



USSA HIRING ANNOUNCEMENT: 2009 SUMMER INTERN

United States Student Association

The United States Student Association, the country's oldest and largest national student-led organization, develops current and future leaders and amplifies the student voice at the local, state, and national levels by mobilizing grassroots power to win concrete victories on student issues.

United States Student Association Foundation

The United States Student Association Foundation ensures the pipeline of effective student leadership by facilitating education, training and other development opportunities at national, state and local levels in advocating for issues that affect students.

Description:

- Dates and hours are flexible
- 15-30 hours per week starting as early as May 18, 2009
- Paid internship or credit
- Willingness to travel and attend conferences if necessary

Preferred Skills/Experience:

Communications and Technology Intern

- Basic Design Skills (i.e. Publisher, Adobe, Photoshop, websites, brochures)
- Internet Research skills
- Analytical and critical thinking and writing skills
- Ability to communicate (ie, calls, emails, visits) with student membership on organizing issues
- Awareness of educational access and social justice issues
- Competency of Microsoft software programs and data basing
- Experience in special events planning such as press conferences and forums a plus!
- Fun and Flexible

Organizing and Legislative Intern

- Understanding of Federal Legislative Process
- Knowledge of elections and the current political climate
- Experience working on Direct Action Organizing Campaigns a plus
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To apply, submit a cover letter, resume, 3 references and a response to the following question: USSA works on educational access and affordability, why is this issue imperative to shaping our country? (maximum of 500 words) to Vice President Gregory Cendana at vp@usstudents.org by **April 17, 2009**.

Email subject shall state: "2009 Summer Intern". Please no phone calls, faxes or mail in applications.

USSA is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer. People of color, women, gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender and differently-abled people are strongly encouraged to apply.