# FELLOWSHIPS, INTERNSHIPS AND NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOUTH IN THE PEACE AND SECURITY MOVEMENT

## **FELLOWSHIPS**

## **Boren Fellowship**

Boren Fellowships, an initiative of the National Security Education Program, provide unique funding opportunities for U.S. graduate students to study less commonly taught languages in world regions critical to U.S. interests, and underrepresented in study abroad, including Africa, Asia, Central and Eastern Europe, Eurasia, Latin America, and the Middle East. The countries of Western Europe, Canada, Australia, and New Zealand are excluded. Boren Fellows represent a vital pool of highly motivated individuals who wish to work in the federal national security arena. In exchange for funding, Boren Fellows commit to working in the federal government for at least one year after graduation. For more information, visit: <a href="https://www.borenawards.org/fellowships/borenfellowship-basics">https://www.borenawards.org/fellowships/borenfellowship-basics</a>

# **Bulletin of Atomic Scientists Leonard M. Rieser Award**

The Leonard M. Rieser Award is the capstone of the *Bulletin of the Atomic Scientists*' Next Generation Program, created to ensure that new voices, steeped in science and public policy, have a trusted platform from which to address the world's existential challenges. The Rieser Award was established to recognize outstanding emerging science and security experts passionate about advancing peace and security in our time. Inaugurated in 2015, the award is given annually and is selected by the *Bulletin*'s editorial team from among the publication's Voices of Tomorrow essayists--new authors and rising stars who write with distinction about at least one of the *Bulletin*'s core issues: nuclear weapons, climate change, the changing energy landscape, biosecurity, and threats from emerging technologies. The recipient of the Rieser Award receives \$1,000 and a subscription to the *Bulletin*'s bi-monthly journal. For more information, visit: http://thebulletin.org/next-generation-program

#### Carnegie Endowment Junior Fellows Program

Each year the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace offers 8-10 one-year fellowships to uniquely qualified graduating seniors and individuals who have graduated during the past academic year. They are selected from a pool of nominees from close to 400 colleges. Carnegie Junior Fellows work as research assistants to the Endowment's senior associates. For more information, visit: <a href="http://carnegieendowment.org/about/jr-fellows">http://carnegieendowment.org/about/jr-fellows</a>

# Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government

The Science, Technology and Public Policy program offers fellowships for pre-doctoral candidates and recent recipients of a Ph.D. or equivalent degree in the stimulating environment of the Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs at Harvard University's Kennedy School of Government. Fellows are provided with a stipend,

benefits, and some support for research and travel expenses. Each fellow, in consultation with Program Director Dan Schrag, will be assigned a faculty mentor affiliated with STPP to supervise his or her research. We anticipate that the mentors will be active participants in the research activities. For more information, write <a href="mailto:patricia\_mclaughlin@hks.harvard.edu">patricia\_mclaughlin@hks.harvard.edu</a> or visit: <a href="http://www.belfercenter.org/fellowship/emerging-issues-science-technology-and-public-policy">http://www.belfercenter.org/fellowship/emerging-issues-science-technology-and-public-policy</a>

#### Idealist.org

Idealist.org provides a listing of fellowships in public service, nonprofit and public policy. For more information, visit:

https://www.idealist.org/en/?type=ALL&q=fellowship

# Jennings Randolph Program

The Jennings Randolph Program for International Peace awards Senior Fellowships to enable outstanding scholars, policymakers, journalists, and other professionals from around the world to conduct research at the U.S. Institute of Peace in Washington on important issues concerning international conflict and peace. For more information: <a href="https://www.usip.org/grants-fellowships/fellowships/jennings-randolph-senior-fellowship-program">https://www.usip.org/grants-fellowships/fellowships/jennings-randolph-senior-fellowship-program</a>

# **New Voices Fellowship**

New Voices is a national fellowship program, which aims to help small nonprofit organizations bring new talent to their staffs. This two-year fellowship provides full salary support and fringe benefits the first year and 75 percent support the second year for the organizations and their fellows in addition to technical and financial assistance and leadership development opportunities. For more information, visit: <a href="http://newvoicesfellows.aspeninstitute.org/">http://newvoicesfellows.aspeninstitute.org/</a>

#### **Open Society Institute**

The Open Society Institute (OSI) initiatives award grants, scholarships, and fellowships on a regular basis throughout the year. Applicants can determine their eligibility and view relevant initiatives and application guidelines. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.soros.org/grants">http://www.soros.org/grants</a>

#### **Peace Scholar Dissertation Fellowship**

The Peace Scholar Dissertation Fellowship is open to doctoral students who are studying at American universities and are engaged in dissertation research on international peace and conflict management. The fellowship is awarded regardless of citizenship, but applicants must be enrolled at American universities. For more information, please visit: <a href="https://www.usip.org/grants-fellowships/fellowships/jennings-randolph-peace-scholarship-dissertation-program">https://www.usip.org/grants-fellowships/fellowships/jennings-randolph-peace-scholarship-dissertation-program</a>

## Roger L. Hale Fellowship

Ploughshares Fund seeks applicants for a competitive, one-year paid position as a Roger L. Hale Fellow. In honor of Chair Emeritus Roger Hale's unwavering commitment to Ploughshares Fund and its vision that nuclear weapons should never be used again, the

Roger L. Hale Fellowship will provide an exemplary individual with an outstanding opportunity to develop professional skills by working at a leading peace and security foundation that has been at the forefront of nuclear nonproliferation policy, advocacy and grantmaking for more than three decades. Ploughshares Fund's extensive network within the nuclear nonproliferation community will place the Fellow into a unique position to gain practical day-to-day experience grappling with a wide variety of nuclear weapons policy issues. The Fellow will be based in the Washington, DC office of Ploughshares Fund. For more information visit: <a href="http://www.ploughshares.org/about-us/jobs/roger-l-hale-">http://www.ploughshares.org/about-us/jobs/roger-l-hale-</a>

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# **Social Science Research Council Fellowships**

Social Science Research Council (SSRC) fellowship and grant programs provide support and professional recognition to innovators within fields, and especially to younger researchers whose work and ideas will have longer-term impact on society and scholarship. These programs often target the spaces between disciplines, where new perspectives emerge and struggle for acceptance, thus ensuring the production of knowledge and expertise on key topics, regions, and social challenges. They promote the diversification of knowledge production, strengthening research by ensuring that it remains open to (and challenged by) a range of perspectives, backgrounds, and nationalities. For more information, visit: http://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/

# **INTERNSHIPS**

#### **American Association for the Advancement of Science**

American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) is an international non-profit organization dedicated to advancing science around the world by serving as an educator, leader, spokesperson and professional association. In addition to organizing membership activities, AAAS publishes the journal *Science*, as well as many scientific newsletters, books and reports, and spearheads programs that raise the bar of understanding for science worldwide. For information on internships and fellowships, visit: http://www.aaas.org/careercenter/

#### **Arms Control Association**

The Arms Control Association (ACA) has a limited number of stipend intern positions. Interns are involved in many facets of ACA's work including: researching arms control and security issues for articles and fact sheets; assisting in preparing and editing ACA's monthly journal *Arms Control Today*; monitoring activity in the press and on Capitol Hill; and supporting the analysts in a variety of administrative tasks. Interns are encouraged to engage in substantive discussions with ACA analysts in order to gain a deeper understanding of the arms control field. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.armscontrol.org/internships.asp">http://www.armscontrol.org/internships.asp</a>

#### **British American Security Information Council**

The British American Security Information Council's (BASIC) Washington office supervises two unpaid interns each semester. Through their work, interns gain an

understanding of many of the current issues affecting European security; familiarity with the arms control community in Washington, D.C. and various employment opportunities in the field; a first-hand view of how a small think tank influences international media coverage; and exposure to the challenges and responsibilities of international networking. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.basicint.org/about/jobs">http://www.basicint.org/about/jobs</a>

# **Center for American Progress**

One very important goal of American Progress is to inspire and educate the next generation of progressive Americans. American Progress offers full and part-time internships each summer and academic semester. For more information, visit: <a href="https://www.americanprogress.org/about/internships/">https://www.americanprogress.org/about/internships/</a>

# **Center for Arms Control and Nonproliferation**

The Center for Arms Control & Non-Proliferation offers full-time internship opportunities for students of political science, international relations, peace studies, or related fields. 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. For more information, visit: <a href="https://armscontrolcenter.org/about/jobs-and-internships/">https://armscontrolcenter.org/about/jobs-and-internships/</a>

## **Center for Nonproliferation Studies**

The Center for Nonproliferation Studies offers internships with the Washington, DC office of CNS, lasting 4-5 months. They are for individuals seeking professional experience and on-the-job training with the country's largest organization dedicated to education and analysis on limiting the spread of WMD and advanced delivery systems. Interns work with experts on nonproliferation, arms control, and regional security affairs, expand their knowledge, improve their research and writing skills, and possibly publish independent research through CNS publications and other outlets. Participants will learn how nongovernmental organizations impact national and international foreign policy making. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.nonproliferation.org/about-2/nonproliferation-internships/#dc">http://www.nonproliferation.org/about-2/nonproliferation-internships/#dc</a>

#### **Center for Strategic and International Studies**

The Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS) offers full and part-time internships in the fall, spring and summer for undergraduates, advanced students, and recent graduates who are interested in gaining practical experience in public policy. Interns participate in a variety of activities that support individual programs, including research, writing, and project development. For more information, visit: <a href="https://www.csis.org/about-us/internships">https://www.csis.org/about-us/internships</a>

#### The Eisenhower Institute

The Eisenhower Institute offers both full and part-time volunteer internships in the fall, spring, and summer for motivated students-at both the undergraduate and graduate level-and recent graduates interested in foreign affairs. An internship at The Institute provides

an excellent opportunity for aspiring students to acquire hands-on learning experience in various dimensions of security and international affairs and to gain a unique view on the functioning of a non-profit policy institute. Intern activities may include research and administrative tasks relating to current projects, outreach support, and the coordination of upcoming events such as policy workshops, dinners, and book-launchings. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.eisenhowerinstitute.org/about/internships.dot">http://www.eisenhowerinstitute.org/about/internships.dot</a>

# Friends Committee on National Legislation

The Friends Committee on National Legislation (FCNL) is a Quaker lobby in the public interest that seeks to bring the concerns, experiences, and testimonies of the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) to bear on policy decisions in the nation's capital. FCNL's internship is a great way to learn about the issues FCNL works on and the legislative process. For more information, visit: <a href="https://www.fcnl.org/updates/summer-internship-33">https://www.fcnl.org/updates/summer-internship-33</a>

#### **Henry L. Stimson Center**

The Stimson Center offers unique internship opportunities based on the values of education, participation, and hands-on practical knowledge. Based on the Center's commitment to professional development, expectations for interns are high. In return, interns can expect a challenging environment, which will prepare them for full time employment in a professional setting. For more information, visit: <a href="https://www.stimson.org/internships">https://www.stimson.org/internships</a>

### **Institute for Energy and Environmental Research**

The Institute for Energy and Environmental Research (IEER) is a non-profit technical institute dedicated to providing grassroots groups, journalists, educators, students, and policy makers with thoughtful, clear, and sound technical information on environmental, energy, and security issues. IEERs work is focused primarily on the health and environmental effects of nuclear weapons production and testing, nuclear disarmament and related security issues, and sound energy policy. IEER occasionally offers internships tailored to the intern's interests and strengths and to the organization's needs. Examples of intern projects include developing materials for IEER's annual technical training workshop and doing research and possibly writing for technical reports. College/university students with a background in math and science and a strong interest in the subjects IEER works on are welcome to inquire about internship opportunities by emailing <a href="mailto:ieer@ieer.org">ieer@ieer.org</a>. IEER is located in Takoma Park, Maryland, within easy reach of Washington, D.C. and walking distance of public transportation. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.ieer.org">http://www.ieer.org</a>.

#### **Institute for Policy Studies**

The Institute for Policy Studies (IPS) is the nation's oldest and largest multi-issue think tank promoting progressive thought. As such, we have a number of "Public Scholars" with whom you can work to undertake challenging research, writing, and advocacy in a wide range of foreign and domestic policy issues. For more information on internships, visit: <a href="http://www.ips-dc.org/about/jobs-and-internships/">http://www.ips-dc.org/about/jobs-and-internships/</a>

# **Institute for Science and International Security**

The Institute for Science and International Security (ISIS), a Capitol Hill-based non-profit research organization concerned with nuclear arms reduction and non-proliferation, seeks qualified undergraduate and graduate students for full time internships. For more information, visit: <a href="http://isis-online.org/about/internships">http://isis-online.org/about/internships</a>

# **Managing the Atom**

The Managing the Atom (MTA) Project brings together an international group of scholars and government officials to conduct policy-relevant research on issues related to nuclear technology. Housed within Belfer Center for Science and International Affairs of the John F. Kennedy School at Harvard University, MTA addresses a broad array of topics in the nuclear field, from nuclear weapons to the future of nuclear power. MTA offers the opportunity for select undergraduate and graduate students to become Student Associates. These Student Associates assist the Project with research tasks, attend seminars, and actively participate in events hosted by Managing the Atom. These unpaid internships provide opportunities to meet experts in the security field, attend lectures and seminars, and actively participate in ongoing working groups. Student Associates are also invited to monthly social events, e.g., pizza parties and special lunches. MTA also accepts summer interns. For more information, email <a href="mailto:martin\_malin@harvard.edu">martin\_malin@harvard.edu</a> or visit <a href="http://www.belfercenter.org/project/managing-atom">http://www.belfercenter.org/project/managing-atom</a>

## **Nuclear Age Peace Foundation**

The Nuclear Age Peace Foundation provides internship positions year-round for select college, university, and graduate students to work with staff on current peace and security issues. Interns conduct research, write analysis of issues, work on the website, facilitate discussions, deliver presentations, and gain valuable insights into the nuclear policy field. Sites include Santa Barbara, California and Washington, DC. Interns seeking a paid position or academic credit must complete an application. Given that the internship selection process becomes more competitive every year, the Foundation provides volunteer opportunities as well. For more information, visit: https://www.wagingpeace.org/about/opportunities/internships/

## **Nuclear Studies Institute at American University**

For information on volunteer and internship opportunities with the Nuclear Studies Institute, contact Professor Peter Kuznick at: <a href="mailto:kuznick@american.edu">kuznick@american.edu</a> or (202) 885-2408.

## Partnership for Global Security

Partnership for Global Security accepts internship applications on a rolling basis. PGS is looking for new interns to assist with research tasks, media outreach, innovative content creation, and production of our weekly news digest publication *Nuclear News*. Generally, we hire interns for the spring, summer, and fall semesters. PGS interns primarily research nuclear security, nuclear energy, and transnational governance challenges. For more information, visit: <a href="https://partnershipforglobalsecurity.org/about/opportunities/">https://partnershipforglobalsecurity.org/about/opportunities/</a>

#### Peace Action

Peace Action interns research and write campaign materials, organize events, develop web and e-organizing resources and assist in grassroots mobilization. Peace Action

interns gain professional working experience with a not-for-profit committed to responsible US foreign policy and grassroots movement building. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.peace-action.org/jobs">http://www.peace-action.org/jobs</a>

# **Physicians for Social Responsibility**

Physicians for Social Responsibility (PSR) offers internships for undergraduate and graduate students all year, with terms usually beginning in January, May, and September. Roles and responsibilities typically include assisting PSR staff with a full range of program activities, including outreach to members and other activists, and the development of fact sheets, position papers, and legislative alerts for health professionals and other activists. The intern conducts research on PSR issues, and attends coalition meetings and some congressional briefings and hearings as needed. Responsibilities may include some clerical and administrative tasks. For more information, visit: http://www.psr.org/about/employment-opportunities.html

## **Project on Government Oversight**

The main job of Project on Government Oversight interns is to assist in researching government subservience to special interests. The intern's research often requires them to file Freedom of Information Act requests as well as go to congressional hearings, the Library of Congress and different government agencies. On occasion, interns work with whistleblowers. Sometimes the intern's research culminates in a POGO report. Besides research, interns also write opinion-editorial pieces for media release and assist in the writing and editing of testimony to be delivered at Congressional hearings. Of course, some of an intern's time, usually less than 20%, is spent doing administrative work --- from bulk mailings and answering the phone to filing. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.pogo.org/about/work-at-pogo/interns-fellows.html?referrer=http://pogo.org/p/x/internships.html">http://www.pogo.org/about/work-at-pogo/interns-fellows.html?referrer=http://pogo.org/p/x/internships.html</a>

# **Psychologists for Social Responsibility**

Psychologists for Social Responsibility is searching for energetic, motivated, and peace-oriented undergraduate and graduate students to serve as interns. Interns will have the opportunity to work on a wide variety of projects, such as: researching current national and international issues or policy, assisting with the publication of PsySR's newsletter, planning and organizing meetings and conferences, website maintenance, and general administrative support. Intern positions will be tailored to each intern's specific interests and capabilities so that the internship experience will be a mutually beneficial one. Interns may apply to work at PsySR for any period of time. Both psychology students and non-psychology students are encouraged to apply. To apply, please send a cover letter explaining your interest in PsySR, a resume, and a short writing sample on any topic that demonstrates your writing ability to Administrative Coordinator Glenda Duldulao at psysr.ac@gmail.com or call 707-797-7016.

#### **Reaching Critical Will**

The Women's International League for Peace and Freedom created the Reaching Critical Will (RCW) project in 1999, in order to increase the quality and quantity of civil society at international disarmament fora, such as those that take place at the UN. We believe

that nuclear disarmament will require coordinated and sustained effort on the part of governments, non-governmental organizations and the United Nations. Reaching Critical Will is WILPF's initiative to encourage people to act and contribute to a variety of international fora. Reaching Critical Will collects, packages and often translates disarmament related information into terms ordinary people can understand. For information on internships, visit: <a href="http://www.reachingcriticalwill.org/about-us/contact">http://www.reachingcriticalwill.org/about-us/contact</a>

# Security Leadership Program, University of Georgia

Center for International Trade and Security (CITS) Security Leadership Program offers top students the chance to develop the skills and knowledge needed for pursuing international careers in government, the nonprofit sector or the business world or preparing for graduate studies. This unique, two semester program at the University of Georgia offers intensive training on WMD-related security issues through required readings, regular briefings by researchers and government officials working in the area of nonproliferation and skills training workshops that teach open source research methods, hone writing and oral presentation skills, and develop information analysis capabilities. In the second semester, program participants work closely with Center faculty and staff on nonproliferation research and outreach projects, compiling information, helping to prepare reports and presentations, coordinating international conferences and training sessions. To apply, please submit a current transcript, a resume, letter of interest, and writing sample (preferably on a topic relevant to security) to Chris Tucker, 120 Holmes/Hunter Academic Building. For more information, email c.tucker@cits.uga.edu, call 706-542-6666 or visit: http://spia.uga.edu/departments-centers/center-forinternational-trade-and-security-cits/student-opportunities/

#### **Student Pugwash USA**

As a student organization, Student Pugwash USA encourages young people to examine the ethical, social, and global implications of science and technology, and to make these concerns a leading focus of their academic and professional endeavors. SPUSA offers several unpaid internships. For more information, visit: http://www.spusa.org/about/internships.html#studentorganizer

# **Taxpayers for Common Sense**

Politically independent, Taxpayers for Common Sense (TCS) works with members of Congress and the Executive Branch, along with activists of all political philosophies, to cut wasteful government spending and reduce federal subsidies. TCS's dynamic approach bridges the gap between liberals and conservatives to achieve common-sense solutions that streamline government and make a positive contribution for the taxpayers of today and tomorrow. For information on internships and fellowships, visit: http://www.taxpayer.net/about/work-for-tcs

#### **Union of Concerned Scientists**

UCS is an independent nonprofit alliance of more than 100,000 concerned citizens and scientists. We augment rigorous scientific analysis with innovative thinking and committed citizen advocacy to build a cleaner, healthier environment and a safer world.

For information on internships, visit: <a href="http://www.ucsusa.org/about/jobs-ucs#.WPk-rXTyvow">http://www.ucsusa.org/about/jobs-ucs#.WPk-rXTyvow</a>

# **Wisconsin Project on Nuclear Arms Control**

The Wisconsin Project on Nuclear Arms Control in Washington usually employs one to two interns for summer and one intern during the academic year to do research on the spread of weapons of mass destruction. The Project is a non-profit, non-partisan organization that operates under the auspices of the University of Wisconsin. Interns will gain valuable experience in gathering information and conducting research. They will also gain a close-up view of how foreign policy decisions are made in Washington. Candidates should be adept in working with computers (WordPerfect and Windows), the Internet, Lexis-Nexis and in library research. Those with basic knowledge of html are strongly preferred. Proficiency in Farsi, Chinese, Korean or Arabic would also be helpful. The internship is a paid position. Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter either by mail to the Wisconsin Project, Suite 805, 1701 K Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006, by fax to 202-223-8299, or by email to <a href="mailto:info@wisconsinproject.org">info@wisconsinproject.org</a> or visit <a href="http://www.wisconsinproject.org/about-us/employment/">http://www.wisconsinproject.org/about-us/employment/</a>

#### **Women's Actions for New Directions**

Women's Actions for New Directions (WAND) empowers women to act politically to reduce violence and militarism and redirect excessive military resources toward unmet human and environmental needs. WAND offers internships in Boston headquarters office, Washington, DC legislative office and Atlanta field office. For more information, email info@wand.org or visit: <a href="http://www.wand.org/about/wand-education-fund-staff/positions-available/washington-dc-based-interns/">http://www.wand.org/about/wand-education-fund-staff/positions-available/washington-dc-based-interns/</a>

#### **Women's International League for Peace and Freedom**

The Women's International League for Peace & Freedom is a 90-year-old international women's organization with sections in 37 countries and 80 groups and branches in the United States. WILPF works for the equality of all people in a world free of racism, sexism, classism, homophobia, and all other oppression; for world disarmament and peaceful resolution of conflicts; and for an end to all forms of violence. For information on internships, visit: <a href="http://wilpf.org/get-involved/work-with-us/">http://wilpf.org/get-involved/work-with-us/</a>

#### **World Policy Institute**

The World Policy Institute's Internship Program, offers advanced undergraduate and graduate students the opportunity to gain practical experience in policy research and advocacy on international issues by assisting with the production of the *World Policy Journal* and conducting research for the Institute's senior fellows. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.worldpolicy.org/internships">http://www.worldpolicy.org/internships</a>

## **NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **Roosevelt Institution**

The Roosevelt Institution takes students' ideas out of the filing cabinet and places them on the desks of reporters, civil servants, and politicians so that students' ideas change public policy. For more information, visit: <a href="http://rooseveltinstitute.org/">http://rooseveltinstitute.org/</a>

#### **Student Peace Action Network**

Student Peace Action Network (SPAN) is a grassroots peace and justice organization working from campuses across the United States. For more information, visit: http://www.studentpeaceaction.org/

# **Student Pugwash**

Student Pugwash USA (SPUSA) is an educational, nonprofit organization that strives to add a dimension to scientific study that goes beyond formulas and figures. Activities force young people to probe the reasons for scientific advancement and the implications of technology on citizens' everyday lives. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.spusa.org">http://www.spusa.org</a>

#### **Washington Network Group**

The Washington Network Group is an organization of professionals in business, finance, technology, foreign and government affairs. Diversity is our strength. The WNG places an emphasis on bridging the boundaries between professional communities in the Greater Washington Region. For more information, visit: http://www.washingtonnetworkgroup.com/

#### **Young Nonprofit Professionals Network**

The Young Nonprofit Professionals Network promotes an efficient, viable, and inclusive nonprofit sector that supports the growth, learning, and development of young professionals. We engage and support future nonprofit and community leaders through professional development, networking and social opportunities designed for young people involved in the nonprofit community. For more information, visit: <a href="http://www.ynpn.org/">http://www.ynpn.org/</a>