

~ Guide to Internships & Careers ~

**For political science students and students interested in
careers in international affairs**

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Introduction

This guide is meant to help current undergraduates, graduate students, or recent graduates in political science, peace studies, international studies, cultural-studies, other relevant fields find relevant internship or employment experience to further their vocational interests. Both paid and unpaid internship and volunteer opportunities are included. Many of the organizations are well known in their fields. Below the name of each organization is a brief summary of its mission, a few details about available opportunities, eligibility, and a website link for further information and application instructions. The same depth of details is not included for each organization – information was more easily accessible for some organizations than for others, or some simply have fewer details to convey regarding their application process and requirements.

Please read through the summary of each organization, as there is a very broad range of opportunities available and they are merely listed alphabetically in each section. Each student or recent graduate is likely to find at least one organization whose work is of interest. This guide is, of course, not an exhaustive list of opportunities. You can also try other internship search engines. Be aware that although many of the positions in this guide may be unpaid, particularly in the case of internships and volunteer work, you should not be discouraged from applying. Apply anyway! Fellowships and outside funding may be sought in some cases. The experience is often worth the investment, as it will lead to more opportunities and reap greater rewards in the future as you pursue your vocational goals.

Note that if a website link is no longer working, Google the organization's name and search for their internships page.

DEVELOPMENT ISSUES/HUMANITARIANISM

ACCION International

About Organization: ACCION International is a private, nonprofit organization with the mission of giving people the financial tools they need – micro-enterprise loans, business training, and other financial services – to work their way out of poverty. For the past four years, ACCION has been among 25 organizations awarded the Social Capitalist Award by Fast Company magazine for “using business excellence to engineer social change.”

Opportunities: Jobs and internships are available. Internships are available on a sporadic basis and, along with employment opportunities, are updated on the website.

Location: Jobs in the U.S. or abroad are available. Interns work in the Boston office.

Remuneration: Paid internships may be awarded.

Link: For employment and internship opportunities - http://www.accion.org/involve_employment.asp

Action Against Hunger

About Organization: Action Against Hunger has been a world leader in the treatment of malnutrition since 1979, and has programs that focus on nutrition, food security, water/sanitation, and basic health in more than 44 countries around the world.

Location: Interns are placed in the Headquarters Office in New York.

Expectations: Internships are offered in the areas of Human Resources, Fundraising, Communications, and Operations.

Remuneration: Interns receive a \$10/day stipend and local transportation is covered.

Link: To view current job vacancies - <http://www.actionagainsthunger.org/jobs/jobs.html>.
To view internship vacancies - <http://www.actionagainsthunger.org/jobs/interns.html>

Blood:Water Mission

About: Blood:Water is an equipping agency that partners with African grassroots organizations to address the HIV/AIDS and water crises. We do this by identifying Africa’s hidden heroes and coming alongside their vision for change. Through technical, financial and organizational support, we expand the reach and effectiveness of African civil society organizations and the communities they serve. Blood:Water is a Christian faith-based organization sees itself as part of an ecumenical Christian efforts to bring change and hope to the world through its efforts in the area of HIV/AIDS and clean water. (see: <http://www.bloodwater.org/approach>)

Opportunities: Blood:Water accepts internships for the Summer, Fall, and Spring for their Nashville Office. There are opportunities in Engagement, Marketing, and Systems work.

Location: Nashville, Tennessee

Remuneration: Unpaid.

Timing & Duration: Application due dates are as follows: For summer – April 1st. For Fall – August 1st. For Spring – December 10th.

Link: For internship information: <http://www.bloodwater.org/about-us/careers>

Bread for the World Institute

About Organization: For more than 30 years, Bread for the World has been a Christian (interfaith) voice for ending hunger. It is a nonpartisan citizens' movement of 54,000 people of faith, including 2,500 churches.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are updated on the website. Internships are also available for persons from various backgrounds (not students only). Credit can be arranged for students. Positions are open to those who do or do not hold religious beliefs.

Location: Washington D.C.

Timing & Duration: Internship application due dates are as follows. For summer – April 1st. For fall – July 1st. For spring/winter – Nov. 1st. Internships begin one month from those dates and last from 3-months to a year.

Expectations: Interns are matched to a job based on their background, skills, interests etc. and placed in an appropriate department. During the internship, interns learn about the public policy and legislative processes, and enhance their professional and organizational skills.

Remuneration: Interns generally are unpaid, but a limited number of interns do receive a stipend. Interns with a stipend receive an annual salary and medical and life insurance coverage and generally intern from 6-months to year. Interns without a stipend are reimbursed for work related expenses, such as transportation costs in D.C.

Link: For internship information - <http://www.bread.org/about-us/internships/> For employment information - <http://www.bread.org/about-us/jobs/>

Brookings Institution

About Organization: The Brookings Institution is a prestigious non-profit public policy think tank in Washington D.C. considered the “most influential.” They have research programs in Foreign Policy, Governance Studies, Global Economy and Development, Economic Studies, Metropolitan Policy Program, as well as various Centers and Projects. See: <http://www.brookings.edu/about#research-projects/>

Eligibility: Eligibility may vary depending on the internship; See the list of internships available in the link below.

Due Dates: Spring internship applications are usually due in November; Check the website for due dates for summer opportunities.

Remuneration: None, all positions are unpaid.

Link: <http://www.brookings.edu/about/employment#/?tab=1>

CARE

About Organization: CARE fights root causes of poverty in the world's poorest communities. They place special focus on working alongside poor women because, equipped with the proper resources, women have the power to help whole families and entire communities escape poverty.

Opportunities: Employment and internship positions are available.

Eligibility: Internship opportunities are offered to undergraduate or graduate students

Link: For job opportunities see: <http://www.care.org/careers/index.asp>. For internships see: <http://www.care.org/careers/internships.asp>

Center for Global Development

About Organization: CGD is an independent, not-for-profit think tank that works to reduce global poverty and inequality by encouraging policy change in the U.S. and other rich countries through rigorous research and active engagement with the policy community.

Opportunities: Paid and unpaid internships for full-time undergraduate and graduate students are offered occasionally.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Research interns must be familiar with issues related to development economics and policy analysis, and related topics. Prior experience with statistical packages such as STATA and Excel may be required. Prior study and/or work experience in economics, public policy, international relations, national security issues, and global health may be required, along with outstanding communication and writing skills.

Remuneration: Paid and unpaid internships may be available.

Link: To view current internships - <http://www.cgdev.org/section/about/employment>

Center for Strategic & International Studies

About Organization: The Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) seeks to advance global security and prosperity in an era of economic and political transformation by providing strategic insights and practical policy solutions to decision-makers. CSIS serves as a strategic planning partner for the government by conducting research and analysis and developing policy initiatives that look into the future and anticipate change.

Opportunities: Internships are available for current undergraduates and recent graduates. Job vacancies are also listed on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current college juniors or seniors may apply, as well as recent graduates or advanced students.

Timing & Duration: Applicants may apply for full-time or part-time internships in the fall, spring, and summer. The deadline for the fall semester is July 15, for the spring semester is Nov 15, and for the summer semesters if March 15.

Expectations: Interns gain practical experience in the public policy arena and participate in activities that support the individual programs, including research, writing, and project development.

Link: For further information - http://www.csis.org/about/jobs_interns/

Citizens for Global Solutions

About Organization: Citizens for Global Solutions is a grassroots membership organization that envisions a future in which nations work together to abolish war, protect

our rights and freedoms, and solve the problems facing humanity that no nation can solve alone.

Location: National Office in Washington, D.C.

Opportunities: Both internship and job opportunities are available. Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates are eligible for the internship program.

Deadline: Summer Deadline: April 1st, Fall Deadline: Aug 15th, Spring Deadline: Dec 20th. Some exceptions may apply.

Expectations: Interns engage in substantive work in the areas of U.S. Global engagement, Peace and Security, International Law and Justice, International Institutions, and Health and the Environment. Interns may also work on specific projects on the International Criminal Court, Peace Operations, UN Reform, and other issues. Interns attend coalition meetings and those on Capitol Hill, write press releases or other material, create advocacy material, and other duties.

Remuneration: Apart from a \$10/day stipend, internships are unpaid.

Link: Link to internship info - <http://globalsolutions.org/about/careers-internships>

Citizen's Network for Foreign Affairs

About Organization: Established in 1985, CNFA (Citizens' Network for Foreign Affairs) is a Washington, DC-based, non-partisan, not-for-profit organization dedicated to empowering farmers and entrepreneurs and increasing and sustaining rural incomes in less developed parts of the world. This is accomplished through developing value-adding agricultural enterprises and strengthening farmer-market linkages. CNFA focuses on commercial activity, locally defined needs, and leveraged investment in order to foster the economic empowerment of rural residents and enterprises all along the food value chain—from farmers to local suppliers and processors, to larger companies, financial institutions, and distributors and exporters.

Opportunities: Internship, volunteer, and employment opportunities are offered.

Location: Interns work in the Washington, D.C. office.

Eligibility: Internship applicants must be college juniors, seniors, or recent graduates.

Remuneration: Interns are paid a flat monthly stipend of \$1,000/month. Volunteer long-term or short-term opportunities may be paid positions (check the website).

Timing & Duration: Internships are offered in Washington D.C. during the spring, summer, and fall on a continuous basis

Expectations: Interns work in the following departments: Central and Eastern Europe; Middle East and Africa; New Business Development; Operations and Compliance.

Link: Internship information - <http://www.cnfa.org/internships/>. For a listing of (international) volunteer opportunities - <http://www.cnfa.org/opportunities/volunteer/>.

DATA (debt, AIDS, trade, Africa)

About Organization: DATA aims to spark response to crises threatening hope in Africa: unpayable Debts, uncontrolled spread of AIDS, and unfair trade rules which keep Africans poor.

Opportunities: Employment vacancies are listed on the website. Occasionally, internships are available.

Deadline: For summer internships – April 20th. For fall internships – Sept. 20th. For spring internships – Dec. 1st.

Location: Positions may be open in the UK or U.S.

Link: To view vacancies - <http://jobs.one.org>

Doctors Without Borders

About: One the most prominent international humanitarian organizations working in medical relief. “We help people worldwide where the need is greatest, delivering emergency medical aid to people affected by conflict, epidemics, disasters, or exclusion from health care.”

Opportunity: “Interns gain practical work experience and support the work of our Communications, Development, Program, Human Resources (both for the field and the office), and Executive departments. Interns also gain a basic introduction to the field of international medical humanitarian aid and advocacy.”

Deadline: For summer internships – April 18th. For fall internships August 8th. For spring internships – December 30th.

Location: New York office

Remuneration: Paid! (\$10/hour)

<http://www.doctorswithoutborders.org/work-us/work-office/office-internships>

Global Goods Partners

About Organization: Global Goods Partners is dedicated to alleviating poverty and promoting social justice by strengthening women-led development initiatives for marginalized communities in Asia, Africa, and the Americas. A nonprofit endeavor, Global Goods pursues this mission by partnering with organizations, associations, and cooperatives worldwide that integrate their commitment to community development - specifically, improvements in education, health, women’s rights, and employment opportunities - with socially responsible income-generating enterprises. Global Goods provides its partners with direct access to new markets in the United States, increasing both their revenue and global awareness of their work. Global Goods uses proceeds from product sales to provide technical assistance and grant support to its partners, assisting them in building stronger, more effective programs.

Opportunities: Internship and volunteer opportunities are available.

Location: New York

Link: Click on “About Us” to see available job or internship openings

<http://globalgoodspartners.org>

Global Ministries

About: The organization works on many projects worldwide, including women’s empowerment, education, water, HIV/AIDS, children (various), medical, rural development and micro-credit, and theological. As a Christian faith-based organization

and arm of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ, they work with 270 church partners in 70 different countries. The Global Mission Intern program is designed “specifically for young adults who are interested in missionary service and have completed their basic college education, but are without professional experience. The Global Mission Intern program provides opportunities for young adult members of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ to participate in mission with partner churches around the world. Global mission interns are involved with ecumenical partners in ministry among the poor or with minority churches, or Christian action groups dealing with human rights, reconciliation and development projects. Support is at subsistence or appropriate support level recommended by the host church or organization. Assignments are developed on an individual basis. This program allows us the flexibility to design an assignment around the strengths and skills of the applicant, as well as the specific needs of the church partner.”

Opportunities: Short-term and long-term internship and/or volunteer opportunities.

Location: U.S. and international

Eligibility: young adult. Open to members of the Christian Church and United Church of Christ *as well as* “other Christian churches.” Generally, you should have a compatible with Global Ministries mission and values.

Remuneration: generally expected to fund yourself, but may be some possibility for assistance depending on position and location.

Deadline: April 1st

Link: Internship opportunity: <http://globalministries.org/get-involved/mission-opportunities/global-mission-intern.html> and Volunteer opportunities: <http://globalministries.org/get-involved/mission-opportunities/volunteer-opportunities.html>

InterAction

About Organization: InterAction is the largest alliance of U.S.-based international development and humanitarian nongovernmental organizations. With more than 160 members operating in every developing country, we work to overcome poverty, exclusion and suffering by advancing social justice and basic dignity for all.

Opportunities: Internships and employment positions are offered.

Location: Washington D.C.

Eligibility: Internship applicants must have at least three years of undergraduate study completed. Graduate students are preferred. Job vacancies and requirements are updated on the organization website (see Link).

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: To browse employment and internship openings, click on the link at the bottom of the following webpage - <http://www.interaction.org/about/internship-program>

International Monetary Fund

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Eligibility: PhD and MA students

<http://www.imf.org/external/np/adm/rec/job/summint.htm>

International Rescue Committee

About Organization: Founded in 1933, the International Rescue Committee is one of the world's largest nonsectarian, nonprofit organizations providing relief, rehabilitation, protection and resettlement services for refugees, displaced persons and victims of oppression.

Opportunities: Employment and internship opportunities are available. Available positions are updated on the website.

Location: Positions are available both in the U.S. and abroad.

Link: To view opportunities - <https://www.rescue.org/volunteer>

Jubilee USA

About Organization: Jubilee USA Network is an alliance of 75 religious, environmental, human rights, and community groups working for the cancellation of unjust debts to fight poverty in Asia, Africa, and Latin America.

Location: Washington D.C.

Opportunities: Vacancies for employment are posted on the website. Internships are available year-round

Eligibility: For qualified applicants interested in working on debt cancellation and other issues of global justice.

Expectations: Work closely with the National Coordinator and the Outreach and Congregations Coordinator and Fellow, and/or the Communications and Advocacy Coordinator and Fellow on education, outreach, research, advocacy and communications projects, depending on the intern's interests and Jubilee's needs. Interns also provide support in other areas, such as research and writing, and attend Jubilee meetings and conferences.

Timing & Duration: Internships are available every semester (fall, winter/spring, and summer).

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid, though the cost of travel may be covered. For college students, academic credit may also be arranged.

Link: To submit an application, visit -

http://www.jubileeusa.org/jubilee.cgi?path=/join_us&page=internships.html

Living Water International

About Organization: Living Water International works in more than 22 countries to bring daily access to safe, clean water to over 5 million people. LWI confronts the global water crisis, as well as hygiene and sanitation development, through a community based approach of training, consulting and equipping.

Opportunities: Uncertain.

Link: To check for opportunities, visit - <http://www.living-water.org/main.aspx>

Lutheran World Relief

About Organization: LWR is a non-governmental organization founded in 1945 that works with partners worldwide to respond to emergencies, seek lasting solutions to rural poverty, and work for peace and justice for all. LWR works to reduce poverty and injustice by helping communities increase and expand the resources they need to live productive, healthy and empowered lives.

Opportunities: Internships are periodically available in LWR's Boston office. Job openings are updated on the website.

Location: LWR is headquartered in Baltimore, Maryland,

Remuneration: Internships are generally unpaid.

Link: <http://www.lwr.org/jobs/index.asp>

Mercy Corps

About Organization: Mercy Corps is a not-for-profit organization that exists to alleviate suffering, poverty, and oppression by helping people build secure, productive, and just communities.

Opportunities: Internship and employment opportunities are available.

Eligibility: Internships are available for undergraduate and graduate-level students.

Location: Interns and employees work at the Headquarters in Portland, Oregon or at the agency's offices in Washington, D.C. and Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Expectations: Interns fill various program positions, such as Peace & Conflict and Policy & Advocacy positions. Interns gain understanding of Mercy Corps' work and exposure to international relief and development work and non-profit management issues.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid, though there may be a small stipend.

Timing & Duration: Internship placements are made on a rolling basis throughout the year. Interns must work a minimum of 15 hours/week over a three month period or the equivalent in a shorter time period.

Link:

https://mercy Corps.silkroad.com/epostings/index.cfm?version=3&company_id=15927

NetAid

About Organization: NetAid educates, inspires and empowers new generations of young people to fight global poverty throughout their lives. NetAid is creating a movement of informed youth—tomorrow's leaders and voters—who understand the root causes of global poverty and are committed to ending it.

Opportunities: Internship and employment opportunities are offered and updated on the website.

Location: New York

Link: To check for vacancies - <http://www.netaid.org/about/jobs-and-internships/>

ONE Campaign (“Campaign to Make Poverty History”)

About Organization: The ONE campaign is a new effort by Americans to rally Americans - ONE by ONE - to fight the emergency of global AIDS and extreme poverty. The ONE Campaign is engaging Americans through a diverse coalition of faith-based

and anti-poverty organizers to show the steps people can take, ONE by ONE, to fight global AIDS and poverty.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: age and status of eligible applicants is not specified. There are 5-7 internship openings per semester.

Deadlines: Spring, Summer, Fall, and Winter internships are available. No specific deadlines are noted.

Expectations: Interns will assist in the Campaign by engaging in the “intricacies of including grassroots, field, internet, communications and policy” projects.

Link: Visit this website for internship application procedures.

http://action.one.org/dia/organizationsONE/one/content.jsp?content_KEY=23. Copy this link for job opportunities: <http://www.one.org/employment>

Opportunity International

About Organization: For 35 years, Opportunity International has fought poverty through small business loans and other financial services. The world’s largest Christian microfinance organization, Opportunity serves 810,000 poor entrepreneurs in 27 developing countries.

Opportunities: Internship and employment positions are updated on the website.

Location: U.S. or abroad.

Link: To search for employment and internship opportunities, visit -

<http://search10.smartsearchonline.com/opportunityintl/jobs/adhocjobsearch.asp>

Our Voices Together

About Organization: Founded by families and friends who have lost loved ones to terrorist acts, Our Voices Together works to counter terrorism by addressing international poverty and fostering cross-cultural understanding. Join us in building a safer, more compassionate world for all.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Undergraduate and graduate students may apply.

Link: Check the website for current internship opportunities -

http://www.ourvoicestogether.org/site/PageServer?pagename=act_volunteer#intern

REACH

About Organization: REACH Ministries, through the love of Jesus, extends compassionate care to those affected by life threatening illnesses and situations, focusing on the most isolated, children infected with HIV/AIDS and their families. Individuals looking to explore their interest in psychosocial development, grief processes, HIV/AIDS, sociology, evangelism, worldwide compassion and social issues surrounding the church may benefit from this ministry.

Opportunities: Internship opportunities are available.

Expectations: Internships will give individuals the opportunity to work at a nonprofit organization for an extended period of time, alongside full-time employees, overseeing programs and gaining skills relating to each opening. Applicants are matched to specific jobs on the basis of background, skills and interests, as well as needs of the organization.
Link: To find out more about the internship opportunity, remuneration, and length of commitment, contact the organization through - http://www.reachministries.org/intern_application.php

RESULTS Educational Fund

About Organization: For 25 years RESULTS Educational Fund has worked to create the political will to end hunger and poverty by training citizens in advocacy, working with the media, and building coalitions in their communities.

Opportunities: Internships are available in the legislative, grassroots, development, and operations departments. Interested applicants must contact the organization to inquire about available positions and the procedures to apply.

Link: <http://www.results.org/website/article.asp?id=40>

Save the Children

About Organization: Save the Children is a non-profit international organization that works to defend and improve the lives of children through community development efforts around the world in partnership with communities, NGOs, governments, businesses, and others.

Opportunities: Save the Children does not have a formal internship program, but available internships in the U.S. or abroad are included in the organization's Career website.

Link: Visit the following site for volunteer, job, and possible internship opportunities: <http://www.savethechildren.org/about/jobs/>

Sojourner's Internship Program

About Organization: The organization publishes the *Sojourners* magazine and conducts the Call to Renewal campaign, which is also connected to the Campaign to Overcome Poverty. Sojourners is a connecting point for Christians nationally and internationally. Sojourners examine pressing moral, political, social, and economic issues in a spiritual, theological, and action-oriented context, encouraging people to think about the gospel implications of the issues society faces and, by bringing them to light in the context of faith, to set forth and encourage a vision for the future that is just and sustainable for the earth and its people.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Expectations: Interns live in community together in Washington D.C. The program is structured around the goal of providing an internship program of Christian discipleship, with a focus on life and faith, prayer and formation, and work and mission.

Eligibility: Anyone 21 years or older

Remuneration: Costs of room, board, health insurance, city transportation are covered in the internship and a \$100 monthly stipend is provided.

Timing & Duration: Internships are one year commitments from September-August

Application deadline: March 1, 2007

Link: For more details: http://www.sojo.net/index.cfm?action=get_connected.internships

UNA - USA

About Organization: UNA-USA is the nation's largest grassroots foreign policy organization and the leading center of UN policy research. UNA-USA offers Americans the chance to connect with key issues like human rights, global health, development and international justice.

Opportunities: Internship positions are available. Job vacancies are listed on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduate and graduate students may apply.

Expectations: Both full- and part-time internships are available. Interns may select three departments on their application for which they are interested in interning.

Remuneration: None. However, it is possible for academic credit to be arranged.

Deadlines: Spring and Fall applications are received on a rolling basis. Summer applications must be received by March 15th. No winter internships are available.

Link: To access an application, visit - <http://www.unausa.org/about-us/internships>

United Methodist Church – General Board of Church & Society

About Organization: The General Board of Church and Society is the public policy and social justice agency of The United Methodist Church. In 2004, the General Conference called for churches in the U S and internationally to work for the achievement of the U N Millennium Development Goals.

Opportunities: Internship positions are available year round. Job vacancies are listed on the website.

Link: <http://www.umc-gbcs.org/site/pp.asp?c=fsJNK0PKJrH&b=845463>

UN Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (ESCWA)

About Organization: ESCWA promotes economic and social development through regional and sub-regional cooperation and integration and serves as the main general economic and social development forum within the United Nations system for the ESCWA region. It formulates and promotes development assistance activities and projects commensurate with the needs and priorities of the region and acts as an executing agency for relevant operational projects. The ESCWA coordinates its activities with those of the major departments/offices of the United Nations at Headquarters and of specialized agencies and intergovernmental organizations, such as the League of Arab States, the Gulf Cooperation Council and the Organization of the Islamic Conference, with a view to avoid duplication and ensure complementarity, synergy and exchange of information.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Location: New York

Eligibility: Applicant should be a graduate student or possess an undergraduate degree with an intention to study further or work in a field relevant to ESCWA work. Preference is for candidates pursuing a masters level degree.

Duration: Internships last from three to six months.

Expectation: Interns gain a better understanding of major problems confronting the world and are provided insight into how the UN attempts to find solutions to these problems. Interns work in areas such as agriculture, computer science, demography, economics, energy, engineering, environment, finance, international relations, journalism, mass media, political economy, public administration, sociology, statistics and translation and terminology.

Deadline: Applications should be submitted two months before proposed start of internship

Link: for more information on application procedures visit <http://www.escwa.org.lb/>

United Nations Foundation

About Organization: Founded by Ted Turner, the United Nations Foundation acts to meet the most pressing health, humanitarian, socioeconomic, and environmental challenges, through advocacy, building innovative public-private partnerships and grant making.

Opportunities: Internship and employment positions are updated on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current undergraduate or recent graduate with demonstrated interest in the UN and development. Besides internships, available job opportunities are listed on the website.

Timing & Duration: Both full- and part-time internships are available for the Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters.

Expectations: Interns participate in various tasks of the organization in their assigned department. A trip to the UN Headquarters in New York City is also organized for interns. Interns work in the areas of Partnership Development, Programs, Public Affairs, and Finance & Grant Administration.

Link: To submit an application, visit the website: <http://www.unfoundation.org/who-we-are/careers/>

UN International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)

About Organization: The International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD), a specialized agency of the United Nations, finances agricultural development projects primarily for food production in the developing countries. IFAD's mission is to enable the rural poor to overcome poverty. IFAD is dedicated to eradicating rural poverty in developing countries. Working with rural poor people, governments, donors, NGOs and other partners, IFAD focuses on country-specific solutions, which can involve increasing rural poor peoples' access to financial services, markets, technology, land and other natural resources.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: Internship applicants must be currently enrolled in a recognized university or graduate school and have completed at least two years of undergraduate study.

Remuneration: Interns may offer their services without compensation. Alternatively, Interns will be paid the equivalent of an all-inclusive lumpsum amount of USD 600 per month, less any payment received from a sponsor. If the intern receives funding from a sponsor, then IFAD will pay the difference between this amount and the all-inclusive lump sum amount. Costs of travel and accommodation are the responsibility of the Interns or their sponsoring institutions

Timing & Duration: Applications can be submitted any time during the calendar year. Internships cannot exceed six months.

Link: <http://www.ifad.org/job/intern/index.htm>

UN Offices at Nairobi (UNON)

UN Centre for Human Settlements (Habitat/UNCHS), Nairobi

UN Environment Program (UNEP), Nairobi

About Organization: Since the early 1990s, the UN's African headquarters in Nairobi has seen sustained growth, both as the global headquarters of the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) and the UN Programme for Human Settlements (UN-Habitat), and as a rapidly expanding regional development hub. Today, Nairobi's UN Gigiri Complex stands as a potent symbol of the United Nations' commitment to equitable social and economic development, and to breaking the shackles of poverty on the world's poorest continent.

Opportunities: Internships are available.

Eligibility: third or fourth year undergraduate student or current graduate students. The applicant must be endorsed by a nominating/sponsoring institution, such as the university the student attends.

Expectations: the goal of the program is to expose students to the UN and its policies and programs and have the students become ambassadors of good will. They will gain a better understanding of major global problems confronting the world and gain practical experience which complements their field of study.

Timing & Duration: The internship lasts from three to six months and is full-time.

Link: For further application information -

http://www.unon.org/intern_ship/?ses=&ctfo=7&ctid=3&ctsub=16&ctno=INTERNSHIP+PROGRAMME

United States Agency for International Development

[ENTER INFO, various opportunities in Agriculture & Food Security, Economic Growth & Trade, Water & Sanitation, Crisis & Conflict, Education, Environment & Global Climate Change, Ending Extreme Poverty, Gender Equality etc.]

Women's Edge Coalition

About Organization: WEC is a coalition of individuals and organizations working to increase the United States' support for the world's poorest women. It also works to ensure that complex international trade agreements do not harm people living in developing

countries. Women's Edge Coalition challenges the deep poverty that cripples the lives of millions of women and girls around the world and seeks ways to end poverty through smart targeting of U.S. international assistance and trade policy, focused on women.

Opportunities: Internships and jobs are updated on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Link: Click on the internships, jobs, and volunteers link -

http://www.womensedge.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=26&Itemid=5

Women's Refugee Commission

About Organization: "The Women's Refugee Commission improves the lives and protects the rights of women, children and youth displaced by conflict and crisis. We research their needs, identify solutions and advocate for programs and policies to strengthen their resilience and drive change in humanitarian practice. Since our founding in 1989, we have been a leading expert on the needs of refugee women and children, and the policies that can protect and empower them."

Opportunities: Various internship opportunities with their different programs, such as the Program on Gender-Based Violence in Urban Areas along with the Sexual and Reproductive Health Program.

Eligibility: BA required, MA or MPH student preferred.

Location: New York

Timing & Duration: Check information for specific positions

Link: <https://womensrefugeecommission.org/about/internships>

World Bank

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Witness for Peace

About Organization: Witness for Peace (WFP) is a grassroots, politically independent, non-profit, human rights and economic justice organization dedicated to the principals of non-violence. Our mission is to change those United States foreign and economic policies which contribute to poverty and oppression in Latin America and the Caribbean, and to promote just alternatives.

Opportunities: WFP offers internships and employment opportunities.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Expectations: Interns will work in many aspects of WFP's operations, such as tracking legislation, writing analyses for action alerts and newsletters, communicating with representatives of collegial organizations and Congressional offices, and representing WFP in coalition meetings.

Remuneration: Unpaid.

Timing & Duration: Interns put in about 20-30 hours/week.

Link: <http://witnessforpeace.org/section.php?id=91>

World Hunger Year

About Organization: WHY attacks the root causes of hunger and poverty by promoting effective and innovative community-based solutions that create self reliance, economic justice and food security.

Opportunities: Internships are available.

Eligibility: No specific eligibility requirements listed. Several internships are available and job opportunities, as well.

Timing & Duration: Note in your cover letter the dates and hours you will be available to intern.

Remuneration: Internships are generally unpaid.

Link: http://www.worldhungeryear.org/about_why/jobs.asp

World Hope International

About Organization: World Hope International is a faith based relief and development organization alleviating suffering and injustice through education, enterprise and community health.

Opportunities: Internship openings are updated on the website.

Location: Alexandria, Virginia

Eligibility: No specific eligibility requirements. No internship opportunities are listed. Check back periodically for available job opportunities.

Link: <http://www.worldhope.org/worldhope/employment.htm>

World Resources Institute

About Organization: The World Resources Institute is an environmental think tank that goes beyond research to create practical ways to protect the Earth and improve people's lives. Our mission is to move human society to live in ways that protect Earth's environment for current and future generations.

Opportunities: Internships and employment positions are available.

Link: View the website for openings - <http://www.wri.org/joblist/>

World Vision

About Organization: World Vision is a Christian relief and development organization dedicated to helping children and their communities worldwide reach their full potential by tackling the causes of poverty. Motivated by our faith in Jesus, we serve the poor — regardless of a person's religion, race, ethnicity, or gender — as a demonstration of God's unconditional love for all people.

Opportunities: Both internship and job opportunities are available in the U.S. or abroad. Internships provide college students the opportunity to apply their knowledge and skills gained from academic study to a planned and supervised work environment including weekly intern gatherings. Interns learn hands on about nonprofit development work and World Vision's ministry.

Expectations: Volunteers and interns at World Vision’s U.S. headquarters in Federal Way, Washington, serve in a variety of departments — Church Relations, Domestic Programs, Finance, Human Resources, Internet Services, Magazine, Marketing and Communications, Public Relations, and Corporate Services — with various jobs at different skill levels. World Vision tries to match the applicants unique talents and skills with the specific needs of the organization.

Link: For domestic or international job opportunities, visit - http://www.worldvision.org/worldvision/hr.nsf/stable/hr_jobs. To apply for an internship, visit - http://www.worldvision.org/worldvision/hr.nsf/stable/hr_int&vol

Engineers Without Borders - USA

About Organization: EWB-USA partners with developing communities to improve their quality of life through the implementation of environmentally sustainable, equitable, and economical engineering projects while developing internationally responsible engineers and engineering students.

Opportunities: A range of volunteer opportunities are available for this with engineer and non-engineer backgrounds and with administrative abilities. Volunteers must obtain membership before being able to apply.

Link: To access current volunteer opportunities, visit - <http://www.ewb-usa.org/modules/content/index.php?id=145>

FORGE

About Organization: FORGE brings teams of students to Africa to partner with refugees. By implementing and sustaining projects like HIV/AIDS education, women's empowerment programs, computer centers, and libraries, we create the beginnings of responsible social action by refugees.

Opportunities: Volunteer work as Project Facilitators.

Expectations: Project Facilitators undergo approximately 7 months of training prior to their 9 weeks in the camp in Zambia, Africa. Selections are based on FORGE’s mission to “harness the potential of youth as catalysts of social change in order to educate, empower, and enrich the lives of refugees living in African refugee camps”

Remuneration: The position requires fundraising. Such efforts will be supported by FORGE.

Timing & Duration: The time commitment is such that “[w]hile Project Facilitators only spend 9 weeks in Africa, the time commitment to FORGE is significantly larger. The minimum time commitment for FORGE Project Facilitators is nine months – the time between when the Project Facilitator is selected in December until the time that the Project Facilitator returns from Africa in the late summer of the following year. The time commitment is divided into two primary stages: the training stage and the implementation stage.” Training begins in December.

Link: Visit the following website to find out more about the position and apply - <http://www.forgeprogram.org/apply.htm>

Global Health Council

About Organization: The Global Health Council is the world's largest membership alliance dedicated to saving lives by improving health throughout the world. The Council works to ensure that all who strive for improvement and equity in global health have the information and resources they need.

Opportunities: Employment and volunteer opportunities are available and are posted on the website.

Link: Click on the “Jobs” link at the top right of the screen when visiting the following website - <http://www.globalhealth.org/>

Habitat for Humanity (Headquarters Volunteer)

About Organization: Habitat for Humanity International is a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry. HFHI seeks to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the world, and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action. Habitat invites people of all backgrounds, races and religions to build houses together in partnership with families in need.

Eligibility: Must be 18 years or older.

Duration: short-term volunteer positions

Expectations: Volunteers assist with and are an integral part of projects at the headquarters in Americus, Georgia.

Remuneration: Volunteers who do not reside locally may qualify for shared accommodation provided near the headquarters and for a small stipend for meals.

Link: To volunteer at the headquarters: http://www.habitat.org/hr/hfhi_volunteer.aspx .

Habitat for Humanity (International Volunteer)

Eligibility: Applicants are 18 years or older and often come from a variety of skills backgrounds.

Duration: Positions vary in length from perhaps six-months to two years. The average duration is six-months.

Remuneration: None – the volunteer is required to cover all cost of the assignment.

Expectations: Volunteers must be sensitive to and willing to learn about and adjust to a new cultural environment. Volunteers work with area or affiliate office in the country on projects that help to “build capacity in many areas of the organization, such as administration, communications, finance, programs, resource development and training.” Volunteer positions are available in the following countries: Armenia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Ghana, Indonesia, Ireland, Mongolia, Sri Lanka, Tanzania and Uganda.

Link: <http://www.habitat.org/ivp/>

Habitat for Humanity (International)

Eligibility: Applicants must be 18 years or older. Applicants are matched to a program based on their “demonstrated experience in group facilitation and leadership, the ability to work with minimal direct supervision, flexibility, problem solving skills, international experience, language skills and the ability to live in another culture...”

Duration: Duration of assignments vary, but typically last for three years.

Remuneration: A monthly salary, an allowance for housing and relocation, and other benefits are provided in accordance with the applicants education and experience.

Expectations: Assignees work with community, national, or regional programs.

Link: http://www.habitat.org/hr/intl_default.aspx

Heifer International

About Organization: Heifer envisions a world of communities living together in peace and equitably sharing the resources of a healthy planet. Their mission is to work with communities to end hunger and poverty and to care for the earth.

Opportunities: Only volunteer and employment positions are available. Vacancies are listed on the website when there are openings.

Link: To view vacancies and download the job application, visit <http://www.thp.org/>

Lutheran Volunteer Corps

About Organization: In response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Lutheran Volunteer Corps exists to preserve, nurture, and sustain life. LVC believes that caring for the earth and working for freedom and justice with those who are oppressed answers God's call to Shalom ("Peace with Justice") in today's world. LVC seeks Shalom for all people by serving congregations and organizations which share this call.

Opportunities: Volunteer work

Eligibility: Must be 21 years or older with college degree or other relevant work experience.

Deadlines: February 1st, March 15th, and May 1st

Duration: one year commitment

Remuneration: stipend

Expectation: Volunteers are placed with participating organization in certain U.S. cities that work in the areas of education, public safety, human needs, and the environment. (See website for an extensive list of the participating organizations.) Volunteers live in intentional community. LVC believes that integrating faith and action is essential to wholeness. A vital part of this integration is exploring a simpler lifestyle and commitment to the global community. Volunteers pledge to help each other grow spiritually, live simply, and do justice.”

Link: <http://www.lutheranvolunteercorps.org>

Mennonite Central Committee

About Organization: Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) is a relief, service, and peace

agency of North American Mennonite and Brethren in Christ churches. MCC seeks to demonstrate God's love by working among people suffering from poverty, conflict, oppression and natural disaster.

Opportunities: Volunteer work.

Location: Location depends upon the assignment for which the applicant applies.

Eligibility: MCC has a number of opportunities for Christians committed to working for peace. To find an opportunity suited to your skills and background, search the database on the website. Assignments include those in Peace and Reconciliation, Management and Office Support, Health, Education, Community & Economic Development, and Agriculture.

Remuneration: Living support and a stipend are provided to assignees. Travel expenses are also covered. Workers at offices in the U.S. and Canada are salaried employees. Student loan assistance may also be provided.

Duration: The duration of the position depends upon the type of assignment.

Deadline: Applicants should apply 6-9 months before intended start date.

Link: To view requirements and application procedures, visit - <http://www.mcc.org/serve/>

Peace Corps

About Organization: The Peace Corps volunteers serve their country in the cause of peace by living and working in developing countries. Volunteers are hosted in countries to work on issues ranging from AIDS education to information technology and environmental preservation. Today's Peace Corps is more vital than ever, working in emerging and essential areas such as information technology and business development, and committing more than 1,000 new Volunteers as a part of the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief. Peace Corps Volunteers continue to help countless individuals who want to build a better life for themselves, their children, and their communities.

Opportunities: Peace Corps Volunteers work in the following areas: education, youth outreach, and community development; business development; agriculture and environment; health and HIV/AIDS; and information technology. Within these areas, the specific duties and responsibilities of each Volunteer can vary widely.

Duration: Volunteers commit two years to the program.

Expectations: It takes determination, flexibility, patience, and a sense of humor. And while applying to the Peace Corps is easier than being a Volunteer, the qualities that make a good Volunteer will also come in handy during the application process. The rewards far outweigh the difficulties.

Remuneration: A living allowance and health benefits are provided. Student loans may also be deferred.

Link: To find out more details - <http://www.peacecorps.gov/index.cfm>

ProWorld

About Organization: ProWorld's mission is to promote social and economic development, empower communities, and cultivate educated compassionate global citizens. ProWorld focuses on developing relationships with communities in Peru, Belize, and Mexico.

Opportunities: There are three types of opportunities as part of ProWorld's Service Corps program. A Semester Abroad program in which a student may gain academic credit during independent and group projects in the fall or spring semester. Or one may seek an NGO Internship in a community with a ProWorld office in which independent and small team projects are based on your skills and community need. These are available throughout the year at each site. Finally, there are Field Placements that are remote individual project placements based on the needs of the community and skills of each volunteer.

Timing & Duration: Besides the semester long student program, the NGO internships last from 4-16 weeks. The Field Placements last between 3-12 months.

Link: to find out more about each program, visit -

http://www.proworldsc.org/1pw_4programs.htm

Uganda Village Project

About Organization: The Uganda Village Project is an international public health organization working to promote and advocate for long term community health and development solutions based on grassroots needs in the Iganga District of Uganda. The UVP focuses on clean water/sanitation, orphan support and scholarships, healthcare (including HIV/AIDS), and sustainable agriculture.

Opportunities: Volunteer work.

Timing & Duration: Length of volunteer/internship work varies.

Expectations: The main role of the intern will be to continue development work in the Iganga District of Uganda. This involves observing, learning from and listening to local NGOs that are doing efficient, high-quality work in the areas of interest. It also involves independently investigating the information gaps in the community so that their needs can be more effectively addressed.

Remuneration: Travel, room and board, and project-related expenses are covered by UVP. Other expenses can be met through fundraising.

Link: To learn more about the intern/volunteer opportunities, visit the following link and read the FAQ section - <http://www.ifmsa-usa.org/UVP/2/volunteer.htm>

United Planet (Volunteer Abroad Program)

About Organization: United Planet (UP) is a leading international, educational, humanitarian, and peace-building, non-profit organization based in Boston, USA. United Planet is a highly innovative and entrepreneurial non-profit organization devoted to fostering cross-cultural understanding and friendship and supporting communities in need worldwide.

Opportunities: United Planet's unique Volunteer Abroad Quest program combines volunteering abroad, language learning, cultural activities, learning excursions, and special Cultural Awareness Projects to provide an incredibly fulfilling experience for volunteers and valuable support for communities in need.

Location: Volunteer opportunities are available in 50 countries worldwide.

Eligibility: Both skilled and unskilled volunteers of all ages and nationalities may apply.

Expectations: United Planet volunteers provide vital support to communities in need, immerse and learn about diverse cultures, and explore fascinating areas of the country. By working closely with the local people, volunteers make a positive difference in a range of areas, such as orphan care, education, healthcare, environmental conservation, housing for the poor, and so much more. United Planet supports volunteers every step of the way and encourage them to exchange and share their experiences both during the Quest and upon return.

Duration: From 1-52 weeks.

Link: To learn more about the program, visit - <http://www.unitedplanet.org/quest.html>

World Relief

About Organization: The Mission of World Relief, as originated within the National Association of Evangelicals, is to work with, for and from the Church to relieve human suffering, poverty and hunger worldwide in the name of Jesus Christ. World Relief and partner churches work to save lives and restore hope through ministries that address poverty, disease, hunger, persecution and the effects of war and disasters.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are available. See the link.

Link: To search the database for jobs, visit - <http://www.wr.org/jobs/>

Catholic Relief Services

About Organization: CRS is the official international relief and development agency of the U.S. Catholic community. The mission of CRS is to assist the poor and disadvantaged, leveraging the teachings of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to alleviate human suffering, promote development of all people, and to foster charity and justice throughout the world. They advocate responsibility to help the poor, work to remove the causes of poverty, and promote social justice.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are updated on the website.

Link: To view career opportunities, visit - http://www.crs.org/about_us/careers/index.cfm

Operation Blessing International

About Organization: Operation Blessing International (OBI) is a humanitarian organization that assists the poor with medical, hunger and disaster relief by helping to facilitate the development of healthy, vibrant and self-sustaining communities by addressing larger issues of education, food security, potable water, employment, community health, and disaster mitigation projects.

Opportunities: Employment only.

Location: OBI has outreach centers a number of U.S. states.

Eligibility: Employment positions for qualified applicants. No internships available.

Link: To download a job application, visit - <http://www.ob.org/about/employment.asp>

The Hunger Project

About Organizations: The Hunger Project empowers grassroots people in more than

10,000 villages of Asia, Africa and Latin America to achieve lasting progress in health, education, nutrition, family incomes and gender equality.

Opportunities: There are no internships available. Job opportunities are rarely available, but when they are they are listed on www.idealists.org

Link: <http://www.thp.org/>

Grameen Foundation USA

About Organization: Grameen Foundation USA is dedicated to reducing global poverty among the poorest of the poor through microfinance. GFUSA partners with 52 microfinance institutions in 22 countries that provide financial services to empower the poor to start very small businesses to support themselves and their families.

Opportunities: Job opportunities are available and posted on the website. No internships.

Link: Vacancies are listed at -

http://www.grameenfoundation.org/get_involved/career_opportunities/

Evangelical Lutheran Church in America

About Organization: The 4.9-million-member Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) emphasizes worship and prayer, outreach, ecumenical and interfaith dialogue, and preparing professional and lay leaders through college and seminary education.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities with various ELCA offices around the U.S. are updated on the website link listed below. Internships and employment opportunities at the ELCA office in Washington D.C. are also occasionally available.

Link: To complete an application and view current employment opportunities around the U.S., click on “Career Opportunities” at the top left hand corner of the following website - <http://www.elca.org/humanresources/>. Information for the Washington D.C. office may also be viewed at - <http://www.elca.org/advocacy/federal/employment.html>

Lutheran Immigration & Refugee Service

About Organization: LIRS works in the area of refugee, asylum seeker, and migration assistance and resettlement in the U.S., advocating for fair policies and taking up the cause of the vulnerable.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are available and updated on the website

Link: <http://www.lirs.org/DonateServe/employment.htm>

Lutheran Services in America

About Organization: LSA's more than 300 health and human service organizations provide care in thousands of communities in the United States and the Caribbean. Utilizing the skill and dedication of a quarter of a million staff and volunteers, LSA member organizations provide services ranging from health care to disaster response, from services for children and families to care for the elderly, from adoption to advocacy.

Opportunities: Job opportunities are updated on LSA's website.

Link: click on “Job Opportunities” - <http://www.lutheranservices.org/>

Concern USA

About Organization: Founded in 1968, Concern’s team of 4,000 personnel works in 30 countries providing life-saving emergency relief and long-term assistance (health, education, livelihoods, HIV&AIDS) for the poorest people in the least developed countries of the world.

Opportunities: There are a range of job opportunities available overseas or in the U.S. Check the website regularly for updated vacancies.

Link: To view vacancies, visit - <http://www.concernusa.org/workopps/>

Church World Service

About Organization: Church World Service, a global humanitarian aid agency and ministry of 36 Christian denominations, works to support sustainable self-help and development, meet emergency needs, aid refugees, and address the root causes of poverty and powerlessness.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Link: For current vacancies, visit - <http://www.churchworldservice.com/employment/index.html>

Christian Reformed World Relief Committee

About Organization: CRWRC is a Christian non-profit organization present with 2,000 communities in 30 of the world's poorest countries where together we are addressing hunger and poverty through emergency disaster assistance, integrated community development programs, and justice education.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Link: To view current vacancies, visit - http://www.crwrc.org/?action=d7_article_view_menu&d7ob=D7_JobPost_Viewer

Christian Children's Fund

About Organization: Christian Children's Fund is creating a better future for more than 7.6 million children & family members in 34 countries, helping overcome poverty through education, early childhood development, nutrition, health, livelihood programs & disaster relief.

Opportunities: Domestic and international job vacancies are updated on the website.

Link: To view current vacancies, visit - <http://www.christianchildrensfund.org/content.aspx?id=553>

World Concern

About Organization: A Christian humanitarian organization that provides emergency relief and community development in some of the most neglected areas of the world.

Opportunities: Job opportunities are available in community development, disaster relief, and other areas.

Location: Positions are available in a number of different countries

Remuneration: Unless otherwise noted as a paid position, most positions require one to raise 100% of funding with fundraising assistance from World Concern.

Link: To view current vacancies -

<http://www.worldconcern.org/NETCOMMUNITY/Page.aspx?&pid=427&srcid=397>

International Medical Corps

About Organization: International Medical Corps is a global humanitarian nonprofit organization that saves lives, relieves suffering and restores self-reliance through health care training and relief and development programs.

Opportunities: Employment positions are available and updated on the website. A graduate-level student internship may also be available.

Location: Positions are available in the U.S. and abroad.

Link: To access employment info - <http://www.imcworldwide.org/joinourteam.shtml>

Oxfam America

About Organization: Employees with Oxfam can work in the U.S. and in regional or international offices. The organization works in the area of combating poverty and social injustice, spanning issues such as those of global trade, minority and indigenous rights, equality for resources, natural resources, and others.

Link: For job opportunities, search the following link:

<http://www.oxfamamerica.org/whoweare/jobs>

The American Red Cross

Link: Persons interested in employment with the American Red Cross both domestically and internationally should go to the following link to search a range of job listings -

http://www.redcross.org/jobs/0,1115,0_316_,00.html

Dignity Housing

About Organization: Dignity Housing is a non-profit organization established by formerly homeless people to break the cycle of homelessness and poverty confronting low-income and homeless families and individuals in Philadelphia. Dignity Housing promotes their self-sufficiency by providing affordable rental housing with individualized social services; homeownership opportunities; assistance in pursuit of education objectives; workforce development; and financial management assistance.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are updated on the website.

Link: To view current vacancies -

<http://www.dignityhousing.org/EmploymentOpportunities.asp>

Inspiration Corporation

About Organization: In an atmosphere of dignity and respect, Inspiration Corporation helps people who are affected by homelessness and poverty to improve their lives and increase self-sufficiency through the provision of social services, employment training and housing. Today, Inspiration Corporation has 28 units of scattered site housing in Chicago's Woodlawn and Uptown neighborhoods. One of the goals of the program is to build relationships with Chicago area businesses to create opportunities for Inspiration Corporation clients.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are updated on the website.

Location: Chicago, Illinois

Link: To view employment openings - <http://www.inspirationcorp.org/careers.html>

The Community Builders, Inc

About Organization: Community Builders, Inc. is the nation's largest nonprofit urban housing developer. The Community Builders, Inc. (TCB) is a mission-driven 501(c)(3) organization focused on building and sustaining strong communities. They achieve their mission by developing, financing, and operating high quality affordable rental and for-sale housing, coordinating access to support services and asset-building activities, and shaping community and economic initiatives critical to the communities we serve.

Opportunities: Job openings are listed on the website

Location: varies.

Link: <http://www.tcbinc.org/careers/openings.htm>

Casa Esperanza

About Organization: Casa Esperanza, Inc. is a non-profit organization whose mission is to help Latino men and women to recover from alcoholism and drug addiction, gain the skills they need to be self-sufficient, contributing members of society and to repair and strengthen families torn apart by substance abuse through a treatment program tailored to the specific needs of the Latino community.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are available. Contact the organization to inquire about whether internships are available.

Link: For a list of job vacancies - <http://www.casaesperanza.org/Employment.htm>

ActionAid International

About Organization: ActionAid is an international development agency committed to fighting poverty world-wide. They work together with poor people, local partners and organizations in combating poverty and focus on fighting against the causes of poverty, not just the results. They have prioritized five areas of work: education, hiv/aids, food, emergencies, women and girls.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are listed on the website

Location: London

Link: To find out more about ActionAid activities and vacancies - <http://www.actionaid.org/347/jobs.html>

International Women's Health Coalition

About Organization: The International Women's Health Coalition (IWHC) works to secure every woman's right to sexual and reproductive health and autonomy, free from discrimination, coercion, disease, and violence, in three ways. First, IWHC supports diverse local organizations and networks working to improve the health and status of women and young people in selected countries of Africa, Asia, Latin America, and Central and Eastern Europe. Second, IWHC work with governments, the United Nations, and other international agencies to ensure that global health policies and funding recognize and prioritize women's and young people's health needs and human rights. And third, IWHC inform public debate on issues related to reproductive health, sexuality, women and HIV/AIDS, and human rights, in the U.S. and abroad through our media outreach, publications, website, and events.

Opportunities: Employment positions are updated on the website.

Location: New York

Link: Visit - <http://www.iwhc.org/jobs.cfm>

World Education

About Organization: World Education contributes to individual growth, strengthens the capacity of local partner institutions, catalyses community and national development. World Education's approach is characterized by a commitment to meaningful and equal partnership that is flexible and evolves over time, and is based on mutual interest and trust. In its role as catalyst, World Education strives to develop assets such as good health, literacy, numeracy, business and civic participation skills, and access to credit. World Education promotes local autonomy by partnering with stakeholders to plan and implement their programs for social and economic change, appropriate to the local context and the needs of grassroots constituents.

Opportunities: Job openings are updated on the website and are available with the Boston office or abroad.

Link: <http://www.worlded.org/WEIInternet/workforus/index.cfm>

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International Rescue Committee

About Organization: Founded in 1933, the International Rescue Committee is one of the world's largest nonsectarian, nonprofit organizations providing relief, rehabilitation, protection and resettlement services for refugees, displaced persons and victims of oppression.

Opportunities: Employment and internship opportunities are available. Available positions are updated on the website.

Location: Positions are available both in the U.S. and abroad.

Link: To view opportunities - <https://www.rescue.org/volunteer>

International Labor Organization

Irish Immigration Center

About Organization: The Irish Immigration Center (IIC) is a vibrant and progressive nonprofit organization with a diverse and enthusiastic staff working to help immigrants of all nationalities. IIC's mission is to assist individuals and families in making the economic, psychological, and cultural adjustment to a new land, not only by meeting basic needs, but also by helping them to become active participants in this society.

Opportunities: Paid or unpaid internships are available, as well as volunteer positions.

Location: Boston, Massachusetts

Expectations: Interns and volunteers partake in engaging work in all areas of the IIC's operations, including policy development, fundraising, legislative initiatives, workshops, legal clinics and client assistance.

Link: To contact the organization and find out more - <http://www.iicenter.org/services/volunteering.html>

Refugees International

About Organization: RI provides a voice for refugees and internally displaced persons throughout the world. It generates lifesaving humanitarian assistance and protection for displaced people around the world and works to end the conditions that create displacement.

Opportunities: Internships are available throughout the year for university graduates. Job openings are also updated on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Knowledge of humanitarian issues and the international community, excellent research and writing skills, excellent communication skills, and Bachelor's level of education in a related field.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Expectations: Interns participate in a variety of projects on behalf of displaced people around the world. Projects include regional and issue research, attending meetings on

behalf of RI and taking notes, development of issue briefs, writing for the website and other projects.

Link: To apply for internship, visit -

<http://www.refugeesinternational.org/section/aboutus/internships?PHPSESSID=5ae8355c291d2256f0959cb57a942079>

UN High Commissioner for Refugees, Geneva

About Organization: The Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees is mandated to lead and co-ordinate international action to protect refugees and resolve refugee problems worldwide. Its primary purpose is to safeguard the rights and well-being of refugees. It strives to ensure that everyone can exercise the right to seek asylum and find safe refuge in another State, with the option to return home voluntarily, integrate locally or to resettle in a third country.

Location: Internships may be offered at the Headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland or at a country post.

Opportunities: Internship opportunities are noted on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduate or graduate students studying in the area of law, political science, economic and social development, international relations, public policy, and administration.

Deadline: There is no deadline for submitting applications.

Duration: Internships last no less than two months and up to six months.

Expectations: Interns gain practical work experience related to their area of academic study or future work related to the mission of UNHCR.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: For application procedures - <http://www.unhcr.org/admin/3b8a31f94.html>

UN International Labor Organization

About Organization: The International Labor Organization is the UN specialized agency which seeks the promotion of social justice and internationally recognized human and labor rights. The ILO formulates international labor standards in the form of Conventions and Recommendations setting minimum standards of basic labor rights: freedom of association, the right to organize, collective bargaining, abolition of forced labor, equality of opportunity and treatment, and other standards regulating conditions across the entire spectrum of work related issues.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: Applicants must be in their final year of undergraduate study or be a post-graduate, and graduate students are eligible who are pursuing a course of study or work related to ILO activities and mandate. Applicants should hold degrees in disciplines considered relevant to the ILO's work, e.g. international law, economics, industrial relations, political science, and the social sciences.

Expectations: The internship program will increase an interns understanding of relevant issues at the international level by involving them directly in the work of the Office and the application of ILO principles, programs, and strategies; gain practical work

experience related to their academic background or future work in the field related to ILO's mission. Interns work in an office appropriate to their background.

Location: In Geneva or at ILO field locations

Remuneration: If intern is not supported by an institution, a small stipend is paid to cover basic costs.

Link: <http://www.ilo.org/public/english/bureau/pers/vacancy/intern.htm>

UN International Labor Organization Training Center

About Organization: The Centre is the training arm of the International Labor Organization (ILO), a United Nations agency entrusted with promoting social justice, including internationally recognized human rights and labor standards.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: Applicant must be a student enrolled in an undergraduate, graduate, or post-graduate program, preferably approaching the end of that program.

Timing & Duration: Application must be received at least three months before proposed start of internship. Internships will last between a minimum of six months and not more than nine months.

Remuneration: none, travel and accommodation costs must also be born by the intern.

Link: For further details, visit -

http://www.itcilo.org/pub/page_main.php?VersionID=2&ContentTypeID=55&PageOrder=4

Women's Refugee Commission

About Organization: "The Women's Refugee Commission improves the lives and protects the rights of women, children and youth displaced by conflict and crisis. We research their needs, identify solutions and advocate for programs and policies to strengthen their resilience and drive change in humanitarian practice. Since our founding in 1989, we have been a leading expert on the needs of refugee women and children, and the policies that can protect and empower them."

Opportunities: Various internship opportunities with their different programs, such as the Program on Gender-Based Violence in Urban Areas along with the Sexual and Reproductive Health Program.

Eligibility: BA required, MA or MPH student preferred.

Location: New York

Timing & Duration: Check information for specific positions

Link: <https://womensrefugeecommission.org/about/internships>

Children with Hope

About Organization: Children With Hope Inc. (CWH) is an innovative not for profit organisation, bringing hope and love to children at risk world wide. Based in Melbourne, Australia, it works with partnering individuals and organisations in France, Hong Kong, Bolivia, USA, Singapore, Thailand, Macau, South Africa, Uganda and several states of Australia. CWH provides training to work with children at risk: the orphan, child soldier,

child prostitute, child in an orphanage, child with HIV/AIDS or with disabilities, child of abuse.

Opportunities: CWH conducts training courses and conferences in Australia and overseas in the area of children at risk, and has trained people from 21 countries. They are run in partnership with a local agency, and reflect the needs of that particular group. They are conducted to equip people to work more effectively with children living in especially difficult circumstances of loss, trauma and abuse.

Location: Conferences and training courses have been held in Macau, Hong Kong, Thailand and Australia.

Eligibility: Participants come from a wide diversity of cultures, ages and backgrounds, with varying expertise and experience in the field of children at risk. This can range from those who have had many years working in managerial roles and/or working directly with children, to those with little or no experience and who want to be introduced to what this field entails.

Link: To learn more about the organization and training opportunities - <http://childrenwithhope.com/index.php/opportunities>

FORGE

About Organization: FORGE brings teams of students to Africa to partner with refugees. By implementing and sustaining projects like HIV/AIDS education, women's empowerment programs, computer centers, and libraries, we create the beginnings of responsible social action by refugees.

Opportunities: Volunteer work as Project Facilitators.

Expectations: Project Facilitators undergo approximately 7 months of training prior to their 9 weeks in the camp in Zambia, Africa. Selections are based on FORGE's mission to "harness the potential of youth as catalysts of social change in order to educate, empower, and enrich the lives of refugees living in African refugee camps"

Remuneration: The position requires fundraising. Such efforts will be supported by FORGE.

Timing & Duration: The time commitment is such that "[w]hile Project Facilitators only spend 9 weeks in Africa, the time commitment to FORGE is significantly larger. The minimum time commitment for FORGE Project Facilitators is nine months – the time between when the Project Facilitator is selected in December until the time that the Project Facilitator returns from Africa in the late summer of the following year. The time commitment is divided into two primary stages: the training stage and the implementation stage." Training begins in December.

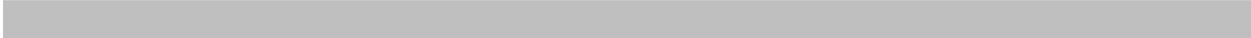
Link: Visit the following website to find out more about the position and apply - <http://www.forgeprogram.org/apply.htm>

Presbyterian Church USA (PCUSA)

About Organization: The Presbyterian Church (USA) has approximately 2.4 million members in the U.S. and 11,000 congregations. It is part of a larger church family of more than 75 million members of the Reformed Church family.

Opportunities: A variety of full- and part-time staff positions are available in departments such as the Social Justice/Advocacy department or the Relief/Refugee ministry. Also, year-long volunteer opportunities are available.

Link: To search the database of job opportunities and post a personal profile, visit - [http://onedoor.pcusa.org/\(113xhe2ogo1bp355ruhqp3aq\)/user/pages/index.aspx](http://onedoor.pcusa.org/(113xhe2ogo1bp355ruhqp3aq)/user/pages/index.aspx)



Advocacy Project

About Organization: The Advocacy Project, a nonprofit organization, was formed in 1998 to serve the needs of civil society – particularly community based advocates for peace and human rights. The organization’s mission is to promote social justice and empower disempowered people and communities. They do this by strengthening the advocacy of groups that emerge from these communities. They give special attention to helping advocates become self sufficient in the use of information and communication technology.

Opportunities: International and domestic internships and jobs are available.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Link: For a listing of internship and job opportunities - <http://www.advocacynet.org/JobOpportunities.html>

American Friends Service Committee

About Organization: The American Friends Service Committee is a Quaker organization which includes people of various faiths who are committed to social justice, peace, and humanitarian service. Its work is based on the Quaker belief in the worth of every person, and faith in the power of love to overcome violence and injustice.

Opportunities: Internship, staff, and fellowship opportunities available.

Internships at AFSC allow high school and college students to learn about the peace and justice issues at the core of the Service Committee's work. Fellowships pay graduate students—or recent college graduates—for advanced study in specific areas related to Service Committee programs.

Eligibility: (one need not be a Quaker to apply)

Link: For more information - <http://us.oneworld.net/external/?url=http://www.afsc.org>

Amnesty International

About Organization: AI is the largest human rights organization in the world. AI’s mission is to undertake research and action focused on preventing and ending grave abuses of the rights to physical and mental integrity, freedom of conscience and expression, and freedom from discrimination, within the context of its work to promote all human rights.

Opportunities: Internships, volunteer positions, and jobs are available.

Location: London, Geneva, or New York.

Expectations: Interns carry out administrative and project related work.

Timing & Duration: interns are recruited for 6 month periods.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: To check for job or internship vacancies, - <https://www.amnesty.org/en/careers/>

Amnesty International USA

Opportunities: There are internship, employment, and volunteer positions available with AIUSA. The website lists a number of different type of internship opportunities.

Location: Internships are available in the D.C. office or in one of the regional offices.

Timing & Duration: Applicants may apply for Spring, Summer, or Fall internships

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: For a listing of the various internship opportunities – <http://www.amnestyusa.org/activism/internships.do> to view job listings - <http://www.amnestyusa.org/about/employment.do>

Chicago Religious Leadership Network on Latin America

About Organization: Responding to the call of Latin America's poor majorities, CRLN is an interfaith information and action network that mobilizes religious leaders and congregations in Illinois to advance peace, justice and human rights in our hemisphere. Through speakers, workshops, monthly membership updates, advocacy action initiatives, visits to Latin America, and meetings with U.S. policy-makers, CRLN engages religious leaders to lift up voices of the hemisphere's poor majorities.

Opportunities: Perhaps only volunteer positions.

Location: Chicago, Illinois

Link: <http://crln.org/volunteer>

Citizens for Global Solutions

About Organization: Citizens for Global Solutions is a grassroots membership organization that envisions a future in which nations work together to abolish war, protect our rights and freedoms, and solve the problems facing humanity that no nation can solve alone.

Location: National Office in Washington, D.C.

Opportunities: Both internship and job opportunities are available. Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates are eligible for the internship program.

Deadline: Summer Deadline: April 1st, Fall Deadline: Aug 15th, Spring Deadline: Dec 20th. Some exceptions may apply.

Expectations: Interns engage in substantive work in the areas of U.S. Global engagement, Peace and Security, International Law and Justice, International Institutions, and Health and the Environment. Interns may also work on specific projects on the International Criminal Court, Peace Operations, UN Reform, and other issues. Interns attend coalition meetings and those on Capitol Hill, write press releases or other material, create advocacy material, and other duties.

Remuneration: Apart from a \$10/day stipend, internships are unpaid.

Link: Link to internship info - <http://globalsolutions.org/about/careers-internships>

Center for Strategic & International Studies

About Organization: The Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) seeks to advance global security and prosperity in an era of economic and political transformation by providing strategic insights and practical policy solutions to decision-makers. CSIS serves as a strategic planning partner for the government by conducting research and analysis and developing policy initiatives that look into the future and anticipate change.

Opportunities: Internships are available for current undergraduates and recent graduates. Job vacancies are also listed on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current college juniors or seniors may apply, as well as recent graduates or advanced students.

Timing & Duration: Applicants may apply for full-time or part-time internships in the fall, spring, and summer. The deadline for the fall semester is July 15, for the spring semester is Nov 15, and for the summer semesters is March 15.

Expectations: Interns gain practical experience in the public policy arena and participate in activities that support the individual programs, including research, writing, and project development.

Link: For further information - http://www.csis.org/about/jobs_interns/

InterAction

About Organization: InterAction is the largest alliance of U.S.-based international development and humanitarian nongovernmental organizations. With more than 160 members operating in every developing country, we work to overcome poverty, exclusion and suffering by advancing social justice and basic dignity for all.

Opportunities: Internships and employment positions are offered.

Location: Washington D.C.

Eligibility: Internship applicants must have at least three years of undergraduate study completed. Graduate students are preferred. Job vacancies and requirements are updated on the organization website (see Link).

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: To browse employment and internship openings, click on the link at the bottom of the following webpage - <http://www.interaction.org/about/internship-program>

International Center for Transitional Justice

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<https://www.ictj.org/careers/application-guidelines-internships>

Institute for Policy Studies

About Organization: For more than four decades, IPS has transformed ideas into action for peace, justice, and the environment. The Institute has strengthened and linked social movements through articulation of root principles and fundamental rights, research and analysis on current events and issues, and connections to policymakers, academics, and activists at all levels. As a multi-issue think tank that has worked with the movements

that shaped the late 20th Century, from Civil Rights onwards, IPS offers a cross-cutting analysis with a historical perspective.

Opportunities: Internships are offered thirteen different areas of the organizations work. View website for further details.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid. However, interns may apply for a stipend program.

Link: <http://www.ips-dc.org/jobs-and-internships/>

International Crisis Group

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<http://www.crisisgroup.org/en/about/employment/internships.aspx>

International Justice Mission (IJM)

About Organization: The International Justice Mission (IJM) is a Christian human rights advocacy organization that works on behalf of the poor and oppressed who are treated unjustly and lack recourse. IJM “stands in the gap for victims when they are left without an advocate. IJM staff members (human rights experts, attorneys and law enforcement professionals) receive case referrals from, and work in conjunction with, other non-governmental organizations and casework alliances abroad.

Eligibility: Applicants must have completed at least their second year of university study and recent college graduates may apply.

Expectations: Interns at the IJM in D.C. office assist in one of the departments to advance the mission of IJM.

Deadlines: There are three sessions. Spring session (Jan 8-April 23) applications are due Oct. 20th, 2007. Summer session (June 4-Aug 24) applications are due Feb. 2, 2007. Check the website for the Fall session (Sept 10-Dec 14) due date. There are some exceptions to these dates.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: For further application information and the application form, visit the following link - <http://www.ijm.org/NETCOMMUNITY/Page.aspx?&pid=221&srcid=184>

Jubilee USA

About Organization: Jubilee USA Network is an alliance of 75 religious, environmental, human rights, and community groups working for the cancellation of unjust debts to fight poverty in Asia, Africa, and Latin America.

Location: Washington D.C.

Opportunities: Vacancies for employment are posted on the website. Internships are available year-round

Eligibility: For qualified applicants interested in working on debt cancellation and other issues of global justice.

Expectations: Work closely with the National Coordinator and the Outreach and Congregations Coordinator and Fellow, and/or the Communications and Advocacy Coordinator and Fellow on education, outreach, research, advocacy and communications

projects, depending on the intern's interests and Jubilee's needs. Interns also provide support in other areas, such as research and writing, and attend Jubilee meetings and conferences.

Timing & Duration: Internships are available every semester (fall, winter/spring, and summer).

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid, though the cost of travel may be covered. For college students, academic credit may also be arranged.

Link: To submit an application, visit -

http://www.jubileeusa.org/jubilee.cgi?path=/join_us&page=internships.html

MADRE

About Organization: MADRE is an international women's human rights organization that works in partnership with community-based women's organizations worldwide to address issues of health and reproductive rights, economic development, education, and other human rights. MADRE provides resources, training, and support to enable our sister organizations to meet concrete needs in their communities while working to shift the balance of power to promote long-term development and social justice.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Location: Internships take place at the MADRE office in Manhattan.

Internship responsibilities may include assistance with:

Remuneration: Internships come with a \$10/day stipend

Timing & Duration: Internships require a minimum time commitment of 15 hours a week for at least 2-3 months.

Expectations: Interns are involved in a number of areas, including outreach for outreach for MADRE's Helping Hands Campaign and Medical Project, research on US foreign policy and women's human rights, organizing speaking engagements and MADRE's, preparation for human rights trainings and international conferences, Spanish and French translation of MADRE materials, media outreach and program development, and others.

Link: <http://www.madre.org/page/jobs--internships-6.html>

Organization for Security & Cooperation in Europe

About Organization: The OSCE is an inter-governmental organization with a large number of participating states. They work on a range of issues related to conflict prevention as well as post-conflict reconstruction and security. These issues include arms control, democratization, human rights, combatting human trafficking, gender equality, military reform, and many others. To see all of the issue areas the OSCE works on, visit their main webpage: <http://www.osce.org>.

Elegibility: graduate/postgraduate students or recent graduates or postgraduates (within one year of graduation)

Location: Locations may vary. The OSCE Secretariat is in Vienna, the office of the Secretary General is in Prague, and there are field offices in a number of countries in Eastern Europe that often accept interns.

Duration: 2 to 6 month internships

Remuneration: Unpaid, but non-residents may receive partial compensation for cost of living.

Link: <http://www.osce.org/node/91>

Polaris Project

About Organization: Polaris Project is a leading international organization combating human trafficking and modern-day slavery. Based in the United States and Japan, Polaris brings together community members, survivors, and professionals to fight trafficking and slavery in the spirit of a modern-day Underground Railroad. Polaris Project uses a comprehensive strategy: empowering individual survivors of trafficking while also creating long-term social change.

Opportunities: Internships are available perhaps through Idealist.org. (Internships are not listed on the official website although they are referenced). Employment opportunities are updated on the website. Students may also apply for the Polaris fellowship program. Visit the link for detailed information

Location: Washington, D.C.

Link: For job openings - <http://www.polarisproject.org/about-us/careers/employment-opportunities>

Project Hope International, Inc.

About Organization: Project HOPE International, Inc. (PHI) works in Southeast Asia and the United States to build bridges between NGO practitioners, donors, professionals, and policy makers to better inform, understand, and meet the needs of trafficked persons and their support networks through education, coordination, and advocacy.

Opportunities: Project Hope accepts ten interns each academic semester and summer

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Applicants can be from various academic disciplines, but they should have a career interest in human rights and public service.

Expectations: Successful completion of the internship program is contingent upon students' participation in proposal writing and budget classes at the Foundation Center, attendance at human trafficking-related hearings on Capitol Hill and conferences in Washington, DC, participation in social activism and leadership classes (SALSA), and research visits to Provisions Library, a resource for social activists in Washington, DC.

Link: To apply online - <http://www.phi-ngo.org/involved/index.cfm>

REDRESS

About Organization: REDRESS is a human rights organization that helps torture survivors obtain justice and reparation. REDRESS works with survivors to help restore their dignity and to make torturers accountable. They seek a variety of remedies, including restitution, compensation, rehabilitation, satisfaction and guarantees of non-repetition. REDRESS' national and international programs are aimed at ensuring that the rights of torture survivors, whoever they are, and wherever they are located, are realized in practice.

Opportunities: Internships are available.

Location: London

Expectations: The Intern Program at REDRESS aims to create a corps of COMMITTED individuals who are committed to human rights who wish to provide general administrative support for the organization's London office.

Timing & Duration: Internships last about 2-3 months.

Link: For internship vacancies - <http://www.redress.org/internships.html>. For job vacancies - http://www.redress.org/job_opportunities.html

UNA - USA

About Organization: UNA-USA is the nation's largest grassroots foreign policy organization and the leading center of UN policy research. UNA-USA offers Americans the chance to connect with key issues like human rights, global health, development and international justice.

Opportunities: Internship positions are available. Job vacancies are listed on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduate and graduate students may apply.

Expectations: Both full- and part-time internships are available. Interns may select three departments on their application for which they are interested in interning.

Remuneration: None. However, it is possible for academic credit to be arranged.

Deadlines: Spring and Fall applications are received on a rolling basis. Summer applications must be received by March 15th. No winter internships are available.

Link: To access an application, visit - <http://www.unausa.org/about-us/internships>

UN International Labor Organization

About Organization: The International Labor Organization is the UN specialized agency which seeks the promotion of social justice and internationally recognized human and labor rights. The ILO formulates international labor standards in the form of Conventions and Recommendations setting minimum standards of basic labor rights: freedom of association, the right to organize, collective bargaining, abolition of forced labor, equality of opportunity and treatment, and other standards regulating conditions across the entire spectrum of work related issues.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: Applicants must be in their final year of undergraduate study or be a post-graduate, and graduate students are eligible who are pursuing a course of study or work related to ILO activities and mandate. Applicants should hold degrees in disciplines considered relevant to the ILO's work, e.g. international law, economics, industrial relations, political science, and the social sciences.

Expectations: The internship program will increase an interns understanding of relevant issues at the international level by involving them directly in the work of the Office and the application of ILO principles, programs, and strategies; gain practical work experience related to their academic background or future work in the field related to ILO's mission. Interns work in an office appropriate to their background.

Location: In Geneva or at ILO field locations

Remuneration: If intern is not supported by an institution, a small stipend is paid to cover basic costs.

Link: <http://www.ilo.org/public/english/bureau/pers/vacancy/intern.htm>

UN International Labor Organization Training Center

About Organization: The Centre is the training arm of the International Labor Organization (ILO), a United Nations agency entrusted with promoting social justice, including internationally recognized human rights and labor standards.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: Applicant must be a student enrolled in an undergraduate, graduate, or post-graduate program, preferably approaching the end of that program.

Timing & Duration: Application must be received at least three months before proposed start of internship. Internships will last between a minimum of six months and not more than nine months.

Remuneration: none, travel and accommodation costs must also be born by the intern.

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United States Agency for International Development

[ENTER INFO, various opportunities in Agriculture & Food Security, Economic Growth & Trade, Water & Sanitation, Crisis & Conflict, Education, Environment & Global Climate Change, Ending Extreme Poverty, Gender Equality etc.]

US Department of State

About: As the foreign policy branch of the U.S. government, the State Department has a number of bureaus and offices in charge of monitoring different issue areas or country relationships. To get more familiar with the activities and policy areas, visit <http://www.state.gov>.

Expectations: The expectations for any one internship will vary depending on the office you are assigned to. You may be writing policy briefs, formulation communications for embassy offices, writing speeches, attending various meetings, engaging with visiting foreign dignitaries etc.

Location: You can apply for D.C. State Department Bureaus/Offices, or you may apply for Embassy internships. Embassy internships may be harder to obtain unless you have a strong application for a particular country embassy; if possible, a D.C.-based internship may provide a foot in the door for a subsequent embassy internship. See the link to the brochure below for more information.

Timing & Duration: The internships are generally for the summer, spring, and fall periods, approximately 3 months.

Remuneration: there are both paid (Pathways Program) and unpaid internships. Look at this webpage <http://careers.state.gov/intern> to see what you are eligible to apply for.

Deadlines: The deadlines for internships are early, and much time should be allocated in advance to work on elements of the application, particularly the statement of interest.

Link: In addition to the links above, this is the link for the full application guidelines that you should look through carefully to know how to :

http://careerbrochures.state.gov/studentinternshipbrochure/dos_internships#pg1

Action for Children in Conflict

About Organization: Action for Children in Conflict (AfCiC) works to break cycles of violence, hatred and despair by providing psychological, emotional and educational support to the survivors of conflict. AfCiC focuses its activities on children and young people, who have the greatest capacity to transcend the conflicts of their communities and to bring about change in the future. AfCiC works to create places of safety where trained workers can provide a climate of support and befriending tailored to the needs of young people and their communities.

Opportunities: Volunteer positions are available

Location: UK or Africa volunteer work

Link: For more information - <http://actionchildren.or.ke/get-involved/volunteer-with-us/>

Children with Hope

About Organization: Children With Hope Inc. (CWH) is an innovative not for profit organisation, bringing hope and love to children at risk world wide. Based in Melbourne, Australia, it works with partnering individuals and organisations in France, Hong Kong, Bolivia, USA, Singapore, Thailand, Macau, South Africa, Uganda and several states of Australia. CWH provides training to work with children at risk: the orphan, child soldier, child prostitute, child in an orphanage, child with HIV/AIDS or with disabilities, child of abuse.

Opportunities: CWH conducts training courses and conferences in Australia and overseas in the area of children at risk, and has trained people from 21 countries. They are run in partnership with a local agency, and reflect the needs of that particular group. They are conducted to equip people to work more effectively with children living in especially difficult circumstances of loss, trauma and abuse.

Location: Conferences and training courses have been held in Macau, Hong Kong, Thailand and Australia.

Eligibility: Participants come from a wide diversity of cultures, ages and backgrounds, with varying expertise and experience in the field of children at risk. This can range from those who have had many years working in managerial roles and/or working directly with children, to those with little or no experience and who want to be introduced to what this field entails.

Link: To learn more about the organization and training opportunities -

<http://childrenwithhope.com/index.php/opportunities>

CRISPAZ

About Organization: CRISPAZ works for Christians for Peace in El Salvador and was founded in 1984. It is a faith-based organization dedicated to the mutual accompaniment with the church of the poor and marginalized communities in El Salvador. In building

bridges of solidarity between communities in El Salvador and those in our home countries, CRISPAZ strives together for peace, justice, and human liberation. As an organization, it is politically non-partisan and committed to nonviolence.

Opportunities: CRISPAZ offers two seeks individuals interested in two types of volunteer opportunities: long-term volunteers or Summer Immersion Program (SIP) volunteers.

Long-term volunteers work in the area of rural accompaniment, high-risk youth, or north-south solidarity. The SIP program is an intensive learning and service experience in a poor community in El Salvador. Interns live with Salvadorans and accompany them in their daily life and work. Each intern has the opportunity to contribute her/his skills to the community. CRISPAZ provides interns with orientation and project placement.

Timing & Duration: Long-term volunteers commit 18 months to the program. The SIP program is a 10 week immersion program during the summer months.

Remuneration: Volunteers must raise their own funding.

Link: for more information about the volunteer programs,

http://www.crispaz.org/vol/vol_home.htm

Heartland Alliance

About Organization: Heartland Alliance's mission is to advance the human rights and respond to the human needs of endangered populations through the provision of comprehensive and respectful services and the promotion of permanent solutions leading to a more just global society.

Location: Illinois

Opportunities: Only volunteer and employment opportunities are available. To search the database of available jobs, visit the website.

Link: To search the job database, visit -

<http://www.heartlandalliance.org/aboutus/careers.html>

Lutheran Volunteer Corps

About Organization: In response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Lutheran Volunteer Corps exists to preserve, nurture, and sustain life. LVC believes that caring for the earth and working for freedom and justice with those who are oppressed answers God's call to Shalom ("Peace with Justice") in today's world. LVC seeks Shalom for all people by serving congregations and organizations which share this call.

Opportunities: Volunteer work

Eligibility: Must be 21 years or older with college degree or other relevant work experience.

Deadlines: February 1st, March 15th, and May 1st

Duration: one year commitment

Remuneration: stipend

Expectation: Volunteers are placed with participating organization in certain U.S. cities that work in the areas of education, public safety, human needs, and the environment. (See website for an extensive list of the participating organizations.) Volunteers live in intentional community. LVC believes that integrating faith and action is essential to wholeness. A vital part of this integration is exploring a simpler lifestyle and commitment

to the global community. Volunteers pledge to help each other grow spiritually, live simply, and do justice.”

Link: <http://www.lutheranvolunteercorps.org>

Mennonite Central Committee

About Organization: Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) is a relief, service, and peace agency of North American Mennonite and Brethren in Christ churches. MCC seeks to demonstrate God's love by working among people suffering from poverty, conflict, oppression and natural disaster.

Opportunities: Volunteer work.

Location: Location depends upon the assignment for which the applicant applies.

Eligibility: MCC has a number of opportunities for Christians committed to working for peace. To find an opportunity suited to your skills and background, search the database on the website. Assignments include those in Peace and Reconciliation, Management and Office Support, Health, Education, Community & Economic Development, and Agriculture.

Remuneration: Living support and a stipend are provided to assignees. Travel expenses are also covered. Workers at offices in the U.S. and Canada are salaried employees. Student loan assistance may also be provided.

Duration: The duration of the position depends upon the type of assignment.

Deadline: Applicants should apply 6-9 months before intended start date.

Link: To view requirements and application procedures, visit - <http://www.mcc.org/serve/>

Presbyterian Church USA (PCUSA)

About Organization: The Presbyterian Church (USA) has approximately 2.4 million members in the U.S. and 11,000 congregations. It is part of a larger church family of more than 75 million members of the Reformed Church family.

Opportunities: A variety of full- and part-time staff positions are available in departments such as the Social Justice/Advocacy department or the Relief/Refugee ministry. Also, year-long volunteer opportunities are available.

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African Center for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD)

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<http://www.accord.org.za/us/internships>

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Opportunities: Internship, staff, and fellowship opportunities available.

Internships at AFSC allow high school and college students to learn about the peace and justice issues at the core of the Service Committee's work. Fellowships pay graduate students—or recent college graduates—for advanced study in specific areas related to Service Committee programs.

Eligibility: (one need not be a Quaker to apply)

Link: For more information - <http://us.oneworld.net/external/?url=http://www.afsc.org>

Chicago Religious Leadership Network on Latin America

About Organization: Responding to the call of Latin America's poor majorities, CRLN is an interfaith information and action network that mobilizes religious leaders and congregations in Illinois to advance peace, justice and human rights in our hemisphere. Through speakers, workshops, monthly membership updates, advocacy action initiatives, visits to Latin America, and meetings with U.S. policy-makers, CRLN engages religious leaders to lift up voices of the hemisphere's poor majorities.

Opportunities: Perhaps only volunteer positions.

Location: Chicago, Illinois

Link: <http://crln.org/volunteer>

Institute for Policy Studies

About Organization: For more than four decades, IPS has transformed ideas into action for peace, justice, and the environment. The Institute has strengthened and linked social movements through articulation of root principles and fundamental rights, research and analysis on current events and issues, and connections to policymakers, academics, and activists at all levels. As a multi-issue think tank that has worked with the movements that shaped the late 20th Century, from Civil Rights onwards, IPS offers a cross-cutting analysis with a historical perspective.

Opportunities: Internships are offered thirteen different areas of the organizations work. View website for further details.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid. However, interns may apply for a stipend program.

Link: <http://www.ips-dc.org/jobs-and-internships/>

International Center for Transitional Justice

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<https://www.ictj.org/careers/application-guidelines-internships>

International Crisis Group

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<http://www.crisisgroup.org/en/about/employment/internships.aspx>

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Timing & Duration: Applications are accepted on a rolling basis, although there are deadlines for Spring (by Nov 15) and Summer (by April 30) internships.

Remuneration: IPOA offers a stipend of \$500 per month (based on a full work week, pro rated for part-time interns).

Link: <http://www.stability-operations.org/?page=Internships>

Mercy Corps

About Organization: Mercy Corps is a not-for-profit organization that exists to alleviate suffering, poverty, and oppression by helping people build secure, productive, and just communities.

Opportunities: Internship and employment opportunities are available.

Eligibility: Internships are available for undergraduate and graduate-level students.

Location: Interns and employees work at the Headquarters in Portland, Oregon or at the agency's offices in Washington, D.C. and Cambridge, Massachusetts.

Expectations: Interns fill various program positions, such as Peace & Conflict and Policy & Advocacy positions. Interns gain understanding of Mercy Corps' work and exposure to international relief and development work and non-profit management issues.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid, though there may be a small stipend.

Timing & Duration: Internship placements are made on a rolling basis throughout the year. Interns must work a minimum of 15 hours/week over a three month period or the equivalent in a shorter time period.

Link:

https://mercy Corps.silkroad.com/epostings/index.cfm?version=3&company_id=15927

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Location: Locations may vary. The OSCE Secretariat is in Vienna, the office of the Secretary General is in Prague, and there are field offices in a number of countries in Eastern Europe that often accept interns.

Duration: 2 to 6 month internships

Remuneration: Unpaid, but non-residents may receive partial compensation for cost of living.

Link: <http://www.osce.org/node/91>

PROCMURA – Programme for Christian-Muslim Relations in Africa

About Organization: “PROCMURA is a Pan African Christian organisation dedicated to Christian constructive engagement with Muslims in witness, mutual tolerance and collaboration towards peace and peaceful co-existence for the holistic development of the human family. Founded in 1959, PROCMURA is the oldest and sole programme of the Churches in Africa that stretches a hand of friendship to the Muslim community with a vision of a continent where religious communities can live with their differences in peace. Well established in 20 African countries, and visible in 10 more others, PROCMURA have well trained grassroots workers (men and women) on the complexity of Christian-Muslim relations.”

Opportunities: internship (inquiring about procedures)

Location: African countries

Eligibility: Should ascribe to the Christian faith.

Link: <http://procmura-prica.org/en/>

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United States Institute for Peace

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<http://www.usip.org/jobs>

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Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current, recent, or returning college students, as well as some graduate student internship opportunities.

Remuneration: Unpaid.

Link: <https://www.wilsoncenter.org/internships>

Action for Children in Conflict

About Organization: Action for Children in Conflict (AfCiC) works to break cycles of violence, hatred and despair by providing psychological, emotional and educational support to the survivors of conflict. AfCiC focuses its activities on children and young people, who have the greatest capacity to transcend the conflicts of their communities and to bring about change in the future. AfCiC works to create places of safety where trained workers can provide a climate of support and befriending tailored to the needs of young people and their communities.

Opportunities: Volunteer positions are available

Location: UK or Africa volunteer work

Link: For more information - <http://actionchildren.or.ke/get-involved/volunteer-with-us/>

United Planet (Volunteer Abroad Program)

About Organization: United Planet (UP) is a leading international, educational, humanitarian, and peace-building, non-profit organization based in Boston, USA. United Planet is a highly innovative and entrepreneurial non-profit organization devoted to fostering cross-cultural understanding and friendship and supporting communities in need worldwide.

Opportunities: United Planet's unique Volunteer Abroad Quest program combines volunteering abroad, language learning, cultural activities, learning excursions, and special Cultural Awareness Projects to provide an incredibly fulfilling experience for volunteers and valuable support for communities in need.

Location: Volunteer opportunities are available in 50 countries worldwide.

Eligibility: Both skilled and unskilled volunteers of all ages and nationalities may apply.

Expectations: United Planet volunteers provide vital support to communities in need, immerse and learn about diverse cultures, and explore fascinating areas of the country. By working closely with the local people, volunteers make a positive difference in a

range of areas, such as orphan care, education, healthcare, environmental conservation, housing for the poor, and so much more. United Planet supports volunteers every step of the way and encourage them to exchange and share their experiences both during the Quest and upon return.

Duration: From 1-52 weeks.

Link: To learn more about the program, visit - <http://www.unitedplanet.org/quest.html>

CARE

About Organization: CARE fights root causes of poverty in the world's poorest communities. They place special focus on working alongside poor women because, equipped with the proper resources, women have the power to help whole families and entire communities escape poverty.

Opportunities: Employment and internship positions are available.

Eligibility: Internship opportunities are offered to undergraduate or graduate students

Link: For job opportunities see: <http://www.care.org/careers/index.asp>. For internships see: <http://www.care.org/careers/internships.asp>

Center for Development and Population Activities

About Organization: Founded in 1975, the Centre for Development and Population Activities (CEDPA) is an internationally recognized non-profit organization that improves the lives of women and girls in developing countries. The Center works hand-in-hand with women leaders, local partners, and national and international organizations to give women the tools they need to improve their lives, families and communities.

Opportunities: Internship and employment positions are available.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Link: Visit - <http://www.cedpa.org/section/aboutus/employment/internships>

Global Goods Partners

About Organization: Global Goods Partners is dedicated to alleviating poverty and promoting social justice by strengthening women-led development initiatives for marginalized communities in Asia, Africa, and the Americas. A nonprofit endeavor, Global Goods pursues this mission by partnering with organizations, associations, and cooperatives worldwide that integrate their commitment to community development - specifically, improvements in education, health, women's rights, and employment opportunities - with socially responsible income-generating enterprises. Global Goods provides its partners with direct access to new markets in the United States, increasing both their revenue and global awareness of their work. Global Goods uses proceeds from product sales to provide technical assistance and grant support to its partners, assisting them in building stronger, more effective programs.

Opportunities: Internship and volunteer opportunities are available.

Location: New York

Link: Click on "About Us" to see available job or internship openings
<http://globalgoodspartners.org>

Global Fund for Children

About Organization: The Global Fund for Children's mission is to advance the dignity of children and youth around the world. GFC pursues its mission by making small grants to

innovative community-based organizations working with some of the world's most vulnerable children and youth, complemented by a dynamic media program that, through books, documentary photography, and film, highlights the issues affecting children and celebrates the global society in which we all live.

Opportunities: Jobs and internship openings are listed on the website.

Link: <http://www.globalfundforchildren.org/get-involved/jobs/>

Global Ministries

About: The organization works on many projects worldwide, including women's empowerment, education, water, HIV/AIDS, children (various), medical, rural development and micro-credit, and theological. As a Christian faith-based organization and arm of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ, they work with 270 church partners in 70 different countries. The Global Mission Intern program is designed "specifically for young adults who are interested in missionary service and have completed their basic college education, but are without professional experience. The Global Mission Intern program provides opportunities for young adult members of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ to participate in mission with partner churches around the world. Global mission interns are involved with ecumenical partners in ministry among the poor or with minority churches, or Christian action groups dealing with human rights, reconciliation and development projects. Support is at subsistence or appropriate support level recommended by the host church or organization. Assignments are developed on an individual basis. This program allows us the flexibility to design an assignment around the strengths and skills of the applicant, as well as the specific needs of the church partner."

Opportunities: Short-term and long-term internship and/or volunteer opportunities.

Location: U.S. and international

Eligibility: young adult. Open to members of the Christian Church and United Church of Christ *as well as* "other Christian churches." Generally, you should have a compatible with Global Ministries mission and values.

Remuneration: generally expected to fund yourself, but may be some possibility for assistance depending on position and location.

Deadline: April 1st

Link: Internship opportunity: <http://globalministries.org/get-involved/mission-opportunities/global-mission-intern.html> and Volunteer opportunities: <http://globalministries.org/get-involved/mission-opportunities/volunteer-opportunities.html>

Legal Momentum

About Organization: Legal Momentum advances the rights of women and girls by using the power of the law and creating innovative public policy.

Opportunities: Job opportunities are updated on the website. Paid internships or internships for school credit are available. There are both non-legal or legal internship opportunities.

Eligibility: A non-legal intern should be a recent graduate, graduate student, or undergraduate student with a strong interest in women's legal rights. A legal intern applicant should be a law student or attorney and should have a strong interest in gender equality, women's legal rights, and/or immigrant rights. A love of feminist issues, politics, and hard work is useful, as well as a working knowledge of the American political process.

Location: Washington D.C. Public Policy office or New York office. The DC office of Legal Momentum serves as the advocacy and policy arm of the organization, whose national office is located in New York City.

Timing & Duration: Internships are available in the fall, spring, and summer academic semesters. Interns work 15-35 hours/week for 10-12 weeks.

Expectation: Interns not only have the chance to witness first-hand the exciting and complex legislative process, but they are also given enough responsibility to make their participation meaningful and rewarding. Issues covered include poverty and welfare reform, immigrant women (including immigration law reform, cultural diversity issues), violence against women, and childcare.

Link: <http://www.legalmomentum.org/internships-and-fellowships>

MADRE

About Organization: MADRE is an international women's human rights organization that works in partnership with community-based women's organizations worldwide to address issues of health and reproductive rights, economic development, education, and other human rights. MADRE provides resources, training, and support to enable our sister organizations to meet concrete needs in their communities while working to shift the balance of power to promote long-term development and social justice.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Location: Internships take place at the MADRE office in Manhattan.

Internship responsibilities may include assistance with:

Remuneration: Internships come with a \$10/day stipend

Timing & Duration: Internships require a minimum time commitment of 15 hours a week for at least 2-3 months.

Expectations: Interns are involved in a number of areas, including outreach for outreach for MADRE's Helping Hands Campaign and Medical Project, research on US foreign policy and women's human rights, organizing speaking engagements and MADRE's, preparation for human rights trainings and international conferences, Spanish and French translation of MADRE materials, media outreach and program development, and others.

Link: <http://www.madre.org/page/jobs--internships-6.html>

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Duration: 2 to 6 month internships

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Women's Edge Coalition

About Organization: WEC is a coalition of individuals and organizations working to increase the United States' support for the world's poorest women. It also works to ensure that complex international trade agreements do not harm people living in developing countries. Women's Edge Coalition challenges the deep poverty that cripples the lives of millions of women and girls around the world and seeks ways to end poverty through smart targeting of U.S. international assistance and trade policy, focused on women.

Opportunities: Internships and jobs are updated on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Link: Click on the internships, jobs, and volunteers link -

http://www.womensedge.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=26&Itemid=5

Women's Refugee Commission

About Organization: "The Women's Refugee Commission improves the lives and protects the rights of women, children and youth displaced by conflict and crisis. We research their needs, identify solutions and advocate for programs and policies to strengthen their resilience and drive change in humanitarian practice. Since our founding in 1989, we have been a leading expert on the needs of refugee women and children, and the policies that can protect and empower them."

Opportunities: Various internship opportunities with their different programs, such as the Program on Gender-Based Violence in Urban Areas along with the Sexual and Reproductive Health Program.

Eligibility: BA required, MA or MPH student preferred.

Location: New York

Timing & Duration: Check information for specific positions

Link: <https://womensrefugeecommission.org/about/internships>

FORGE

About Organization: FORGE brings teams of students to Africa to partner with refugees. By implementing and sustaining projects like HIV/AIDS education, women's empowerment programs, computer centers, and libraries, we create the beginnings of responsible social action by refugees.

Opportunities: Volunteer work as Project Facilitators.

Expectations: Project Facilitators undergo approximately 7 months of training prior to their 9 weeks in the camp in Zambia, Africa. Selections are based on FORGE's mission to "harness the potential of youth as catalysts of social change in order to educate, empower, and enrich the lives of refugees living in African refugee camps"

Remuneration: The position requires fundraising. Such efforts will be supported by FORGE.

Timing & Duration: The time commitment is such that "[w]hile Project Facilitators only spend 9 weeks in Africa, the time commitment to FORGE is significantly larger. The minimum time commitment for FORGE Project Facilitators is nine months – the time between when the Project Facilitator is selected in December until the time that the Project Facilitator returns from Africa in the late summer of the following year. The time commitment is divided into two primary stages: the training stage and the implementation stage." Training begins in December.

Link: Visit the following website to find out more about the position and apply - <http://www.forgeprogram.org/apply.htm>

ActionAid International

About Organization: ActionAid is an international development agency committed to fighting poverty world-wide. They work together with poor people, local partners and organizations in combating poverty and focus on fighting against the causes of poverty, not just the results. They have prioritized five areas of work: education, hiv/aids, food, emergencies, women and girls.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are listed on the website

Location: London

Link: To find out more about ActionAid activities and vacancies - <http://www.actionaid.org/347/jobs.html>

International Women's Health Coalition

About Organization: The International Women's Health Coalition (IWHC) works to secure every woman's right to sexual and reproductive health and autonomy, free from discrimination, coercion, disease, and violence, in three ways. First, IWHC supports diverse local organizations and networks working to improve the health and status of women and young people in selected countries of Africa, Asia, Latin America, and Central and Eastern Europe. Second, IWHC work with governments, the United Nations, and other international agencies to ensure that global health policies and funding recognize and prioritize women's and young people's health needs and human rights. And

third, IWHC inform public debate on issues related to reproductive health, sexuality, women and HIV/AIDS, and human rights, in the U.S. and abroad through our media outreach, publications, website, and events.

Opportunities: Employment positions are updated on the website.

Location: New York

Link: Visit - <http://www.iwhc.org/jobs.cfm>

Center for Arms Control & Non-Proliferation

About Organization: Founded in 1980, the Center was established to educate policy makers, the media, and the public about weapons of mass destruction, conventional arms sales, military spending and arms control alternatives. The Center supports projects researching various aspects of U.S. national security, including: military spending, missile defense, non-proliferation, and chemical and biological weapons control.

Opportunities: The Center offers full-time internship opportunities for students of political science, international relations, peace studies, or related fields.

Location: Washington, D.C. (Capitol Hill)

Eligibility: Applicants should be college juniors or seniors, recent graduates, and graduate students, who share an interest in the Center's goals and objectives. Strong academic background, good writing and research skills, and computer and internet familiarity are a must.

Expectations: The Center staff seeks to assign interns projects to suit their interests. The internships are a mixture of substantive responsibilities and light administrative tasks and may include activities such as: Attending Congressional hearings; Attending meetings with members of the arms control community; Analyzing pending legislation or timely international issues; Assisting with administrative tasks.

Timing & Duration: Full or part time, 3-4 months in duration. In general, the Fall Internship is September-December, the Spring Internship is January-May, and the Summer Internship is June-August.

Remuneration: \$500/month (40 hour work week). Academic credit may also be an option.

Link: To apply, visit - <http://www.armscontrolcenter.org/about/employment.html>

Citizens for Global Solutions

About Organization: Citizens for Global Solutions is a grassroots membership organization that envisions a future in which nations work together to abolish war, protect our rights and freedoms, and solve the problems facing humanity that no nation can solve alone.

Location: National Office in Washington, D.C.

Opportunities: Both internship and job opportunities are available. Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates are eligible for the internship program.

Deadline: Summer Deadline: April 1st, Fall Deadline: Aug 15th, Spring Deadline: Dec 20th. Some exceptions may apply.

Expectations: Interns engage in substantive work in the areas of U.S. Global engagement, Peace and Security, International Law and Justice, International Institutions, and Health and the Environment. Interns may also work on specific projects on the International Criminal Court, Peace Operations, UN Reform, and other issues. Interns attend coalition

meetings and those on Capitol Hill, write press releases or other material, create advocacy material, and other duties.

Remuneration: Apart from a \$10/day stipend, internships are unpaid.

Link: Link to internship info - <http://globalsolutions.org/about/careers-internships>

Center for Strategic & International Studies

About Organization: The Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) seeks to advance global security and prosperity in an era of economic and political transformation by providing strategic insights and practical policy solutions to decision-makers. CSIS serves as a strategic planning partner for the government by conducting research and analysis and developing policy initiatives that look into the future and anticipate change.

Opportunities: Internships are available for current undergraduates and recent graduates. Job vacancies are also listed on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current college juniors or seniors may apply, as well as recent graduates or advanced students.

Timing & Duration: Applicants may apply for full-time or part-time internships in the fall, spring, and summer. The deadline for the fall semester is July 15, for the spring semester is Nov 15, and for the summer semesters is March 15.

Expectations: Interns gain practical experience in the public policy arena and participate in activities that support the individual programs, including research, writing, and project development.

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Link: <http://www.stability-operations.org/?page=Internships>

North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO)

About:

Eligibility: Must be 21 at the time of applying, in the last two years of post-secondary education or a MA student

Link: <http://www.nato.int/cps/en/natolive/71157.htm>

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Timing & Duration: The internships are generally for the summer, spring, and fall periods, approximately 3 months.

Remuneration: there are both paid (Pathways Program) and unpaid internships. Look at this webpage <http://careers.state.gov/intern> to see what you are eligible to apply for.

Deadlines: The deadlines for internships are early, and much time should be allocated in advance to work on elements of the application, particularly the statement of interest.

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http://careerbrochures.state.gov/studentinternshipbrochure/dos_internships#pg1

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ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Ohio Citizen Action-Cleveland

About Organization: Ohio Citizen Action is the state's largest environmental organization, with 100,000 dues-paying members.

Opportunities: Internships and full-time and part-time jobs are available.

Location: Cleveland, Ohio

Remuneration: Paid positions - \$375/week plus benefits.

Link: For application information - <http://www.ohiocitizen.org/about/jobs.htm>

United Nations Foundation

About Organization: Founded by Ted Turner, the United Nations Foundation acts to meet the most pressing health, humanitarian, socioeconomic, and environmental challenges, through advocacy, building innovative public-private partnerships and grant making.

Opportunities: Internship and employment positions are updated on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current undergraduate or recent graduate with demonstrated interest in the UN and development. Besides internships, available job opportunities are listed on the website.

Timing & Duration: Both full- and part-time internships are available for the Fall, Spring, and Summer semesters.

Expectations: Interns participate in various tasks of the organization in their assigned department. A trip to the UN Headquarters in New York City is also organized for interns. Interns work in the areas of Partnership Development, Programs, Public Affairs, and Finance & Grant Administration.

Link: To submit an application, visit the website: <http://www.unfoundation.org/who-we-are/careers/>

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Remuneration: Unpaid.

Link: <https://www.wilsoncenter.org/internships>

World Resources Institute

About Organization: The World Resources Institute is an environmental think tank that goes beyond research to create practical ways to protect the Earth and improve people's lives. Our mission is to move human society to live in ways that protect Earth's environment for current and future generations.

Opportunities: Internships and employment positions are available.

Link: View the website for openings - <http://www.wri.org/joblist/>

Peace Corps

About Organization: The Peace Corps volunteers serve their country in the cause of peace by living and working in developing countries. Volunteers are hosted in countries to work on issues ranging from AIDS education to information technology and environmental preservation. Today's Peace Corps is more vital than ever, working in emerging and essential areas such as information technology and business development, and committing more than 1,000 new Volunteers as a part of the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief. Peace Corps Volunteers continue to help countless individuals who want to build a better life for themselves, their children, and their communities.

Opportunities: Peace Corps Volunteers work in the following areas: education, youth outreach, and community development; business development; agriculture and environment; health and HIV/AIDS; and information technology. Within these areas, the specific duties and responsibilities of each Volunteer can vary widely.

Duration: Volunteers commit two years to the program.

Expectations: It takes determination, flexibility, patience, and a sense of humor. And while applying to the Peace Corps is easier than being a Volunteer, the qualities that make a good Volunteer will also come in handy during the application process. The rewards far outweigh the difficulties.

Remuneration: A living allowance and health benefits are provided. Student loans may also be deferred.

Link: To find out more details - <http://www.peacecorps.gov/index.cfm>

INTERNATIONAL LAW

Citizens for Global Solutions

About Organization: Citizens for Global Solutions is a grassroots membership organization that envisions a future in which nations work together to abolish war, protect our rights and freedoms, and solve the problems facing humanity that no nation can solve alone.

Location: National Office in Washington, D.C.

Opportunities: Both internship and job opportunities are available. Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Eligibility: Undergraduates, graduate students, and recent graduates are eligible for the internship program.

Deadline: Summer Deadline: April 1st, Fall Deadline: Aug 15th, Spring Deadline: Dec 20th. Some exceptions may apply.

Expectations: Interns engage in substantive work in the areas of U.S. Global engagement, Peace and Security, International Law and Justice, International Institutions, and Health and the Environment. Interns may also work on specific projects on the International Criminal Court, Peace Operations, UN Reform, and other issues. Interns attend coalition meetings and those on Capitol Hill, write press releases or other material, create advocacy material, and other duties.

Remuneration: Apart from a \$10/day stipend, internships are unpaid.

Link: Link to internship info - <http://globalsolutions.org/about/careers-internships>

Center for Strategic & International Studies

About Organization: The Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) seeks to advance global security and prosperity in an era of economic and political transformation by providing strategic insights and practical policy solutions to decision-makers. CSIS serves as a strategic planning partner for the government by conducting research and analysis and developing policy initiatives that look into the future and anticipate change.

Opportunities: Internships are available for current undergraduates and recent graduates. Job vacancies are also listed on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current college juniors or seniors may apply, as well as recent graduates or advanced students.

Timing & Duration: Applicants may apply for full-time or part-time internships in the fall, spring, and summer. The deadline for the fall semester is July 15, for the spring semester is Nov 15, and for the summer semesters is March 15.

Expectations: Interns gain practical experience in the public policy arena and participate in activities that support the individual programs, including research, writing, and project development.

Link: For further information - http://www.csis.org/about/jobs_interns/

Brookings Institution

About Organization: The Brookings Institution is a prestigious non-profit public policy think tank in Washington D.C. considered the “most influential.” They have research programs in Foreign Policy, Governance Studies, Global Economy and Development, Economic Studies, Metropolitan Policy Program, as well as various Centers and Projects.

See: <http://www.brookings.edu/about#research-projects/>

Eligibility: Eligibility may vary depending on the internship; See the list of internships available in the link below.

Due Dates: Spring internship applications are usually due in November; Check the website for due dates for summer opportunities.

Remuneration: None, all positions are unpaid.

Link: <http://www.brookings.edu/about/employment#/?tab=1>

International Center for Transitional Justice

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<https://www.ictj.org/careers/application-guidelines-internships>

International Justice Mission (IJM)

About Organization: The International Justice Mission (IJM) is a Christian human rights advocacy organization that works on behalf of the poor and oppressed who are treated unjustly and lack recourse. IJM “stands in the gap for victims when they are left without an advocate. IJM staff members (human rights experts, attorneys and law enforcement professionals) receive case referrals from, and work in conjunction with, other non-governmental organizations and casework alliances abroad.

Eligibility: Applicants must have completed at least their second year of university study and recent college graduates may apply.

Expectations: Interns at the IJM in D.C. office assist in one of the departments to advance the mission of IJM.

Deadlines: There are three sessions. Spring session (Jan 8-April 23) applications are due Oct. 20th, 2007. Summer session (June 4-Aug 24) applications are due Feb. 2, 2007.

Check the website for the Fall session (Sept 10-Dec 14) due date. There are some exceptions to these dates.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Link: For further application information and the application form, visit the following link - <http://www.ijm.org/NETCOMMUNITY/Page.aspx?&pid=221&srcid=184>

International Monetary Fund

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Eligibility: PhD and MA students

<https://www.imf.org/external/np/adm/rec/job/summint.htm>

Legal Momentum

About Organization: Legal Momentum advances the rights of women and girls by using the power of the law and creating innovative public policy.

Opportunities: Job opportunities are updated on the website. Paid internships or internships for school credit are available. There are both non-legal or legal internship opportunities.

Eligibility: A non-legal intern should be a recent graduate, graduate student, or undergraduate student with a strong interest in women's legal rights. A legal intern applicant should be a law student or attorney and should have a strong interest in gender equality, women's legal rights, and/or immigrant rights. A love of feminist issues, politics, and hard work is useful, as well as a working knowledge of the American political process.

Location: Washington D.C. Public Policy office or New York office. The DC office of Legal Momentum serves as the advocacy and policy arm of the organization, whose national office is located in New York City.

Timing & Duration: Internships are available in the fall, spring, and summer academic semesters. Interns work 15-35 hours/week for 10-12 weeks.

Expectation: Interns not only have the chance to witness first-hand the exciting and complex legislative process, but they are also given enough responsibility to make their participation meaningful and rewarding. Issues covered include poverty and welfare reform, immigrant women (including immigration law reform, cultural diversity issues), violence against women, and childcare.

Link: <http://www.legalmomentum.org/internships-and-fellowships>

UN Interregional Crime and Justice Research Institute (UNICRI), Rome

About Organization: As the United Nations entity mandated to assist intergovernmental, governmental and nongovernmental organizations in their efforts to formulate and implement improved policies in the field of crime prevention and justice administration, UNICRI acts with its partners in the international community to: advance understanding of crime-related problems, foster just and efficient criminal justice systems, support the respect of international instruments and other standards, facilitate international law enforcement cooperation and judicial assistance

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Eligibility: Graduate students or holders of a first university degree or equivalent who intend to study further or to work in a field relevant to UNICRI's activities. Applicants' field of study should be in social and political sciences, particularly criminology, international and national law, criminal, public, and comparative law. Applicants must be endorsed by their educational institution.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid.

Duration: Internships last from two to six months

Link: For further application information - <http://www.unicri.it/wwa/job/internships.php>

FAITH-BASED ORGANIZATIONS

American Friends Service Committee

About Organization: The American Friends Service Committee is a Quaker organization which includes people of various faiths who are committed to social justice, peace, and humanitarian service. Its work is based on the Quaker belief in the worth of every person, and faith in the power of love to overcome violence and injustice.

Opportunities: Internship, staff, and fellowship opportunities available.

Internships at AFSC allow high school and college students to learn about the peace and justice issues at the core of the Service Committee's work. Fellowships pay graduate students—or recent college graduates—for advanced study in specific areas related to Service Committee programs.

Eligibility: (one need not be a Quaker to apply)

Link: For more information - <http://us.oneworld.net/external/?url=http://www.afsc.org>

Blood:Water Mission

About: Blood:Water is an equipping agency that partners with African grassroots organizations to address the HIV/AIDS and water crises. We do this by identifying Africa's hidden heroes and coming alongside their vision for change. Through technical, financial and organizational support, we expand the reach and effectiveness of African civil society organizations and the communities they serve. Blood:Water is a Christian faith-based organization sees itself as part of an ecumenical Christian efforts to bring change and hope to the world through its efforts in the area of HIV/AIDS and clean water. (see: <http://www.bloodwater.org/approach>)

Opportunities: Blood:Water accepts interships for the Summer, Fall, and Spring for their Nashville Office. There are opportunities in Engagement, Marketing, and Systems work.

Location: Nashville, Tennessee

Remuneration: Unpaid.

Timing & Duration: Application due dates are as follows: For summer – April 1st. For Fall – August 1st. For Spring – December 10th.

Link: For internship information: <http://www.bloodwater.org/about-us/careers>

Bread for the World Institute

About Organization: For more than 30 years, Bread for the World has been a Christian (interfaith) voice for ending hunger. It is a nonpartisan citizens' movement of 54,000 people of faith, including 2,500 churches.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are updated on the website. Internships are also available for persons from various backgrounds (not students only). Credit can be arranged for students. Positions are open to those who do or do not hold religious beliefs.

Location: Washington D.C.

Timing & Duration: Internship application due dates are as follows. For summer – April 1st. For fall – July 1st. For spring/winter – Nov. 1st. Internships begin one month from those dates and last from 3-months to a year.

Expectations: Interns are matched to a job based on their background, skills, interests etc. and placed in an appropriate department. During the internship, interns learn about the public policy and legislative processes, and enhance their professional and organizational skills.

Remuneration: Interns generally are unpaid, but a limited number of interns do receive a stipend. Interns with a stipend receive an annual salary and medical and life insurance coverage and generally intern from 6-months to year. Interns without a stipend are reimbursed for work related expenses, such as transportation costs in D.C.

Link: For internship information - <http://www.bread.org/about-us/internships/> For employment information - <http://www.bread.org/about-us/jobs/>

Chicago Religious Leadership Network on Latin America

About Organization: Responding to the call of Latin America's poor majorities, CRLN is an interfaith information and action network that mobilizes religious leaders and congregations in Illinois to advance peace, justice and human rights in our hemisphere. Through speakers, workshops, monthly membership updates, advocacy action initiatives, visits to Latin America, and meetings with U.S. policy-makers, CRLN engages religious leaders to lift up voices of the hemisphere's poor majorities.

Opportunities: Perhaps only volunteer positions.

Location: Chicago, Illinois

Link: <http://crln.org/volunteer>

Global Ministries

About: The organization works on many projects worldwide, including women's empowerment, education, water, HIV/AIDS, children (various), medical, rural development and micro-credit, and theological. As a Christian faith-based organization and arm of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ, they work with 270 church partners in 70 different countries. The Global Mission Intern program is designed "specifically for young adults who are interested in missionary service and have completed their basic college education, but are without professional experience. The Global Mission Intern program provides opportunities for young adult members of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the United Church of Christ to participate in mission with partner churches around the world. Global mission interns are involved with ecumenical partners in ministry among the poor or with minority churches, or Christian action groups dealing with human rights, reconciliation and development projects. Support is at subsistence or appropriate support level recommended by the host church or organization. Assignments are developed on an individual basis. This program allows us the flexibility to design an assignment around the strengths and skills of the applicant, as well as the specific needs of the church partner."

Opportunities: Short-term and long-term internship and/or volunteer opportunities.

Location: U.S. and international

Eligibility: young adult. Open to members of the Christian Church and United Church of Christ *as well as* “other Christian churches.” Generally, you should have a compatible with Global Ministries mission and values.

Remuneration: generally expected to fund yourself, but may be some possibility for assistance depending on position and location.

Deadline: April 1st

Link: Internship opportunity: <http://globalministries.org/get-involved/mission-opportunities/global-mission-intern.html> and Volunteer opportunities: <http://globalministries.org/get-involved/mission-opportunities/volunteer-opportunities.html>

Lutheran World Relief

About Organization: LWR is a non-governmental organization founded in 1945 that works with partners worldwide to respond to emergencies, seek lasting solutions to rural poverty, and work for peace and justice for all. LWR works to reduce poverty and injustice by helping communities increase and expand the resources they need to live productive, healthy and empowered lives.

Opportunities: Internships are periodically available in LWR’s Boston office. Job openings are updated on the website.

Location: LWR is headquartered in Baltimore, Maryland,

Remuneration: Internships are generally unpaid.

Link: <http://www.lwr.org/jobs/index.asp>

PROCMURA – Programme for Christian-Muslim Relations in Africa

About Organization: “PROCMURA is a Pan African Christian organisation dedicated to Christian constructive engagement with Muslims in witness, mutual tolerance and collaboration towards peace and peaceful co-existence for the holistic development of the human family. Founded in 1959, PROCMURA is the oldest and sole programme of the Churches in Africa that stretches a hand of friendship to the Muslim community with a vision of a continent where religious communities can live with their differences in peace. Well established in 20 African countries, and visible in 10 more others, PROCMURA have well trained grassroots workers (men and women) on the complexity of Christian-Muslim relations.”

Opportunities: internship (inquiring about procedures)

Location: African countries

Eligibility: Should ascribe to the Christian faith.

Link: <http://procmura-prica.org/en/>

Sojourner’s Internship Program

About Organization: The organization publishes the *Sojourners* magazine and conducts the Call to Renewal campaign, which is also connected to the Campaign to Overcome Poverty. Sojourners is a connecting point for Christians nationally and internationally. Sojourners examine pressing moral, political, social, and economic issues in a spiritual,

theological, and action-oriented context, encouraging people to think about the gospel implications of the issues society faces and, by bringing them to light in the context of faith, to set forth and encourage a vision for the future that is just and sustainable for the earth and its people.

Opportunities: Internships are offered.

Expectations: Interns live in community together in Washington D.C. The program is structured around the goal of providing an internship program of Christian discipleship, with a focus on life and faith, prayer and formation, and work and mission.

Eligibility: Anyone 21 years or older

Remuneration: Costs of room, board, health insurance, city transportation are covered in the internship and a \$100 monthly stipend is provided.

Timing & Duration: Internships are one year commitments from September-August

Application deadline: March 1, 2007

Link: For more details: http://www.sojo.net/index.cfm?action=get_connected.internships

United Methodist Church – General Board of Church & Society

About Organization: The General Board of Church and Society is the public policy and social justice agency of The United Methodist Church. In 2004, the General Conference called for churches in the U S and internationally to work for the achievement of the U N Millennium Development Goals.

Opportunities: Internship positions are available year round. Job vacancies are listed on the website.

Link: <http://www.umc-gbcs.org/site/pp.asp?c=fsJNK0PKJrH&b=845463>

World Hope International

About Organization: World Hope International is a faith based relief and development organization alleviating suffering and injustice through education, enterprise and community health.

Opportunities: Internship openings are updated on the website.

Location: Alexandria, Virginia

Eligibility: No specific eligibility requirements. No internship opportunities are listed. Check back periodically for available job opportunities.

Link: <http://www.worldhope.org/worldhope/employment.htm>

CRISPAZ

About Organization: CRISPAZ works for Christians for Peace in El Salvador and was founded in 1984. It is a faith-based organization dedicated to the mutual accompaniment with the church of the poor and marginalized communities in El Salvador. In building bridges of solidarity between communities in El Salvador and those in our home countries, CRISPAZ strives together for peace, justice, and human liberation. As an organization, it is politically non-partisan and committed to nonviolence.

Opportunities: CRISPAZ offers two seeks individuals interested in two types of volunteer opportunities: long-term volunteers or Summer Immersion Program (SIP) volunteers.

Long-term volunteers work in the area of rural accompaniment, high-risk youth, or north-south solidarity. The SIP program is an intensive learning and service experience in a poor community in El Salvador. Interns live with Salvadorans and accompany them in their daily life and work. Each intern has the opportunity to contribute her/his skills to the community. CRISPAZ provides interns with orientation and project placement.

Timing & Duration: Long-term volunteers commit 18 months to the program. The SIP program is a 10 week immersion program during the summer months.

Remuneration: Volunteers must raise their own funding.

Link: for more information about the volunteer programs,
http://www.crispaz.org/vol/vol_home.htm

Habitat for Humanity (Headquarters Volunteer)

About Organization: Habitat for Humanity International is a nonprofit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry. HFHI seeks to eliminate poverty housing and homelessness from the world, and to make decent shelter a matter of conscience and action. Habitat invites people of all backgrounds, races and religions to build houses together in partnership with families in need.

Eligibility: Must be 18 years or older.

Duration: short-term volunteer positions

Expectations: Volunteers assist with and are an integral part of projects at the headquarters in Americus, Georgia.

Remuneration: Volunteers who do not reside locally may qualify for shared accommodation provided near the headquarters and for a small stipend for meals.

Link: To volunteer at the headquarters: http://www.habitat.org/hr/hfhi_volunteer.aspx

Lee Abbey Community, London

About Organization: The Lee Abbey Movement is a nationwide organization whose mission and calling from God is to share Christ through relationships, through practicing community living, reaching out to others, and developing our own relationship with our loving Father. The community at Lee Abbey in London is a Church of England (Anglican) based community made up of Christians from around the world who volunteer for a year at a time. There are about 40 people on the community from a wide range of backgrounds and cultures. Together they provide a welcome to the many international students and other guests (Christian or not) who come to Lee Abbey. Volunteers go out of their way to befriend the students and try to do everything – whether it is cleaning toilets or leading worship – as though it is Christ they are serving. The community lifestyle involves living, working and worshipping together.

Opportunities: Volunteer

Eligibility: Applicants must be 18 years or older and Christians, having accepted Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. One need not be Anglican. Volunteers must be willing to live in community, pray and worship together regularly, and, by their work and witness, seek to give the students a first hand experience of life in a Christian environment.

Remuneration: Volunteers are paid 44 euros a week. Meals are covered.

Link: For more information - http://www.leeabbeylondon.com/community_index.html

Lutheran Volunteer Corps

About Organization: In response to the Gospel of Jesus Christ, the Lutheran Volunteer Corps exists to preserve, nurture, and sustain life. LVC believes that caring for the earth and working for freedom and justice with those who are oppressed answers God's call to Shalom ("Peace with Justice") in today's world. LVC seeks Shalom for all people by serving congregations and organizations which share this call.

Opportunities: Volunteer work

Eligibility: Must be 21 years or older with college degree or other relevant work experience.

Deadlines: February 1st, March 15th, and May 1st

Duration: one year commitment

Remuneration: stipend

Expectation: Volunteers are placed with participating organization in certain U.S. cities that work in the areas of education, public safety, human needs, and the environment. (See website for an extensive list of the participating organizations.) Volunteers live in intentional community. LVC believes that integrating faith and action is essential to wholeness. A vital part of this integration is exploring a simpler lifestyle and commitment to the global community. Volunteers pledge to help each other grow spiritually, live simply, and do justice.”

Link: <http://www.lutheranvolunteercorps.org>

Mennonite Central Committee

About Organization: Mennonite Central Committee (MCC) is a relief, service, and peace agency of North American Mennonite and Brethren in Christ churches. MCC seeks to demonstrate God's love by working among people suffering from poverty, conflict, oppression and natural disaster.

Opportunities: Volunteer work.

Location: Location depends upon the assignment for which the applicant applies.

Eligibility: MCC has a number of opportunities for Christians committed to working for peace. To find an opportunity suited to your skills and background, search the database on the website. Assignments include those in Peace and Reconciliation, Management and Office Support, Health, Education, Community & Economic Development, and Agriculture.

Remuneration: Living support and a stipend are provided to assignees. Travel expenses are also covered. Workers at offices in the U.S. and Canada are salaried employees. Student loan assistance may also be provided.

Duration: The duration of the position depends upon the type of assignment.

Deadline: Applicants should apply 6-9 months before intended start date.

Link: To view requirements and application procedures, visit - <http://www.mcc.org/serve/>

Presbyterian Church USA (PCUSA)

About Organization: The Presbyterian Church (USA) has approximately 2.4 million

members in the U.S. and 11,000 congregations. It is part of a larger church family of more than 75 million members of the Reformed Church family.

Opportunities: A variety of full- and part-time staff positions are available in departments such as the Social Justice/Advocacy department or the Relief/Refugee ministry. Also, year-long volunteer opportunities are available.

Link: To search the database of job opportunities and post a personal profile, visit - [http://onedoor.pcusa.org/\(113xhe2ogo1bp355ruhqp3aq\)/user/pages/index.aspx](http://onedoor.pcusa.org/(113xhe2ogo1bp355ruhqp3aq)/user/pages/index.aspx)

Saint Gabriel's

About Organization: Saint Gabriel's Spiritual Center for Youth serves today's youth regardless of their socio-economic background or religious affiliation. Our retreats offer teens a chance to explore their relationships with God, their families and peers, as well as themselves, in a secure and faith-filled environment. The young people who come might be lost in the desert of struggles with relationships, substance abuse, low self-esteem, or deep anger and pain from dysfunctional family life. The teenagers we serve often simply need a place to "get away from all the stuff of everyday life."

Opportunities: Volunteer positions for post-graduates.

Location: Long Island, New York

Eligibility: Volunteers are recent college graduates who are 21 years or older and are willing to commit to one year of service as youth ministers on the retreat team.

Volunteers need not have degrees in theology or experience in youth ministry but must be active and practicing Roman Catholics with a desire to walk with teens on their faith journeys.

Expectations: As a team, volunteers lead the retreat experience through their inspirational talks, small group discussions, and by participating in community and private prayer, mass, group activities, and recreation during each retreat. The presentations focus on building self-worth, developing supportive relationships, and strengthening their bond with Christ. By establishing an environment of acceptance and solidarity, the team empowers teens to be Christ for one another.

Remuneration: Volunteers arrive in August and are provided with housing, full health benefits, dental benefits, meals during retreats, and a stipend of \$350/month.

Link: For more information -

<http://www.saintgabes.org/Post%20Graduate%20Volunteer%20Program.html>

World Relief

About Organization: The Mission of World Relief, as originated within the National Association of Evangelicals, is to work with, for and from the Church to relieve human suffering, poverty and hunger worldwide in the name of Jesus Christ. World Relief and partner churches work to save lives and restore hope through ministries that address poverty, disease, hunger, persecution and the effects of war and disasters.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are available. See the link.

Link: To search the database for jobs, visit - <http://www.wr.org/jobs/>

Catholic Relief Services

About Organization: CRS is the official international relief and development agency of the U.S. Catholic community. The mission of CRS is to assist the poor and disadvantaged, leveraging the teachings of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to alleviate human suffering, promote development of all people, and to foster charity and justice throughout the world. They advocate responsibility to help the poor, work to remove the causes of poverty, and promote social justice.

Opportunities: Employment opportunities are updated on the website.

Link: To view career opportunities, visit - http://www.crs.org/about_us/careers/index.cfm

Church World Service

About Organization: Church World Service, a global humanitarian aid agency and ministry of 36 Christian denominations, works to support sustainable self-help and development, meet emergency needs, aid refugees, and address the root causes of poverty and powerlessness.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Link: For current vacancies, visit -

<http://www.churchworldservice.com/employment/index.html>

Christian Reformed World Relief Committee

About Organization: CRWRC is a Christian non-profit organization present with 2,000 communities in 30 of the world's poorest countries where together we are addressing hunger and poverty through emergency disaster assistance, integrated community development programs, and justice education.

Opportunities: Job vacancies are updated on the website.

Link: To view current vacancies, visit -

http://www.crwrc.org/?action=d7_article_view_menu&d7ob=D7_JobPost_Viewer

Christian Children's Fund

About Organization: Christian Children's Fund is creating a better future for more than 7.6 million children & family members in 34 countries, helping overcome poverty through education, early childhood development, nutrition, health, livelihood programs & disaster relief.

Opportunities: Domestic and international job vacancies are updated on the website.

Link: To view current vacancies, visit -

<http://www.christianchildrensfund.org/content.aspx?id=553>

World Concern

About Organization: A Christian humanitarian organization that provides emergency relief and community development in some of the most neglected areas of the world.

Opportunities: Job opportunities are available in community development, disaster relief, and other areas.

Location: Positions are available in a number of different countries

Remuneration: Unless otherwise noted as a paid position, most positions require one to raise 100% of funding with fundraising assistance from World Concern.

Link: To view current vacancies -

<http://www.worldconcern.org/NETCOMMUNITY/Page.aspx?&pid=427&srcid=397>

POLICY INSTITUTES/CENTERS/THINK TANKS

Brookings Institution

About Organization: The Brookings Institution is a prestigious non-profit public policy think tank in Washington D.C. considered the “most influential.” They have research programs in Foreign Policy, Governance Studies, Global Economy and Development, Economic Studies, Metropolitan Policy Program, as well as various Centers and Projects.

See: <http://www.brookings.edu/about#research-projects/>

Eligibility: Eligibility may vary depending on the internship; See the list of internships available in the link below.

Due Dates: Spring internship applications are usually due in November; Check the website for due dates for summer opportunities.

Remuneration: None, all positions are unpaid.

Link: <http://www.brookings.edu/about/employment#/?tab=1>

Center for Development and Population Activities

About Organization: Founded in 1975, the Centre for Development and Population Activities (CEDPA) is an internationally recognized non-profit organization that improves the lives of women and girls in developing countries. The Center works hand-in-hand with women leaders, local partners, and national and international organizations to give women the tools they need to improve their lives, families and communities.

Opportunities: Internship and employment positions are available.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Link: Visit - <http://www.cedpa.org/section/aboutus/employment/internships>

Center for Strategic & International Studies

About Organization: The Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) seeks to advance global security and prosperity in an era of economic and political transformation by providing strategic insights and practical policy solutions to decision-makers. CSIS serves as a strategic planning partner for the government by conducting research and analysis and developing policy initiatives that look into the future and anticipate change.

Opportunities: Internships are available for current undergraduates and recent graduates.

Job vacancies are also listed on the website.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current college juniors or seniors may apply, as well as recent graduates or advanced students.

Timing & Duration: Applicants may apply for full-time or part-time internships in the fall, spring, and summer. The deadline for the fall semester is July 15, for the spring semester is Nov 15, and for the summer semesters is March 15.

Expectations: Interns gain practical experience in the public policy arena and participate in activities that support the individual programs, including research, writing, and project development.

Link: For further information - http://www.csis.org/about/jobs_interns/

Institute for Policy Studies

About Organization: For more than four decades, IPS has transformed ideas into action for peace, justice, and the environment. The Institute has strengthened and linked social movements through articulation of root principles and fundamental rights, research and analysis on current events and issues, and connections to policymakers, academics, and activists at all levels. As a multi-issue think tank that has worked with the movements that shaped the late 20th Century, from Civil Rights onwards, IPS offers a cross-cutting analysis with a historical perspective.

Opportunities: Internships are offered thirteen different areas of the organizations work. View website for further details.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Remuneration: Internships are unpaid. However, interns may apply for a stipend program.

Link: <http://www.ips-dc.org/jobs-and-internships/>

International Center for Transitional Justice

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<https://www.ictj.org/careers/application-guidelines-internships>

International Monetary Fund

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Eligibility: PhD and MA students

<https://www.imf.org/external/np/adm/rec/job/summint.htm>

World Bank

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Woodrow Wilson Center

About: The Woodrow Wilson Center is a highly distinguished think tank that covers a vast range of programs, issue areas, and regions/countries.

Opportunities: The opportunities are wide-ranging – with the Middle East Program, the Africa Program, Environmental Change and Security Program, and many others (see link below). There are also specific Research Assistant Internships that may have slightly different eligibility requirements.

Location: Washington, D.C.

Eligibility: Current, recent, or returning college students, as well as some graduate student internship opportunities.

Remuneration: Unpaid.

Link: <https://www.wilsoncenter.org/internships>

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Americorps

About Organization: AmeriCorps is a network of local, state, and national service programs that connects more than 70,000 Americans each year in intensive service to meet our country's critical needs in education, public safety, health, and the environment.

Opportunities: Volunteer work. **AmeriCorps*State and National** offers service opportunities of all kinds in thousands of programs throughout the United States.

Members help address unmet community needs in education, public safety, health, and the environment. Members serve full- or part-time for 9-12 months or during the summer, up to 2 years. Their service might include restoring parks, tutoring youth, assisting crime victims, and building homes. **AmeriCorps*VISTA** (Volunteers in Service to America) is dedicated to eliminating poverty by helping individuals and low-income neighborhoods make positive changes for themselves. AmeriCorps*VISTA members serve in hundreds of organizations throughout the country—working to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses, increase housing opportunities, or bridge the digital divide. **AmeriCorps*NCCC** (National Civilian Community Corps) is a full-time, team-based residential program for men and women aged 18–24. The NCCC is built on the belief that civic responsibility is an inherent duty of all citizens and that national service programs work effectively with local communities to address pressing needs. AmeriCorps*NCCC requires an intensive, ten-month commitment. Members are trained in CPR, first aid, and mass care before deploying for their first service project.

Eligibility: AmeriCorps is open to U.S. citizens, U.S. nationals, and lawful permanent resident aliens age 17 and older. Members serve full- or part-time over a 9- to 12-month period, or during the summer.

Link: To find out more about opportunities and benefits - http://www.americorps.org/for_individuals/overview/index.asp

Lee Abbey Community, London

About Organization: The Lee Abbey Movement is a nationwide organization whose mission and calling from God is to share Christ through relationships, through practicing community living, reaching out to others, and developing our own relationship with our loving Father. The community at Lee Abbey in London is a Church of England (Anglican) based community made up of Christians from around the world who volunteer for a year at a time. There are about 40 people on the community from a wide range of backgrounds and cultures. Together they provide a welcome to the many international students and other guests (Christian or not) who come to Lee Abbey. Volunteers go out of their way to befriend the students and try to do everything – whether it is cleaning toilets or leading worship – as though it is Christ they are serving. The community lifestyle involves living, working and worshipping together.

Opportunities: Volunteer

Eligibility: Applicants must be 18 years or older and Christians, having accepted Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord. One need not be Anglican. Volunteers must be willing to live

in community, pray and worship together regularly, and, by their work and witness, seek to give the students a first hand experience of life in a Christian environment.

Remuneration: Volunteers are paid 44 euros a week. Meals are covered.

Link: For more information - http://www.leeabbeylondon.com/community_index.html

Saint Gabriel's

About Organization: Saint Gabriel's Spiritual Center for Youth serves today's youth regardless of their socio-economic background or religious affiliation. Our retreats offer teens a chance to explore their relationships with God, their families and peers, as well as themselves, in a secure and faith-filled environment. The young people who come might be lost in the desert of struggles with relationships, substance abuse, low self-esteem, or deep anger and pain from dysfunctional family life. The teenagers we serve often simply need a place to "get away from all the stuff of everyday life."

Opportunities: Volunteer positions for post-graduates.

Location: Long Island, New York

Eligibility: Volunteers are recent college graduates who are 21 years or older and are willing to commit to one year of service as youth ministers on the retreat team.

Volunteers need not have degrees in theology or experience in youth ministry but must be active and practicing Roman Catholics with a desire to walk with teens on their faith journeys.

Expectations: As a team, volunteers lead the retreat experience through their inspirational talks, small group discussions, and by participating in community and private prayer, mass, group activities, and recreation during each retreat. The presentations focus on building self-worth, developing supportive relationships, and strengthening their bond with Christ. By establishing an environment of acceptance and solidarity, the team empowers teens to be Christ for one another.

Remuneration: Volunteers arrive in August and are provided with housing, full health benefits, dental benefits, meals during retreats, and a stipend of \$350/month.

Link: For more information -

<http://www.saintgabes.org/Post%20Graduate%20Volunteer%20Program.html>

Foreign Affairs Fellowship

Thomas R. Pickering Foreign Affairs Fellowship

About: The Pickering Fellowship covers up to \$37,500 annually for graduate school. It basically pays for an MA program, gives you summer state department internships, and then requires a 5 year Foreign Service commitment after the MA. It is pretty prestigious, and thus very competitive. "The Programs provide academic and professional preparation for outstanding candidates to enter the U.S. Department of State Foreign Service, representing America's interests abroad. Pickering Fellows are undergraduate and graduate students in academic programs relevant to international affairs, political and economic analysis, administration, management,

and science policy. Women, members of minority groups historically underrepresented in the Foreign Service, and students with financial need are encouraged to apply... Pickering Fellows receive mentoring, professional development, and financial support as they prepare to enter the Foreign Service. Upon successful completion of the Foreign Service examination, Pickering Fellows make a commitment to a minimum of five years of service in an appointment as Foreign Service Officer. Candidates must be able to obtain medical, security and suitability clearances in order to remain in the program”

Eligibility: Undergraduate students (apply as a Junior in college) and Graduate students (who are applying for MA programs).

Due Date: January, 2015

Link: <http://woodrow.org/fellowships/pickering/#about>