Scholarships for unpaid internships

The MSUFCU Internship Opportunity Award program is accepting applications for Summer 2014, until March 31. The plan is to give out 40 awards of up to $1,000 each to support students participating in unpaid summer internships. Students who have secured or are actively pursuing an internship should apply! Information can be found on the Career Services Network website and MySpartanCareer job posting #61059. There is also an online application at http://tiny.cc/wmgsbx.

Internships in Washington, D.C.

Are you looking for an internship experience that will take you to the next level? MSU’s Washington, DC Program is designed to do just that! You can live, learn and become a professional in Washington, DC all while earning 12 MSU credits during fall or spring semester. Fall and early Spring application deadline is March 31, 2014.

SAMPLE INTERNSHIPS:
- US Department of Justice
- Senator Debbie Stabenow’s Office
- Mentors of Minorities in Education
- Center for American Progress
- Human Rights Campaign
- Green America

Visit www.msustudyprograms.wordpress.com or call 517-432-4541 for an appointment.

Japan Week Film

Friday, March 14, 4:00-5:00 PM, B-310 Wells Hall - Film Presentation and Discussion: Pray For Japan (2012). This film, directed by Stu Levy, documents the lives of real heroes who have been bravely dealing with the dire consequences of the Tohoku earthquake, tsunami, and nuclear tragedies that occurred in March 2011. Dr. Ethan Segal will screen excerpts from this documentary and lead a discussion for attendees to reflect on how to build tomorrow together.
Inspire Fellows Program

Y.O.U. is seeking applicants for its Summer 2014 Inspire Fellows Program. Inspire Fellows serve as workshop leaders and counselors for our high-quality, 9-week summer learning program. Fellows are chosen to develop and facilitate specific workshops in one area such as the arts, literature, STEM (science, technology, engineering, and math), or health and fitness. The fellowship offers students a full-time opportunity to learn best-practices in youth development and to prepare for a career in youth development, education, and the non-profit sector.

The fellowship also comes with a stipend of $1,000. Students can click here or visit http://www.youevanston.org/index.php/you-inspire-fellows-program.html for more information and to apply.

Women in Business Leadership Conference March 28

The 7th Annual Women in Business Leadership Conference - FREE FOR MSU STUDENTS – will be held Friday, March 28, 2014, 8:30 am -2:00 pm, at the East Lansing Marriott at University Place  http://wbsa.webs.com/

Women in Business Student Association (WBSA) is giving all MSU students the opportunity to experience professional development at their Seventh Annual Women in Business Leadership Conference. Registration is free. Go to http://www.eventbrite.com/e/women-in-business-leadership-conference-tickets-10365093273?aff=efbevent to register. This event provides opportunities to network with Fortune 500 companies and to gain insight from business professionals. This year the theme is “Complete the Puzzle” and Dow Chemical, KPMG, and General Motors are presenting.

WBSA is excited to announce that Mary Sipes, General Motors Vice President Global Portfolio Planning will be the keynote speaker. Mary has responsibility for global planning, advanced concepts and global features and technology planning. She earned her graduate degree from MSU’s weekend MBA program.

Volunteer Opportunity

The School of Human Resources and Labor Relations has partnered with a local non-profit in downtown Lansing called Northwest Initiative to create Spartan Fair Chance, which helps clients with barriers to employment find a job and re-enter the workforce.

Students volunteer their expert knowledge of resume building, interview preparation, and job hunting abilities in a safe and friendly environment to ex-offenders that want a
job and want to make a livelihood. As undergraduate students you can either volunteer one-on-one or shadow a master's student until you understand how to create a resume or help with interview prep or just feel more comfortable!

You can volunteer once a semester, once a week or once a month. The time commitment is up to you! You can volunteer any day of the week (M-F) during the 10am to 4pm time frame. You can volunteer one, two, or three hours.

Contact Spartan Fair Chance Coordinator Irina Mironyuk at mironyuk@msu.edu for more information, or to arrange to speak with a current volunteer to learn more.

**AJ Harris Scholarship Deadline Reminder**

IDS Majors: consider applying for the A.J. Harris Scholarship if you are doing an internship in Summer 2014, Fall 2014 or Spring 2015. Applications are available in 302 Berkey Hall, or on the IDS web site. Social Science Education majors are also eligible for consideration during their internship year. Applications are due by March 31.

For more information, and to download an application, go to:

[http://www.cis-ss.msu.edu/ids/AJHarrisScholarship1112Info.php](http://www.cis-ss.msu.edu/ids/AJHarrisScholarship1112Info.php)

**“Preparing for Take Off” – Launch into the Real World Panel Discussion**

Friday, March 21, 2014 | 1:30-3:30pm MSU Union, Lake Superior Room

Departing from MSU after graduation can feel like moving to a new planet! Are you prepared for the next important step in your life? Talk with recent graduates on what it's really like to transition to full time work or graduate school.

Sample questions for the panel include:
- how long after graduation did it take you to find a job?
- how many jobs did you apply for to find the one you're in now?
- can you pay your bills and loans comfortably on an entry level salary?
- and many more!

RSVP Required: visit careernetwork.msu.edu and login to MySpartanCareer click on the Events tab > click the Workshop tab > keyword: takeoff   Email brewerre@msu.edu if you have questions. Open to all students.