

Governor's Office of Constituent Affairs AINTERNSHIP OVERVIEW & APPLICATION

INTERNSHIP PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Thank you for your interest in an internship at the Governor's Office of Constituent Affairs (GOCA). This program provides students an opportunity to experience the operations of state government firsthand.

Interns connect constituents to crucial state services, while developing an expertise in state government programs and functions. GOCA is responsible for all casework and correspondence, including official proclamations and letters from the Governor. Interns additionally have the opportunity to work on special projects throughout the Governor's Office.

APPLICATION PROCESS

Please complete and return all sections of the applications. The requested materials must be submitted together to: Gov.GOCAInternship@illinois.gov.

To be considered for an internship, the application must include:

- Internship Application Form
- Current Resume
- Cover letter describing why you would like to intern at the Governor's Office of Constituent Affairs
- Name, title, and contact information for an academic or professional reference (reference must be a supervisor, professor, or mentor; a letter of recommendation is **not required**)

LOCATION

Internships are only available in Springfield.

CALENDAR

Applications are accepted on an ongoing basis. Internships are available for spring, summer, and fall terms. Internship start and end dates are flexible.

CONTACT

For further details or information, contact: Governor's Office of Constituent Affairs 401 S. Spring Street, 7th Floor Springfield, Illinois 62706

Phone: (217) 782-1109

Email: Gov.GOCAInternship@illinois.gov



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APPLICATION

| Name | Date of Birth | Date of Birth | |
|--|---------------|---------------|--|
| Permanent Address | | | |
| City | State | Zip Code | |
| Current Address | | | |
| City | State | Zip Code | |
| Email Address | Phone Number | Phone Number | |
| Experience: | | | |
| Areas of Interest: | | | |
| Extracurricular Activities: | | | |
| How did you learn of the internship progra | nm? | | |



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EDUCATION

| High School, City, and State | Graduation Date |
|---|----------------------------|
| College | (Expected) Graduation Date |
| Major/Minor | GPA |
| Graduate/Law School | (Expected) Graduation Date |
| Major/Minor | GPA |
| Language(s) Spoken | Fluency Level |
| Will class credit be earned through this internship? | |
| If yes, please complete the following: | |
| Professor | Phone Number/Email |
| Course Name | Total Credits Earned |
| Will you be receiving an outside stipend or scholarship | for this internship? |
| If yes, please list your possible sponsor: | |



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AVAILABILITY

| Preferred Term : | Spring | Summer | Fall |
|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------|---|
| Dates Available: | | through | |
| Hours Available: | | | |
| Monday: to | | | |
| Tuesday: to | | | |
| Tuesday: to Wednesday: | to | | |
| Thursday: to | · | | |
| Friday: to | | | |
| <u>CERTIFICATION</u> | | | |
| | ng false stateme | <u> </u> | the best of my knowledge. I understand application's rejection and/or removal |
| Signature: | | | Date: |
| Please email comple | ted applications | to: Gov.GOCAInter | rnship@illinois.gov |