Department of Geography * University of Vermont

Glass Internship Program

Up to 2 annual stipends of $2500 each – Application Deadline: March 10, 2017

This merit-based scholarship offers Geography majors the opportunity to subsidize an internship experience. The student must organize an internship experience with a recognized organization. The student must have a faculty mentor* and workplace supervisor sign an internship agreement, and agree to a program of work with both the mentor and supervisor. The expectation is that the internship will represent approximately 100-120 hours of work, for which documentation may be required. Specific hourly commitments will be arranged among the student, faculty mentor, and supervisor.

*Faculty mentor must be either an Assistant Professor, Associate Professor, or Professor in the Geography Department.

Requirements

- Geography majors only; must be matriculated but not graduated at time of internship
- Completion of at least one substantive introductory geography course (i.e. GEOG 40/50/60/70/81), and at least 60 credit hours overall by the start of the internship
- Minimum GPA of 3.25 in Geography and 3.00 overall
- Internships may be granted credit while funded by this stipend, depending upon arrangements and content
- Annual award will be made in spring and may be applied to the summer, fall, or the following spring semester

Application Process:

- Deadline is the Friday before Spring Break each year
- A 250-word description of the proposed internship and how it fits within and moves forward the student’s interests and goals in Geography, with specific reference to the student’s 4-year plan (http://www.uvm.edu/~uvmhub/?Page=4yearplan.html)
- Unofficial transcript
- One letter of support from a Geography Faculty member provided directly to Claire Robinson-White
- Internship work agreement signed by organization supervisor and faculty mentor (see http://www.uvm.edu/~geograph/GEOGRAPHY%20INTERNSHIP%20AGREEMENT%20OF%20UNDERSTANDING.pdf). This may be in draft form if the internship is still in the planning stages.
- Submit all of the above as a hardcopy packet to Claire Robinson-White <crobin10@uvm.edu> by 4:00pm on or before the deadline.

Contact Information:

Questions may be directed to your assigned Geography faculty advisor or the Department Chair, Dr. Lesley-Ann Dupigny-Giroux (ldupigny@uvm.edu)