GRADUATE CAREER SERVICES
2012 SUMMER INTERNSHIPS
MASTER OF PUBLIC POLICY

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FEDERAL GOVERNMENT | STATE & LOCAL GOVERNMENT | NONPROFIT & NON GOVERNMENTAL | INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS | PRIVATE SECTOR
FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

Center for Defense Management Research
Monterey, CA

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Legislative Affairs
Washington, DC

Consumer Financial Protection Bureau, Office of the Chief Financial Officer
Washington, DC

Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Complex Financial Institutions
New York, NY

Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia
Philadelphia, PA

Federal Trade Commission, Bureau of Competition
Washington, DC

Office of Management and Budget, Income Maintenance Branch
Washington, DC

Office of Management and Budget, Internal Affairs Division
Washington, DC

The White House, National Economic Council
Washington, DC

U.S. Army, Army Material Command
Warren, MI

U.S. Department of Education, Office of Innovation and Improvement
Washington, DC

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Financial Resources
Washington, DC (2)

U.S. Department of Justice, Antitrust Division
Washington, DC

U.S. Department of State, Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs
Mexico City, Mexico

U.S. Department of State
Washington, DC (2)

U.S. Department of the Treasury, Community Development Financial Institutions
Washington, DC

U.S. Department of the Treasury, Office of International Affairs
Washington, DC

U.S. Food and Drug Administration
Washington, DC

U.S. Mission to the UN
Geneva, Switzerland

Voice of America
Washington, DC

STATE GOVERNMENT

California Legislative Analyst’s Office
Sacramento, CA

State of Michigan, Office of the Governor, Office of Strategic Policy
Lansing, MI

State of Michigan, Office of the Governor, Department of Public Safety
Lansing, MI

State of New Jersey, Office of the Secretary of Higher Education
Trenton, NJ

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

City of Chicago, Office of the Mayor
Chicago, IL (2)

City of Denver, Office of the Mayor
Denver, CO

City of Detroit, Office of the Mayor
Detroit, MI (2)

City of Detroit, Planning and Development Department
Detroit, MI

City of Flint, Office of the Mayor
Flint, MI (2)

Macomb County, Executive Office
Mt. Clemens, MI

NON-U.S. GOVERNMENT

Government of the State of Bihar, Social Welfare
Patna, India

INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

International Organization for Migration
Geneva, Switzerland

United Nations, Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
Bangkok, Thailand

United Nations, Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women
Addis Ababa, Ethiopia
NON-PROFIT/ NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS

Acumen Fund
Lahore, Pakistan

American Enterprise Institute
Washington, DC

American Institutes for Research
Chicago, IL

Amnesty International USA
Washington, DC

Bipartisan Policy Center
Washington, DC

Building Futures Now
San Francisco, CA

CARE, U.S.
Washington, DC

Center City Public Charter Schools (Education Pioneers)
Washington, DC

Center for Financial Services Innovation
Chicago, IL

Center for the Study of Social Policy
Washington, DC

Centro Vivir con Diabetes
La Paz, Bolivia (2)

CIFAL Atlanta
Atlanta, GA

City Connect Detroit
Detroit, MI

Community Investment Network
Ann Arbor, MI

Detroit Economic Growth Corporation
Detroit, MI

Disaster Accountability Project
Washington, DC

Grameen Foundation
(James David Institute)
Jakarta, Indonesia

Heritage Foundation
Washington, DC

IDinsight
Bihar, India

Innovations for Poverty Action
Accra, Ghana

Innovations for Poverty Action
Manila, Philippines

Innovations for Poverty Action
Sorsogon Province, Philippines (2)

Institute for Women’s Policy Research
Washington, DC

International Downtown Association
Ann Arbor, MI

Lahore University of Management Sciences
Lahore, Pakistan

Los Angeles Unified School District (Education Pioneers)
Los Angeles, CA

Mercy Corps
Washington, DC

Michigan Sea Grant
Ann Arbor, MI

National Institute for Health and Clinical Excellence
London, England

National Team for the Acceleration of Poverty Reduction
Jakarta, Indonesia

New Sector Alliance
San Francisco, CA

New Urban Learning
Detroit, MI (2)

NextEnergy
Detroit, MI

Planned Parent Federation of America
Washington, DC

Public Policy Institute of California
San Francisco, CA

Robin Hood Foundation
New York, NY

Seva Mandir
Udaipur, India

Student Advocacy Center of Michigan
Ypsilanti, MI

Teach for America (Education Pioneers)
Houston, TX

The Asia Foundation
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

The Keystone Center for Science and Public Policy
Denver, CO

Washington, DC

William J. Clinton Foundation
New York, NY

Workforce Investment Network
Ann Arbor, MI

PRIVATE SECTOR

Applied Materials, Inc.
Santa Clara, CA

Avon Products, Inc.
New York, NY

Conlon Public Strategies
Chicago, IL

General Motors, Government Relations and Global Public Policy
Washington, DC

General Motors, Regulatory Affairs, Public Policy, and Government Relations
Detroit, MI

Goldman Sachs
New York, NY

Google, Community Affairs
San Francisco, CA

LearnZillion
Washington, DC

Pacific Gas and Electric Company
San Francisco, CA

Privacy Journal
Providence, RI

CONSULTING

Accenture, Health and Public Service
Chicago, IL (2)

Anderson Economic Group
Lansing, MI

Bain & Company
Chicago, IL
POLICY AT WORK

THE FORD SCHOOL MPP curriculum requires a policy-related internship, giving students the opportunity to apply their knowledge to significant problems in the public, private, or non-profit sectors and develop and enhance skills in areas of professional interest. The internship – completed over the summer following the first year of coursework – helps students clarify their career direction, gives perspective on the selection of second-year electives, and enables students to establish networks of great value in securing post-graduation employment.

FUNDING INTERNSHIPS

Through the generous contributions of Ford School alumni and donors, funding support is available to offset the cost of pursuing unpaid internships in the non-profit or public sectors. (The Ford School historically offers 15-20 internship partnerships funded at $6,000 through donor contributions. In addition we have an Unpaid Internship Fund through which students can apply for up to $3,000 for domestic and/or international internships.) Staff help students weigh the benefits and costs of an unpaid internship, identify resources for funding support, and write effective funding proposals.