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

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Paid Opportunities

Know someone who is looking for a paid spring internship? We are hiring. Send their resume to jfox@restaurant.org. The National Restaurant Association’s Government Affairs team seeks a paid part-time intern to work 15-20 hours a week during the spring semester. Intern duties will include: various tasks for lobbying team, data entry, covering hearings and conference calls for lobbyists, identifying relevant hearings and events, assistance on research projects, and other projects as assigned. Intern will be invited to participate in weekly Government Affairs meetings and other miscellaneous events.

Make Your Impact for Our Environment, Our Democracy and Our Future

If you are interested in joining a team of passionate people to make an impact on issues like global warming, clean water, big money’s influence over our democracy and other issues that matter to our future, consider a job with Impact.

Impact is a nonprofit that runs action campaigns. We work in states where we can win positive change for our environment, our democracy and our future. Impact is now accepting applications to join our team in August 2016! We also have immediate positions available.

If you aren’t looking for a full-time job, you can also make a big difference through an internship with Impact.

You can learn more and apply on our website at http://weareimpact.org/index.html

Starr Companies is currently hiring 18 individuals for their 12 month Global Associates Program. This is a fast track program for business analysts, underwriting, and claims department. Positions are available in the following cities: New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Atlanta and Houston. All majors are eligible but students must have a 3.2 GPA or higher and emphasis on leadership and/or internship experience.

Base Salary + benefits + performance bonuses.

Currently Starr Companies is in the midst of interviewing and will be making offers in January.

Applicants can mail their resume and cover letter directly to Regina Gilligan at regina.gilligan@starrcompanies.com

www.starrcompanies.com
Global Health Corps applications for the 2016-17 fellowship are NOW OPEN!

Global Health Corps is a year-long fellowship with the mission to mobilize a global community of emerging leaders to build the movement for health equity. They are building a community of change-makers who share a common belief: **Health is a Human right.**

GHC is looking for driven, passionate, young leaders with diverse skill sets and experiences to join the movement for social justice and health equity. Paid fellowship positions are available with high impact NGOs and government organizations in East Africa, Southern Africa and the US.

A key part of the GHC fellowship is support – fellows are provided housing, a living stipend, medical insurance, transportation, a dedicated in-country program manager, professional mentorship, training, and professional development opportunities. During the fellowship year, fellows collaborate, innovate, and create sustainable change.

For more information about the Global Health Corps Fellowship and the application, visit the website at: [http://ghcorps.org/fellows/apply/](http://ghcorps.org/fellows/apply/)

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RPA offers paid internships in the fall, spring and summer to junior/senior-level college students and recent graduates. An internship at RPA provides hands on experience to gain insight into the advertising industry while networking with the best professionals in the business. The program is extremely competitive usually receiving around 1,000 applications. RPA was recently named the recipient of the 2013 James P. Alexander Internship Program of the Year Award.

**Requirements:**

Candidates MUST be junior/senior standing or a recent graduate. Some exposure to advertising and/or any creative industry is highly preferred. Excellent written and verbal communications skills, with the ability to interact with all levels of associates, are a must. Candidates should also have knowledge of Microsoft Office, including Word, Excel and PowerPoint.

[http://chc.tbe.taleo.net/chc01/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?org=RPA&cws=1&rid=1224](http://chc.tbe.taleo.net/chc01/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?org=RPA&cws=1&rid=1224)
Internships

NEW POSTING!!
Institute for 21st Century Energy, U.S. Chamber of Commerce
Title: Fellow

Department Description: The U.S. Chamber's Institute for 21st Century Energy (Energy Institute) is working to unify policymakers, regulators, business leaders, and the American public behind a common sense energy strategy to help keep America secure, prosperous, and clean. Through policy development, education, and advocacy, the Institute is building support for meaningful action at the local, state, national, and international levels. The Energy Institute partners with state and local chambers nationally on initiatives to inform public official, business leaders, and the public on current energy issues. For more information on the Energy Institute, visit www.energyxxi.org.

Job Responsibilities:
· Draft letters and other materials;
· Report production and design;
· Assist with website maintenance and digital media outreach;
· Support with event planning; and
· Track proposed legislation in Congress and attend hearings on Capitol Hill.

Qualifications: Outstanding written and oral communications skills are essential. Working knowledge of Microsoft Office and internet research skills are required. Candidates should be hard-working and solution-oriented self-starters who work well on a team.

Please submit your application and resume to Leila Getto at lgetto@uschamber.com. The application can be located at www.uschamber.com/about-us/careers/internship-opportunities.

NEW POSTING!!
Representative Rick Larsen (WA-02) is currently seeking a full-time intern to start the second week of January with a flexible end date. Ideal candidates have excellent writing and research skills, a positive attitude, and a willingness to complete tasks as assigned. Intern responsibilities include researching and writing Congressional correspondence, helping constituents find information and fielding constituent phone calls. This internship also provides the opportunity to work closely with staff members and assist in various projects. Washington/West Coast ties are preferred, but are not required. If interested, please send a resume, cover letter and two references to: taylor.paquette@mail.house.gov. Please include “WA-02 Internship” in the subject line. This internship is unpaid but office will assist in acquiring academic credit for internship.
NEW POSTING!!
Minnesota Democrat seeks intern applicants for the Washington, D.C. office during the 2016 spring semester. Interns should expect to primarily assist with front office operations, but will also get opportunities to conduct legislative research, and obtain first-hand and comprehensive knowledge of the day-to-day operations of a Congressional office.

Interns will assist staff with front office duties, including sorting mail, answering telephones, data entry, and list building tasks. Assist legislative and communications staff on projects as needed. Perform research, attend briefings, and assist with constituent correspondence. Greet visitors, conduct tours of the Capitol, and other assignments as needed.

Candidates should demonstrate excellent oral and written communication skills and have a good understanding of the legislative process. Qualified applicants will be organized, dependable, able to multi-task, willing and quick to learn, able to work in a fast-paced environment and have a good sense of humor.

Internships are unpaid, but we are happy to work with your College or University to receive academic credit for your internship. Minnesota ties and full-time availability are preferred, but not necessary.

Please no phone calls or drop-ins. For more information go to: https://nolan.house.gov/services/internships

NEW POSTING!!
The House Republican Conference Chair Cathy McMorris Rodgers, a GOP leadership office, is looking for Communications Interns for SPRING 2016. Projects are dependent on the interns’ strengths and interests. They may include social media, graphic design, video production, writing, research, analytics, event planning, and media bookings. Interns are responsible for generating social media content for the @HouseGOP/@CathyMcMorris Twitter, Instagram, and Facebook. In addition to social media, interns will be able to assist in, organize, and attend press conferences and media events held for GOP Members of Congress. Applicants should have excellent communication skills, a can-do attitude, and a demonstrated interest in digital media. Experience with the Adobe Creative Suite and HTML/CSS is appreciated, but not required. This position is unpaid, but academic credit can be arranged. The internship is in the Cannon House Office Building on Capitol Hill.

Applications should send a resume, cover letter, and list of two references to Conference.Internships@mail.house.gov AND PAM.STEVENS@MAIL.HOUSE.GOV
NEW POSTING!!

STUDENT VOLUNTEER OPENING

U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
Office of the Secretary

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development’s (HUD) Office of the Secretary (OSEC) seeks student volunteers for full or part-time positions to work in the Office of the Senior Advisor on Homelessness for one or more semesters.

Office of the Senior Advisor on Homelessness
The Office of the Secretary oversees the formulation of housing and urban development policy and coordinates with HUD program and support offices, as well as, the White House and other federal agencies to further HUD’s mission. The Office of the Senior Advisor on Homelessness oversees policy development and coordination specifically in the areas of homelessness and veteran homelessness.

Position Description
Student volunteers will gain a first-hand perspective of how the agency functions and interacts with other government entities, interact and build relationships with senior staff, and have the opportunity to work on a wide array of assignments and programming that provide room for growth.

The student volunteer’s chief responsibility will be to manage the logistical operation and correspondence of the Mayor’s Challenge to End Veteran Homelessness. The student’s role will also include completing highly-sensitive operational assignments, i.e. drafting the agency’s weekly report to the President, coordinating with Regional Administrators on OSEC priorities, and coordinating with program offices on key announcements and rollouts. The role may grow and change depending on the priorities of OSEC and the student volunteer’s abilities and interests. The student volunteer should also expect to work in collaboration with a variety of HUD offices, including senior staff.

Requirements:
- 18 years of age or older
- U.S. Citizen
- Enrolled in a degree-seeking program or 1 year post-graduation

Duration: January to May 2016

Location: Office of the Secretary, HUD Headquarters, 451 7th Street SW, Washington DC

TO APPLY:
Send a cover letter and resume to Gregory.L.Schuelke@hud.gov as soon as possible. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis.
NEW POSTING!!

Sierra Club’s Organizing and Federal Policy Internship Program:
Job Title: Intern – Organizing and Policy, Washington, DC
Department: Federal Policy/Beyond Coal Campaign
Term: Spring 2016 (Positions available starting January 2016)

In 2002, we received word that then-Vice President Dick Cheney was holding secret backroom meetings with the coal industry to plan a new “Coal Rush” to lock-in our nation’s reliance on coal before solar, wind, and clean power would have a chance to step in. The Sierra Club responded by launching a campaign to challenge every one of these new coal plants by doing what the Sierra Club does best — grassroots community organizing, powerful communications, and litigation. Our small, start-up campaign quickly grew into a force to be reckoned with, and, so far, the Beyond Coal Campaign has retired 181 coal-fired power plants.

The Organizing and Federal Policy Intern will sit at the center of the Sierra Club’s national push to move beyond coal, helping to coordinate our federal policy work with local grassroots organizers in over 25 states working to mobilize our 2.1 million activists. This intern will gain experience in both the grassroots organizing and federal policy work of the Sierra Club through our campaign to secure strong federal rules to clean up sources of air/water pollution, spur innovation toward a clean energy economy, and protect public health.

Job Activities/Scope:
- Compile weekly updates on federal legislation and administrative actions to circulate to field organizers.
- Participate in and take notes on weekly national coal campaign implementation team meetings and weekly field calls.
- Assist in compiling weekly reports on national coal campaign accomplishments for Sierra Club senior staff.
- Create and maintain field organizing tools and materials.
- Conduct research and writing as needed.
- Attend briefings and Congressional hearings, take notes, and distribute to relevant internal capacities.

Knowledge and Skills:
- Excellent writing and editing skills
- Strong attention to detail
- Previous organizing experience preferred
- Experience working with diverse groups
- Comfort using online tools, specifically google docs

Compensation/Pay: All Sierra Club internships are unpaid, although participants may be able to gain college credit for their internship.

To Apply: Email cover letter and resume to jessica.eckdish@sierraclub.org with subject line “Spring 2016 Internship”.
NEW POSTING!!
The NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries currently has two openings for volunteer interns at our headquarters office in Silver Spring, Maryland. Internships may count towards course credit and our office has previously hosted interns through the Washington Semester program.

The NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries serves as the trustee for a network of underwater parks encompassing more than 170,000 square miles of marine and Great Lakes waters from Washington state to the Florida Keys, and from Lake Huron to American Samoa. The network includes a system of 13 national marine sanctuaries and Papahānaumokuākea and Rose Atoll marine national monuments.

We invite you to join a dedicated and enthusiastic team at the NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries where you will gain invaluable resume-building experience and an insider's perspective from the nation's leader in ocean conservation and management. The NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries conducts outreach with members of Congress and constituent groups on key issues, such as marine conservation, climate change and maritime heritage. As a volunteer intern, you will assist with constituent and congressional outreach efforts. We are looking for motivated self-starters who enjoy both independent and collaborative work. The ideal candidate for this volunteer position will possess a strong academic background and the desire to immerse oneself in the world of marine communications and the internal workings of a federal office.

We invite you to join a dedicated and enthusiastic team at the NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries where you will gain invaluable resume-building experience and an insider's perspective from the nation’s leader in ocean conservation and management. The Communications Team produces and distributes NOAA Office of National Marine Sanctuaries messages through a variety of channels to a diverse audience – Capitol Hill legislators and staff, agency departments, news media and the public. As a volunteer intern, you will have the opportunity to participate in staff meetings; fine-tune writing, editing and proofreading skills; develop targeted media lists and media kits; learn media outreach strategies. Strong research and writing skills are a must, along with knowledge of social media trends and best practices.

NEW POSTING!!
The Mayor's Office of Appointments (MOA) is seeking Winter 2015 interns with prior work/internship/campaign experience to assist staff with day-to-day administrative duties and special projects.

The Mayor's Office of Appointments (MOA) is dedicated to advancing the Mayor's vision of a diverse and inclusive team of senior leaders in city government. Working across all city agencies and mayoral offices, MOA’s Talent Development team serves a critical role by providing talent recruitment and development support for the Administration’s senior leadership. Additionally, MOA’s Appointments team advises the Mayor on over 300 boards and commissions that fall under his purview. These boards execute important policy decisions with regards to city infrastructure, culture, and community priorities.

JOB RESPONSIBILITIES: The job responsibilities provide not only a great opportunity to perform interesting and engaging work, but also provide a window into the multifaceted, daily workings of city government. Interns will work in a dynamic, fast-paced environment with a dedicated team of professionals who will share their knowledge of city government with them. Job responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Completing research assignments for the Appointments and Talent Development teams. This includes compiling and summarizing data, as well as presenting findings to the teams.
- Composing and/or drafting communications (written and oral)
- Database maintenance, which includes data entry and reporting
- Management, coordination and execution of special projects, initiatives and organizational events
- Assisting with administrative and organizational support, as needed

PREFERRED SKILLS AND/OR QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate level of study and be in good academic standing. All majors welcome.
- Excellent organizational, time-management and multi-tasking skills, including the ability to take initiative, be a team player, prioritize duties, work independently, pay close attention to detail and work well under pressure.
- Ability to maintain a positive work ethic and focus, while working in a demanding professional environment.
- Excellent written, verbal and interpersonal skills
- Excellent proofreading skills
- Strong research skills, ability to use online databases
- Proficiency in Microsoft Suite

SALARY: This is an unpaid internship.

WORK SCHEDULE: Must be able to work a minimum 15-20 hours per week

TO APPLY: Please submit a cover letter, resume and two (2) references to Talent@appointments.nyc.gov.

The City of New York and the Office of the Mayor are Equal Opportunity Employers
Autism Speaks
National Capitol Area Intern Program

Autism Speaks is a nonprofit organization dedicated to funding research into the causes, prevention, treatments and cure for autism; increasing awareness of autism spectrum disorders; and advocating for the needs of individuals with autism and their families.

Federal Government Affairs Effort
The Federal Government Affairs team is comprised of a well-rounded staff, whose mission is to serve the autism community by working on health policy, scientific research, and advocacy on Capitol Hill and with other executive agencies.

State Government Affairs Effort
Nationwide, increasing numbers of private insurance companies and other employee benefit plans are covering autism therapies. Yet, many insurance companies continue to refuse coverage for applied behavior analysis (ABA), which is considered the standard of care for autism treatment, on the basis that it is "experimental" or "educational." Autism Speaks is working to change state insurance laws to require private health insurance policies to cover the diagnosis and treatment of autism spectrum disorders. Additionally, we are stepping up our outreach to major employers who self-fund their health plans to voluntarily offer coverage.

For more information, visit autismspeaks.org

Advocacy Intern Duties
Advocacy interns will work in the Washington D.C. office with Autism Speaks' staff in order to assist with federal and state government priorities, with any Law and Action Policy Summit planning, with family outreach and with coordinating all aspects of the Advocacy department. They will also attend meetings on Capitol Hill, at the White House and at other governmental agencies.

Projects and assignments include, but are not limited to:

- assisting with daily office tasks
- attending hearings and briefings on Capitol Hill
- assisting with family outreach
- communicating with insurance companies and family employers in order to attain more information on their ABA coverage policies
- researching the efficiency and efficacy of our target states and companies
- researching the impacts of the Affordable Care Act on the autism community

Interested? Contact Kate Johnson at kate.johnson@autismspeaks.org
Congresswoman Kay Granger (TX-12) offers college juniors, seniors, recent college graduates and graduate school students the opportunity to gain experience in a Congressional staff office through a comprehensive internship. The solid professional training and skill development that interns gain through this program creates a strong foundation for future careers.

**Responsibilities:**
- Assist in researching legislation
- Drafting responses to constituent correspondence
- Conduct Capitol tours
- Compile daily news clips from local and national news outlets
- Record legislative opinions and constituent comments via the phone and mail
- Additional duties as assigned

**Requirements:**
This internship position requires excellent written and verbal communication skills. Applicants should have strong writing skills, as well as a solid understanding of the political system. A strong interest in current events is desired for this position.

To apply please visit our website: [http://kaygranger.house.gov/constituent-services/internships](http://kaygranger.house.gov/constituent-services/internships) and email your completed application to Adrienne.Walker@mail.house.gov.

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**Jamestown Associates Spring Internship Program**

Have you ever thought about getting into politics? Out in front as a candidate or behind the scenes as an operative? Join us for our Spring 2016 Internship Program.

Jamestown Associates is one of the nation’s most successful Republican political consulting firms. Our company has won numerous awards for our direct mail, television and radio commercials, and we are currently working on national, state and local campaigns around the country. This is a great place to spend a semester.

At Jamestown you will learn what it takes to develop winning campaign media. Interns are asked to conduct research, draft scripts, watch ads as they evolve, attend candidate events, and work hand in hand with a group of political consultants with a nationwide clientele. Interns are also asked to help in the everyday function of the office by greeting candidates when they arrive for meetings and by fulfilling other administrative duties.

Our interns don’t sit in a room in the back. They sit right up front where the action happens. The best of our interns have gone on to work on campaigns around the country. People in the business know: when you’ve interned at Jamestown, you’ve interned with the best.

We request a semester commitment – from January to May – and a minimum of 10 hours a week.

Interested applicants can send a resume and short cover letter to Kaelan Dorr via email at KDorr@jamestownassociates.com.
Pathways Internship Program Hiring Fair  
Hyatt Arlington Hotel  
1325 Wilson Blvd.  
Arlington, VA  22209

The U.S. Department of State will accept on-site applications for the Pathways Internship Experience Program at the following hiring event on **Tuesday, December 15, 2015**.

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Applications will be accepted from 9:00am to 11:30am and from 2:00pm to 6:00pm EST. In-person Interviews will possibly be conducted on Thursday, December 17, 2015 from 8am to 6pm. **If selected for an interview, you will be contacted and an interview will be scheduled.**

The Pathways Internship Program targets students accepted for enrollment or currently enrolled in a qualifying educational program in an accredited institution, on a full or halftime basis with paid opportunities to work in agencies and explore Federal careers while still in school. Applicants must meet the definition of "student" in order to be considered for this opportunity.

**Internship Experience Program (IEP)** are non-temporary and can last the duration of the student’s academic program.

**Internship Temporary Experience Program (ITEP)** are temporary appointments that allow for seasonal employment (during summers and holiday breaks from academic program) as well as year-round employment should their academic programs allow. These appointments are limited to a year or less with possibility for extensions in one-year increments.

If you have any questions or would like to search for topics of interest, please visit our [forums](#) or [FAQs](#) at careers.state.gov.
Upcoming Events/Announcements

Call for paper and panel proposals

VCU POLITICAL SCIENCE and the College of Humanities and Sciences
Presents

10th Annual Student Research Conference

Friday, April 15, 2016
VCU Student Commons

Undergraduate and junior graduate students are invited to submit proposals to present completed research papers/projects, research-in-progress, or roundtable discussions on any topic related to the general fields of government, international, and public affairs. Students from colleges and universities in and around Virginia as well as national and overseas colleagues are invited to submit proposals. We invite faculty and experts from VCU and other institutions to chair and serve as discussants; each presenter will have 10-15 minutes to speak. The VCU Political Science program offers concentrated study in American Government, Public Policy, International Relations, Comparative Government and Politics, Political Theory and Research Methods, with strong connections to Sociology, Economics, and History, allowing for a wide array of possible paper proposals.

This is your chance to share your interests with faculty and other students, to gain experience presenting your work in a professional conference environment, and to receive useful and constructive feedback on your research.

Proposals should contain your name and e-mail address, your school and your major, the title of your proposed presentation, and a single paragraph describing your work.

The deadline for submissions is Thursday, March 24, 2016. Please e-mail your submissions to vcustudentsconference2016@gmail.com. Those selected to participate will be notified on a rolling basis by e-mail and all replies by no later than Tuesday, March 29, 2016.

The one-day conference will also include additional panels on internships and careers in government and foreign affairs, a panel with information on graduate schools, and a buffet lunch served for all presenters and panelists in the afternoon.

There is no fee for participation in the conference. If you have questions, please contact conference director, Chris Saladino at cjsaladino@vcu.edu.
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
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.

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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
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 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
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If interested, contact us at:

HBHU@gwu.edu
(202) 994-4353

go.gwu.edu/hbhu

What do you need to do?

First, complete a brief screening questionnaire: https://cri-datacap.org/surveys/?s=rNbWFwk78H

Please contact us at hbhugwu.edu or (202)994-4353 if you have any questions.