for growth and success in the worldwide economy. EDA drives collaborative regional economic development initiatives that lead to job creation. The EDA Internship program is an unpaid opportunity but a travel stipend can be provided.

Applicants must demonstrate a strong interest in public policy, governmental affairs, legislative affairs, public affairs, business and/or community engagement.

All Interns Must Be:
• A U.S. Citizen
• Eighteen years of age on or before the first day of the internship
• Enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program at a college, community college, or university that is recognized by the U.S. Department of Education
• Be able to pass a comprehensive background/security investigation EDA Internship Program Offices:
  • Office of the Assistant Secretary
  • Office of External Affairs
  • Office of Regional Affairs
  • Office of Innovation and Entrepreneurship
  • Office of Finance and Management Services
  • Performance and National Programs Division

Example Intern Projects:
• Conducting research and synthesizing reports for the White House’s High Level Economic Dialogue (HLED) between the United States and Mexico
• Evaluating EDA grants to create best practice case study examples pertaining to long-term economic development
• Preparing grant announcements for key EDA stakeholders- including members of Congress, Governors, and other elected officials

Please send your resume and cover letter to Joseph Hurst, Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary, at jhurst@eda.gov and Adam Bieniek, Intern Paperwork Coordinator, Abieniek@doc.gov by November 18, 2015. Please indicate your top three choices of office preference in your cover letter.
The Global Economics Team of the U.S. Department of Commerce is offering a Spring 2015 internship to engage and empower developing leaders with a passion for public service. The program will expose students or recent graduates to the Federal Government and presents an exciting opportunity to work on a broad range of the Department’s international priorities.

Housed within the Office of Policy and Strategic Planning, the Global Economics Team is responsible for developing, coordinating, and implementing the Secretary’s international economic agenda, including on matters related to commercial diplomacy and trade policy and promotion.

**About OPSP:**
OPSP develops strategic policy priorities and provides policy counsel to the leadership of the Department of Commerce and the White House. Specifically, OPSP works with the Department’s leadership by facilitating:

**Strategic Planning**
- Developing strategic policy priorities
- Planning and coordinating the implementation of policy initiatives that support these priorities

**Policy Counsel**
- Supplying timely and relevant policy advice to the Secretary and Deputy Secretary
- Providing feedback to Bureau leadership regarding Administration and Department perspectives

**Policy Coordination**
- Engaging bureaus within the Department to ensure coordination and integration of policy initiatives with secretarial and Administration objectives
- Leading cross-bureau initiatives and supporting the implementation of bureau-led policy initiatives
- Offering policy input into secretarial communications by coordinating bureau policy input

**Policy Outreach**
- Synthesizing input and ideas from the Administration, the private sector, non-profit organizations and the academic community to inform the Department’s policy formulation process

**The Internship**
Interns work closely with OPSP staff to support their crucial roles in the Department’s policy formulation process. Their post within the Office of the Secretary gives them a unique perspective of the Department’s operation and the work of senior staff.

This is an unpaid opportunity. The internship is 8-10 weeks long, with preference for full-time placements. Applicants must demonstrate an interest in public policy, excellent writing skills, and strong attention to detail.

**To Apply:**
To apply for an internship, please send a resume and cover letter to Andrew Longhi at alonghi@doc.gov. Applications will be considered on a rolling basis. No phone calls, please.

**Applicants Must Be:**
- A U.S. Citizen
- Eighteen years of age (or older) on or before the first day of the internship
- Enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate program at a college, community college, or university (2-4 year institution) OR be a recent college graduate
The Republican Governors Association (RGA) is searching for qualified interns for this spring semester, specifically those interested in finance, policy, politics, events, and communications. The RGA’s primary mission is to help elect Republicans to governorships throughout the nation, but we are also dedicated to providing our governors with the resources to help them govern effectively. Full-time hours are from 8am-5:30pm, but we work with students to accommodate part-time schedules. The internship would begin in early January and end in late May, early June. If there is any interest, please send your resume as well as your area of interest to Laura Ciciarelli at lciciarelli@rga.org.

**Fundraising Internship**
Democratic political fundraising firm seeks independent-minded, quick-thinking individual with knowledge of the political process and public policy, to work as a fundraising intern during the Spring 2016 Semester (beginning early-to-mid January, and running until early-to-mid May).

We have four clients in-cycle for the 2016 elections, three for the Senate, and one for the House: Sen. Patrick Leahy (D-VT), Gov. Ted Strickland (D-OH), Katie McGinty (D-PA) and Rep. Elijah Cummings (D-MD). Through the work you put in on these campaigns you will see every aspect of the campaign finance process. You will help plan events, staff the events you’ve worked on, and help with donor prospecting and database maintenance- all of which insure that our candidates are victorious in November.

Candidate must be reliable, possess excellent written and communications skills, a working knowledge of national politics, and an appreciation for a well-funded campaign.

Our firm also represents U.S. Senators Leahy (D-VT), Mikulski (D-MD), Klobuchar (D-MN), Casey (D-PA), Warner (D-VA), and Whitehouse (D-RI). Interns will have the opportunity to attend fundraising events and meet many of the members listed above. This internship is unpaid, though we are happy to work around class schedules and do offer class credit if you meet requirements put forth by your school. Interested candidates should email resumes to Jennings Heussner at jheussner@cfcdc.com. Deadline for application is December 1.
NEW POSTING!!

Interested in a Ph.D. in American Government?

Join Professors Michael Bailey and Hans Noel at 7pm on Wednesday November 18 in ICC 662.

We'll answer your questions, including:

· How do I create a strong application?
· How do I apply for a Fellowship? (A Georgetown Fellowship provides a full tuition scholarship plus a stipend of $26,000 per year for five years)
· How do I find a good faculty adviser?
· What kinds of career opportunities are available for PhD graduates?

Please RSVP to Michael.Bailey@georgetown.edu by Monday, November 16

Hello from the Office for Study Abroad! Thank you so much for your support of our efforts to encourage students to study abroad and to promote the Focus on Fall Abroad Community (FOFAC).

I appreciate you passing out our materials to your students, inviting us to visit your classes, and advising your students about FOFAC information session dates.

FOFAC applications are NOW OPEN and can be found on GW Passport! Please encourage your students to apply for this community, which is a program unique to GW that helps students make the most of their time abroad.

If your students have any questions about FOFAC, encourage them to attend an upcoming information session in Marvin Center 506:

Thursday, Nov 12, 4:00 PM
Friday, Nov 20, 1:00 PM
Monday, Nov 23, 3:00 PM
Wednesday, Dec 2, 4:00 PM
Tuesday, Dec 15, 2:00 PM
Participation Deadline coming closer and we hope to see you among us in our International Winter Academy during the **15-25 February, 2016 in Zug, Switzerland.**

**Topics of the Academy:** Peacebuilding, Conflict Resolution, Mediation, Security and Intercultural Dialogue.

**Date of 3 Month CAS Program:** 15 February - 14 May, 2016 (Include participation in winter academy, preparation of research paper (Maximum 5 pages) and visit relevant Swiss Institutes in different Swiss Kantons)

**Venue:** Eckstein Zentrum [www.zentrum-eckstein.ch](http://www.zentrum-eckstein.ch)

**Deadline for Applications:** 20 November, 2015

**Scholarship:** IPD offers several type of scholarship support to reduction the participation fee amount for most needed potential participants from all over the world counties. In this matter to request discount on the participation fee amount payment. Unfortunately IPD scholarship program can’t cover all the participation fee amount and international travel expenses.

**Winter Academy 2016 web page:** [http://www.ipdinstitute.ch/Winter-Academy-3-Month-CAS-Program-2016/desktop/](http://www.ipdinstitute.ch/Winter-Academy-3-Month-CAS-Program-2016/desktop/)

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**Do You Want to Travel to China over Spring Break with GW?**

**Spring Course Offering:** CCAS Dean’s Scholars in Globalization

**Anthropology 3705.10, Contemporary Chinese Culture & Society**

**Tuesdays and Thursdays, 11.10 am-12.25 pm**

**Professor Robert Shepherd**

This course examines the ongoing social, economic, and political transformation of China through an anthropological lens. More specifically, we will read, watch, think about, analyze, discuss and write about a selection of recent ethnographies, research essays, and films that take as their subject ‘China’. Our purpose is to understand how the revolutionary transformation of everyday life in China since the 1980s has affected the lived experiences of citizens. As part of this course, the class will travel as a group to Beijing over Spring Break, March 11th-19th. **Travel costs will be subsidized by CCAS.**
International Students: Peer-to-peer career advising, including resume and cover letter critiques.

Hours: Monday – Thursday: 10am-8pm*, Friday: 10am – 4pm
*Tuesday no hours between 1pm and 2pm.

Location: Science and Engineering Hall (22nd and H entrance), Resource Rooms #1230 and #1240

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We hope you visit and join the hundreds of thousands of students and academics who make up our readership. For ease you can also follow us on twitter and facebook and we will keep you up to date with our publications.

National Archives Hosts 11th Annual McGowan Forum on Communications Nov. 18

Drawn from the Headlines: Communication and Political Cartoons

Washington, D.C…. On Wednesday, November 18, at 7 PM, the National Archives hosts the 11th Annual McGowan Forum on Communication titled “Drawn from the Headlines: Communication and Political Cartoons.” A panel of award-winning political cartoonists will discuss their work, inspiration, and motivation. They will examine how political cartoons affect the political community and the public, and how technology has impacted the form. Moderated by David Sipress, cartoonist for The New Yorker, the panel features Tom Toles of The Washington Post, winner of the 2011 Herblock Award; Jen Sorensen, nationally-syndicated cartoonist and 2013 recipient of a Robert F. Kennedy Journalism Award; Keith Knight, award-winning creator of Knight Life and The K Chronicles; and Signe Wilkinson, the first female artist to win a Pulitzer Prize for Editorial Cartooning.

The event will be held in the William G. McGowan Theater of the National Archives Museum in Washington, DC. Attendees should use the Special Events entrance on Constitution Avenue at 7th Street, NW. It will be webcast live via the Archives' YouTube channel. This program is free to the public, but reservations are recommended and can be made online at http://www.archivesfoundation.org/event/11th-annual-mcgowan-forum-communications-political-cartoons/.

For those without reservations, seating is on a first-come, first-served basis. The doors to the building will open 45 minutes prior to the start of the program. The National Archives Museum in Washington, DC, is Metro accessible on the Yellow and Green lines, Archives/Navy Memorial station. To verify the date and times of the program, call the National Archives Public Programs Line at: 202-357-5000, or view the Calendar of Events online: http://www.archives.gov/calendar.
MA/MSc in International and World History
Applications for Fall 2016 are now open.
Columbia University and the London School of Economics

The world is more interconnected than ever. Join leading historians to study how we arrived here. An innovative curriculum includes a two-year sequence of reading and research seminars, interdisciplinary electives, and intensive foreign language training. The program provides the students with new frameworks and tools to understand the transnational forces that have shaped our world: migration, trade, war, technology, epidemic disease, and environmental change. At the heart of the program is the two-year dissertation, an original scholarly work based on empirical research and analysis.

Students spend the first year in New York and the second year in London and receive Master’s degrees from both institutions. Immersed in the vibrant intellectual communities of two of the world's greatest cities, graduates are prepared for careers in government, journalism, think tanks, NGOs, and academia. The program offers summer research fellowships and financial aid opportunities. Early application deadline is January 15, 2016. Final application deadline is March 15, 2016. To learn more, please visit worldhistory.columbia.edu.

I would like to invite you to attend our fall symposium titled "The Ethics of Nudging: Evaluating Libertarian Paternalism." The event will be held on November 20, 2015. For more information, and to register, please look here: http://gisme.georgetown.edu/research/symposia/upcoming-symposia

NEW POSTING!!
Test Masters Informational LSAT Seminar
11/18 - Monroe 451 - 7:00 PM
Come learn all about the LSAT from an instructor with a score in the 98th percentile who will examine the underlying concepts of the test, teach a handful of real LSAT questions, and introduce you to a variety of techniques that you can use to maximize your score.
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LSAT Free Practice Test
11/22 - online
The free practice test on Kaplan Test Prep's website is a great way to start studying for the LSAT. Learn what to expect and how you’d score on the exam with this test. Plus, get a breakdown of which areas need improvement and how to score higher next time.
Check out this event HERE.

Blueprint LSAT Logic Games (free cupcakes!)
12/1 - Monroe 113 - 7:00 PM
Come learn more about the LSAT and the types of questions you will see on the test. This is a great way to start preparing for the LSAT!
NEW POSTING!!

Hizmet Essay Contest 2015 - Hizmet Approach to Countering Violent Extremism and Radicalization

Rumi Forum, Washington DC is organizing the 2015 Hizmet Essay Contest in partnership with the Hizmet Studies Review, which is based at the KU Leuven University in Belgium. The theme of the 2015 Hizmet Essay Contest is: “The Hizmet Approach to Countering Violent Extremism and Radicalization”

The Hizmet Essay Contest is an annual contest series that encourages research on the Hizmet movement as well as the works of the Turkish Islamic scholar, Fethullah Gulen. The contest aims to motivate individuals to think critically about issues that affect the international society and, how to tackle these important issues from a Hizmet perspective. Individuals will research the various works of Fethullah Gulen and the activities of Hizmet institutions both locally and abroad, with the purpose of identifying how the Hizmet movement contributes to the solution of a particular issue on an individual, societal and global level.

The Hizmet Movement, which derives its name from the word “service”, has established hundreds of educational, civic service organizations and institutions in over 160 countries, who are active in the areas of peacebuilding, conflict resolution, intercultural-interfaith dialogue, education, media and relief work. These organizations and institutions engage in various initiatives that foster inclusiveness, build community capacity, and create shared spaces.

Individuals are asked to evaluate the societal impact of the activities of the Hizmet movement and the ideas of Fethullah Gulen and how those ideas and actions can be used in the context of countering violent extremism at a local, national or international level.

AWARDS:

* There will be 2 student categories:
  Undergraduate prize: 300 Euros (or the Dollar equivalent in USA)
  Graduate prize: 300 Euros (or the Dollar equivalent in USA)

* Winning essays may be published in the Hizmet Studies Review. The winning authors may be asked to further revise their papers before publishing. There will not be further compensation for publishing.

More information can be found at: http://rumiforum.org/hizmet-essay-contest-2015/

Essays must be submitted by February 1st, 2016, no later than 11:59 PM
Are you interested in losing weight, but don’t know where to begin?

If you are:
✦ Between 18 and 26 years old
✦ GW undergraduate student
✦ Between 10 – 75 pounds overweight*
✦ Willing to come for 5 in-person visits over 18 months

* As determined by your BMI

If you’re not in DC over the summer & breaks, it’s ok!

If interested, contact us at:
HBHU@gwu.edu
(202) 994-4353
go.gwu.edu/hbhu

If eligible, you could:
✓ Earn up to $150 over 18 months
✓ Participate in one of the three groups for healthy body weight–all programs delivered electronically
✓ Receive information via Facebook and text messaging

What do you need to do?
First, complete a brief screening questionnaire: https://cri-datacap.org/surveys/?s=rNbWFwk78H
Please contact us at hbhu@gwu.edu or (202)994-4353 if you have any questions.
THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY
Presents:
2015 NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE CELEBRATION

THE NATIONS WITHIN
A NARRATIVE OF TRIBAL SOVEREIGNTY

Saturday, October 31
Dia de los Muertos
National Museum of the American Indian
(4th St & Independence Ave, SW) | Noon
Meet at the MSSC to travel to the National Museum of the
American Indian to celebrate the migration of the monarch
butterflies to their native homeland, Mexico.

Wednesday, November 4
Indian Tacos
Kogan Plaza | Noon
Join us as we will be frying up and serving delicious
homemade Indian tacos in Kogan Plaza! Grab these
authentic tacos for only $4.

Tuesday, November 10
Hour Around the World
MSSC First Floor | Noon
Join members of the Native American Student
Association and the GW Community to learn
more about Native culture and traditions through
good food and great conversation.

Tuesday, November 10
REAL Conversations: Police Brutality
Marvin Center, Room 309 | 7pm
Join us in exploring cases of police brutality against minorities.
New GWPD Chief of Police, ReShall Brackney - African
American and Native American (Chickasaw) - will lead
conversations around documented cases and moderate a
constructive and educational dialogue. The conversation will be
accompanied by news broadcasts, youtube clips and other video
relating to this topic.

Monday, November 16th
NOVA: Preview Screening
Making North America: Humans
Marvin Center, Room 309 | 7:00pm
Join us for a preview screening of NOVA’s new episode,
Humans, followed by a discussion with Joe Watkins, Chief
Officer of Tribal Relations & American Cultures for the
National Park Service, and Carol J. Ellick of the Archaeological
& Cultural Education Consultants, who will discuss the arrival
of the first humans to our continent 13,000 years ago!

Wednesday, November 18
Interfaith Journeys
Marvin Center, Grand Ballroom | 7:30pm
Join members of the GW Community on an interfaith
journey to explore themes of hospitality and kindness to
strangers. Come share our evening of reflection, music
and hope.

Friday, November 20
Intersections of Loss
MSSC, Room 209 | 12:30pm
Join a meaningful conversation on Trans Day of
Remembrance about the work Activists, Organizations,
and Individuals are doing to fight back the high rates of
youth suicide facing Native and LGBTQIA populations.
This event is a learning lunch.

Monday November 23
MSSC Thanksgiving Dinner
MSSC | 6pm
Break bread with us as we give thanks and feast on
various cultural foods at our annual Thanksgiving
Dinner! The food will be plentiful! $2 will get you a full
plate of food & you're always welcome to buy another.