WISH Internships matches qualified students with premier internships in the nation's capital. WISH Internships partners with government agencies, Congressional offices, advocacy groups, think tanks, multinational corporations, trade associations, the court system, and the media providing internships in:

- American Government and Politics
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Why Come to Washington, DC for Off-Campus Study?

- DC is the internship capital of the world. More than 90% of the world is represented in DC through businesses, embassies, international organizations, news, and communication networks.
- Internships make your students more marketable upon graduation. Research has shown that 80% of jobs are found through networking and that students with internships are more likely to be hired. Internships enable a student to gain valuable work experience, build their professional network, and achieve a competitive edge in today's job market.
- Alumni network. Your alumni are in DC working and ready to help mentor your students and connect them with their peers.

Nomination and Application Process

WISH Internships are highly competitive and each student is carefully vetted before acceptance into the program. Faculty may nominate intern candidates or students may apply directly to WISH Internships. Please visit our website www.internshipsdc.com for more information.

Deadlines for faculty nominations and student application materials are: November 15 for Spring, April 1 for Summer, and June 15 for Fall.

What WISH Internships Provides

- Premier intern placement in all major fields, supervision and evaluation of internship.
- A network of interns who interact with policy makers at weekly seminars/site visits.
- A platform to establish your college in Washington, DC with its own semester program.
- Faculty development for professors teaching Washington, DC interns and connecting with alumni.
- Housing, classrooms, video-conferencing on historic Capitol Hill.
- Unmatched price of $6,500 for internship placement, programming and housing.

Not Just For Students

WISH Internships provides numerous possibilities for faculty development.

- Teach student interns while in DC for a semester, two weeks, or through periodic class sessions.
- Brand your school's internship program and develop a permanent presence in the nation's capital.
- Tailor academic credits to suit your school's needs, use our classrooms and faculty accommodations.
- Use our Capitol Hill ballroom for alumni, enrollment/recruitment, and congressional receptions.

Residential Life

- WISH Internships students have the option to use WISH housing for a low flat fee.
- Housing is located in the prestigious Capitol Hill neighborhood.
- Our furnished intern-only accommodations include: Wi-Fi, free laundry and easy access to the Metro.