

## **Internships – International**

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Internships by *country* are listed after an initial list which is organized by *program*.

### **Civitas Education Policy Intern; London, UK (Year Around)**

Civitas offers primary education for children who are falling behind at school and unable to afford the most costly private alternatives. In addition, the organization provides teaching materials and speakers for schools. Their research and educational work is designed to facilitate informed public debate on important issues of the day by producing objective and balanced publications and arranging seminars and conferences to stimulate mutual learning through open discussion. Civitas offers both paid and un-paid internships to students who would help with research and policy. For more information please see <http://www.civitas.org.uk/books/interns.php>

### **Tobacco Policy Internship; London, UK (Year Around)**

Cancer Research UK's Policy and Public Affairs team lobbies parliament and the government to achieve public policy goals associated with cancer. The intern will work across the Policy and Public Affairs team with a focus on policy development, tobacco control, cancer campaigns, and public affairs. Interns will receive relevant training and can expect hands-on experience in policy development, as well as exposure to a variety of related projects. For complete information please see <http://supportus.cancerresearchuk.org/volunteer/Internship-roles/internship-policy-and-public-affairs/>

### **Phoenix Sister Cities Internships (Year Around)**

Phoenix Sister Cities offers paid and unpaid semester, yearlong and summer internships to college students interested in working in the following areas: Non-profit agencies, even planning, international business, communications, cultural diversity, economics, youth exchange programs, art tourism, city and state government. The Phoenix Sister Cities program has enhanced Phoenix's international image through numerous exchange programs. For complete information please visit [http://www.phoenixsistercities.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=13:internship-program&catid=12:internship-program&Itemid=15](http://www.phoenixsistercities.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=13:internship-program&catid=12:internship-program&Itemid=15)

### **Friends of the Earth Internship (Summer)**

Friends of the Earth International is the most extensive environmental network in the world, with around 2 million supporters across five continents and more than 70 national organizations worldwide. This internship, based in Accra, Ghana, offers interns the

chance to work in gathering funds and developing environmental projects with staff. For complete information please see <http://www.foei.org/>

### **U.S Department of State Undergraduate Student Programs (Summer)**

*Cooperative Education* – Program works with intern, school, and U.S. Department of State to combine academic studies with on-the-job experience and training. The program does offer compensation and benefits.

*Stay-in-School* – In this program students work part time during the semester and then full time during vacation. Opportunities range from office to administrative support. Students are paid at regular government salaries.

*Internships* – (Washington, DC or Overseas) The program offers a variety of student internship opportunities. Interns will have the option to work for the Foreign Services branch.

*Workforce Recruitment Program* – Program offers paid, fulltime summer positions in Washington, DC to students with disabilities.

For complete information, please see

[http://www.careers.state.gov/students/ug\\_students.html](http://www.careers.state.gov/students/ug_students.html)

### **Development Research Centre on Migration, Globalization, and Poverty (Summer)**

The Development Research Centre on Migration, Globalization and Poverty aims "to promote new policy approaches that will help to maximize the potential benefits of migration for poor people, whilst minimizing its risks and costs". The program periodically offers internships which for the most part are self funded and last three to six months. They do provide a link to an international grant program which offers funding to student interns. The link to the grant program may be found here

[http://www.migrationdrc.org/about/opportunities/Small\\_Grant\\_Providers.pdf](http://www.migrationdrc.org/about/opportunities/Small_Grant_Providers.pdf)

For information about their internship program please visit

<http://www.migrationdrc.org/about/opportunities/index.html>

### **Foundation for Sustainable Development (FSD) (Summer)**

The FSD Intern Abroad program serves students and young professionals looking to gain international development experience and training while working to support an underserved community. The program commonly acts as a catalyst for building a career in development, strengthening applications for graduate programs, or cultivating relationships with international communities and organizations. The program offers internship opportunities in partnership with 300 community based organizations.

Countries interns can work in are Argentina, Bolivia, India, Kenya, Nicaragua, and Uganda. For complete listings please see

<http://www.fsdinternational.org/intlopps/programs/internships1>

### **Euro Intern Program (Summer)**

Euro Intern is a program which offers a variety of internships in Brussels, Belgium. The company finds students a 2-3 month internship program either in international policy or with a NGO. The program does have language requirements but offers courses to aid beginner students during the beginning of the internship. To see complete listings visit <http://www.goabroad.com/providers/instituto-europeo-meve-sl/programs/ir-and-political-internships-22071>

### **Adelante Internship Program (Year Around)**

This international internship program offers students the ability to teach Mexican children English. The program places students in the program year around and internships typically last 1-6 months. Currently the program is being run out of Oaxaca, Mexico. The program is available to students who have a low level of Spanish. Due to the program's intensive work beginner students typically learn fluent Spanish within a month. Students are then placed in local schools to help youth become fluent in English. For more on this project please see the program's website, which may be found at <http://www.adelanteabroad.com/program/Volunteer%20in%20Oaxaca>

### **National Assembly for Wales Internship Program (Year Around)**

The Official National Assembly for Wales Internship Program was established in January 2000 by Ohio University in partnership with Swansea University. Since the programs inception over 100 students from all over the United States have interned in the Welsh Assembly. Internships are political, but undergraduates from all majors are welcome to apply. Students from the areas of journalism, communication, business, history, biology, engineering, anthropology, education, and political science have participated in the program.

Interns are classified as research assistants and work with political parties or Assembly Members (AMs), who serve as elected representatives in the National Assembly. Interns work with AMs, the AM support staff, and members of party offices. Interns perform varying tasks which expose students to many aspects of Assembly business. In the past, interns have written research reports, press releases, and speeches for plenary (the twice-weekly legislative session). Interns often handle Member schedules, correspondence, and constituent relations.

For complete information: <http://www.cas.ohiou.edu/pols/walesinternship/>

### **International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) (Summer)**

IUCN helps the world find pragmatic solutions to our most pressing environment and development challenges. It supports scientific research, manages field projects all over the world and brings governments, non-government organizations, United Nations

agencies, companies and local communities together to develop and implement policy, laws and best practice. IUCN is the world's oldest and largest global environmental network - a democratic membership union with more than 1,000 government and NGO member organizations, and almost 11,000 volunteer scientists in more than 160 countries.

The program offers a variety of internships at their Environment Law Center. Students provide research support and various administrative tasks. For a complete listing see [http://www.iucn.org/about/work/programmes/environmental\\_law/elp\\_about/fellow/](http://www.iucn.org/about/work/programmes/environmental_law/elp_about/fellow/)

### **Waste Foundation (Year Around)**

The Waste Foundation, located in Holland, acts as an adviser for development projects in countries in Africa, Asia, Latin America and Eastern Europe. WASTE aims at sustainable improvement of the urban environment and improvement of the living conditions of the low-income population. They offer internships every two months to students who wish to contribute to their mission statement. For more information please see <http://www.waste.nl/page/706>

### **Internships by Country**

**Internships are available either for a semester or an academic year.**

**Students interested in any of these internships should contact Danielle Varnes, at the Center for International Education, to receive more information about a particular program. Her email is [Danielle Varnes@nau.edu](mailto:Danielle.Varnes@nau.edu). Her office number is (928) 523-2602.**

### **Australia**

#### **University of Western Sydney (UWS): ISEP**

ISEP participants have the option to undertake an unpaid internship this University. The internship is fully supervised by UWS academic staff and provides students with valuable industry experience in an organization based in Western Sydney, Australia's third largest regional economy. Internships are a great way to make valuable contacts and gain a competitive edge in the job market. Internship applications include:

Letters of recommendation and a resume (Curriculum Vitae)

A statement outlining the area of preferred interest for the work placement

#### **Macquarie University: ISEP**

ISEP participants have the option of participating in internships during their studies at Macquarie. Students are found unpaid positions relevant to their major and/or interests and receive Macquarie credit. Internship applicants are required to have a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA and should submit a resume and cover letter. For further information,

please visit their website. Volunteer opportunities are available both in Sydney and abroad.

### **La Trobe University – Melbourne**

Enhance your study abroad experience and gain academic credit by combining a practical internship placement with part of your study. La Trobe has links to industry in many fields of study! You can also volunteer at the La Trobe Wildlife Sanctuary, home to more than 300 species of Australian native animals - Get some “hands on” experience through La Trobe’s community engagement programs.

### **Belgium Vesalius College**

Vesalius College offers students the opportunity to earn academic credit and professional experience through a unique graded internship program in Brussels. With over 50 internship sponsors in the public and private sectors and with partners such as the United Nations, NATO, UPS, the European Journalism Center and many more, students acquire the professional skills and make the important contacts that can propel them into the career of their dreams. Internships can earn 3 to 6 US credits depending on the number of hours worked per week.

### **France MICEFA, Paris: NAU**

#### **Teaching Program**

Participants are expected to teach 12 hours of English conversation classes per week for the academic year and are paid a stipend of about 900 € each month. This means that after taxes, social security and health care are taken out, they will have about 750€ a month to live on. The stipend provides enough money to live the life-style of a typical French student. Eligibility requirements are as follows:

Acceptance to year-long program

American citizen (or have a green card)

Between 20 and 30 years of age

Currently pursuing or have already attained a college degree

Proficient in French

Mature, upper-class student with willingness to work hard

Students applying for the Teaching Program need to have a completed application submitted to the NAU Center for International Education by February 1st. Students also will need to complete a study abroad application for the MICEFA program. As applications and deadlines for study only may be different, interested students should contact the NAU Center for International Education at the beginning of the spring semester to request application materials.

### **Ghana**

## **Abusua Foundation**

Abusua Foundation is looking for a capable intern to volunteer with the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice (CHRAJ) in Cape Coast, Ghana. As a human rights intern you will be part of a team professionals at the Commission on Human Rights and Administrative Justice (CHRAJ) working to foster and promote human rights in Ghana. Through your internship you will assist the staff with human rights outreach and education programmes in the Cape Coast area, including helping to create and give human rights talks. You will sit in on mediation sessions and may be required to accompany CHRAJ staff on monitoring and evaluation exercises throughout the region. You will also assist the administration department in the filing and intake of complaints. See [http://www.abusuafoundation.com/en/?link\\_id=15](http://www.abusuafoundation.com/en/?link_id=15)

## **Italy**

### **Sienna School: NAU**

The Art History program allows students to study Medieval Art and earn ARH 343 credit at NAU. Also as part of the Art History program, students will have the opportunity to participate in an Art Restoration Internship, earning ARH 408 credit. The Art Restoration internship features small group work with a renowned Art Restorer in the outskirts of Siena and the chance to help restore pieces of art. In addition, all students will earn 6-8 credits of Italian language credit, dependent on your previous instruction in Italian. No knowledge of Italian is required.

## **Korea**

### **Keimyung University: ISEP**

#### **Teach and Learn in Korea (TALK)**

Keimyung University is an affiliated university in the TALK program which is Korean government scholarship program for exchange students. This scholarship program consists of both academic learning at Keimyung University and teaching experience at nearby elementary schools. For more information, please visit the following website and refer to the exchange student program: <http://www.talk.go.kr>

## **Nicaragua**

### **Universidad Americana: ISEP**

There are some internships available for students attending regular courses at UAM.

## **Palestinian Territory**

### **Addameer Prisoner Support and Human Rights Association (Spring 2011)**

Addameer's Internship Program provides an opportunity for individuals to gain useful experience by working on the ground with a human rights organization. Internships are full time, run for a period of three to six months, and are voluntary (unpaid).

For information please see [http://addameer.info/?page\\_id=524](http://addameer.info/?page_id=524)

## **Spain**

### **Universidad de las Islas Baleares: ISEP**

The ISEP Coordinator will assist students in finding local internships within their field of study only for the period of their exchange program. Students should indicate interest in an internship placement on their application.

### **Universidad Alfonso X el Sabio**

Assistance in locating unpaid practical training and internship opportunities available to students with advanced language skills.

## **Israel**

### **Career Israel Internship**

The Career Israel program is a five-month professional internship program open to college/university graduates from all over the world. The program provides internship placements in leading companies and organizations in the private and public sectors in Israel in every field including law, medicine, media, economics, politics, public relations, education, social work, engineering, computer science, advertising and business and more. For examples of internships look at our database at CareerIsrael.Com

## **Switzerland**

### **Darfur Relief and Documentation Centre**

Darfur Relief and Documentation Centre offers 3 to 6 months self-financed internships to assist with its UN activities in Geneva. Program runs from January to December 2011. Duration and work conditions are flexible. Office work, website surveillance and update, attending conferences and workshops at UN offices, Required qualification is university or colleague grade in law, political science, social science or humanities. Computer skills are required. See <http://www.darfurcentre.ch/index.php>

## **Netherlands**

### **Spanda Foundation**

Spanda is now accepting applications for an internship position based within the Development Department. Eligible candidates must be currently enrolled in a Master's or PhD degree programme in Political Science. Written and spoken fluency in English is essential. We are especially interested in candidates with a strong expertise in microfinance in developing countries. For more information, please see [http://www.spanda.org/get\\_involved.html](http://www.spanda.org/get_involved.html)

## **Indonesia**

### **Freeman Indonesia Nonprofit Internship Program**

The Freeman Indonesia Nonprofit Internship Program (FINIP), funded by the Freeman Foundation and administered by the Institute of International Education (IIE), aims to develop student leaders and strengthen the nonprofit sector in Indonesia. IIE will select and pair 10 Indonesian students pursuing U.S. degrees with 10 U.S. undergraduates and arrange internships for them to work together in an Indonesian nonprofit organization. The 9-week experience, from June 15 to August 13, 2011, arranged by IIE's partner organization, the Indonesian International Education Foundation (IIEF), will take place in three cities: Bandung, Malang, and Yogyakarta. All program-related costs will be covered. Upon returning to the U.S., students will be expected to share their experiences with peers on their home campuses and to explore ways to incorporate what they learned over the summer into their academic and professional careers. Interested American and Indonesian sophomores and juniors enrolled in U.S. institutions are encouraged to apply.

### **SFCG Country Programmes world wide**

Founded in 1982, SFCG works to transform the way the world deals with conflict - away from adversarial approaches and towards collaborative problem solving. We work with local partners to find culturally appropriate means to strengthen societies' capacity to deal with conflicts constructively: to understand the differences and act on the commonalities. Search for Common Ground's (SFCG) International Internship Program is a summer internship program designed to encourage young people interested in pursuing a field in conflict transformation to gain invaluable field experience. The program is open to students (preferably at graduate level) and recent graduates in the USA and internationally, who are self-funded and available to work between 2 and 3 months from June 2011.

### **Madagascar Development Manager**

The project aims at “preparing the neglected children placed under the guardianship of Akany Avoko Ambohidratrimo and of the 3 sister centers for a healthy, autonomous and successful future in Malagasy society”. More specifically, it will “improve education, housing and health and while promoting social reintegration at Akany Avoko Ambohidratrimo and at the 3 sister centers through the exchange of experiences, the building of capacities and the application of the fundamentals rights of the children under our supervision”. The intern manager will improve and ensure the financial stability of the center to which he/she is assigned, improve the visibility of the center and develop sustainable activities while serving as a consultant to the center's director. Send your CV and a cover letter to Ms THIEULIN Caroline, Coordinator of the project “Ici et Ailleurs” at the following address [akany.avoko@moov.mg](mailto:akany.avoko@moov.mg) with the subject « IA - Development Manager »



## **Accra, Ghana**

### **Ghana Wildlife Society**

Ghana's leading wildlife society, is a non-governmental, non-political, non-profit making environmental organization which seeks to conserve wildlife in all its forms to ensure a better environment and improved quality of life for all people. The GWS was first formed in the early 1970s but functioned for a few years and became dormant. In 1991, it was revived by the Save the Seashore Birds Project - Ghana (SSPC-G), a project that aimed at protecting sea and shore birds and their coastal wetland habitats in Ghana. When the SSBP-G ended in June 1994, the Society took over and continued the conservation activities initiated by the project. The Society requires the following volunteers:

#### **\* Researchers**

Researchers are required by the Ghana Wildlife Society to help search for and document endangered and rare species in the vast Ghanaian rain forests.

#### **\* Students**

If you are interested in and dedicated to wildlife conservation and want to work in the field, you are more than welcome to join the GWS team.

#### **\* Vets**

Volunteers will provide healthcare to endangered species in Ghana. This will include checking their fitness and check for & treat infections and diseases.

#### **\* Professional photographers**

Photographers are required to take pictures of animals in their natural environment and follow GWS officials in their expeditions into the rain forests and other project locations.

For further information, please see <http://www.ikando.org/apply.php>

## **Cochabamba, Bolivia**

### **Political and Legal Think Tank Internship - IDEI**

The Instituto de Estudios Internacionales de Bolivia (IDEI) works with issues relating to international relations, law, and political science aiming to not only teach and conduct research, but also to interact, analyze, and provide legal assistance. Internship opportunities include working with different municipalities around Cochabamba and assessing their legal positions; working on any of the IDEI publications; analyzing the new constitution. Volunteers may have their own project in mind, fitting with the themes of IDEI, for which they will be given institutional support. See <http://www.sustainablebolivia.org/voluntarios.html>

## **Cordoba, Argentina**

### **INTERN ABROAD - INTERSHIPS IN ARGENTINA**

Fundacion AFOS provides deeply meaningful work and cultural immersion for international students in Argentina. Our programs are extremely affordable and provide participants with an unforgettable personal and professional experience. Our programs are offered year-round and for any length of time (with a one month minimum). The only requirements are a minimum age of 18 and an intermediate or higher knowledge of Spanish to be able to interact with local people (although we can also arrange intensive language courses for those who need them). Program participants put their knowledge to work while fulfilling scholastic or internship requirements. At the same time they improve their Spanish and have the opportunity to be deeply immersed in the incredible culture of Argentina's people. For more information, please see <http://fundacionafos.org.ar/Ingles/Pasantias.htm>