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Individual Fundraising Internship

Global Minnesota Fall Internships are **12-14-week \$500 stipend** opportunities that provide exposure into one of the largest World Affairs Councils in the United States. Throughout the internship, you will gain **hands-on experience** working in a **nonprofit setting**, expand your professional network, and develop a deeper understanding of **our Individual Membership program**. Activities are based on business needs and do not involve project ownership. Our internships are **approximately 10 hours per week**, with the majority of that time in the office on Tuesdays through Thursdays between 10:00 am and 4:00 pm, based on a mutually agreeable schedule.

About the internship:

The development team is responsible for all aspects of fundraising at Global Minnesota, including corporate and individual membership programs and an annual Gala fundraiser. The **Individual Fundraising Intern** will assist the development team and be directly involved in donor communications, fundraising strategy, and campaign planning.

Program features include:

- Hands-on experience working for a World Affairs Council nonprofit organization
- Two assigned supervisors who will provide training and guidance
- Opportunity to join Global Minnesota staff meetings to gain deeper understanding of our operations
- Free admittance to selected public programs
- Complimentary Global Minnesota membership
- Networking opportunities
- Gain both clerical and program-specific skills
- Optional stipend of \$500 available

What the internship will look like:

- Prepare mailed donor communications
- Update membership and other informational materials
- Campaign planning, including assisting with member promotions and year-end campaign implementation
- Research fundraising strategies and best practices in support of individual membership programs
- Research organizational membership programs and benefit structure
- Present research findings and suggestions for implementation
- Other tasks may be assigned based on individual interests, including opportunities to learn more about corporate relations and Gala planning.

What you bring to Global Minnesota:

- Must be pursuing an Associate's, Bachelor's, or Master's degree, or have recently graduated
- Nonprofit Management, Global Studies, International Relations, Public Policy, Peace Studies, and Political Sciences or Area Studies majors preferred but not required
- Strong written and verbal communication skills required
- Previous work and/or volunteering experience ideal

Skills & mindset:

- Dependable, globally-minded students with an interest in learning and the ability to write well, pay attention to details, commit to deadlines, be part of a team, and respond to feedback would be a great fit for this opportunity.

Timeline of program:

- **Start date:** first or second week of September
- **Expected completion:** first or second week of December

Reports to: Membership and Gala Manager

Important considerations:

- Able to work in-person at the Global Minnesota office 6 to 8 hours a week and up to 2 to 4 hours remotely
- In-person hours available Tuesdays through Thursdays between 10:00 am and 4:00 pm
- Access to equipment and shared-drive will be provided in-office only
- This is an unpaid internship with an optional \$500 stipend available to those who successfully complete 12-14 weeks at about 10/hours week
- The internship involves engagement with important daily tasks and is not set up to lead or own independent end-to-end projects

More about Global Minnesota:

Global Minnesota is the state's leading non-profit for international engagement. Global Minnesota is a nonpartisan, member-supported organization advancing international understanding and engagement. With a staff of 16 and a \$1.6 million budget, Global Minnesota continues 70+ years of connecting Minnesotans to the world and the world to Minnesota. For more, visit our website at: www.globalminnesota.org.