

Internship Program Overview

International Christian Concern (ICC), www.persecution.org, is a Washington DC area non-profit devoted to providing assistance, advocacy, and awareness for persecuted Christians worldwide. ICC internships offer students an incredible opportunity to gain experience in areas such as non-profit ministry, international relations, humanitarian aid, writing, research, Capitol Hill advocacy, communications, and media, while aiding in relieving the suffering of those persecuted for the faith. The internship program is based at ICC's corporate headquarters in the Washington DC area. It is open to undergraduate and graduate students, recent college graduates, and young professionals in career transition.

Program Description

ICC offers two types of internships: premium and standard.

Premium Internship:

- Full-time.
- Minimum 3-month commitment.
- Stipend: \$1,720/month.
- Available during three cycles: Spring, Summer, Fall
- Qualifications and requirements:
 - Minimum GPA of 3.75.
 - Minimum 2 years of undergraduate study completed.
 - Resume.
 - Writing sample.
 - Official letter of recommendation from current academic advisor or dean.
 - Contact information for 3 references (including one spiritual reference).

Standard Internship:

- Full-time or part-time.
- Minimum 2-month commitment.
- Unpaid with option to raise funding to be paid up to \$12/hour.
- Available year-round.
- Qualifications and requirements:
 - Minimum age: 18 years.
 - Education: Undergraduate freshman or above
 - Contact information for 3 references (including one spiritual reference).

Program Components

Mentorship: All interns are assigned a staff mentor. Mentors work closely with interns in personal and professional development, meeting regularly to answer questions, provide meaningful projects, offer career advice, and assist interns in getting the most out of the program.

Work Hours: 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday

Activities include, but are not limited to:

- Projects structured around the interns' skills and abilities.
- Various tasks relating to the operations of a non-profit organization.
- Advocacy events such as tours on Capitol Hill, meetings with State Department, demonstrations, etc., depending on availability.

To Apply

Apply online at www.persecution.org. Email all required documents to jobs@persecution.org.

Intern Testimonials

David, MI, "The firsthand knowledge I have gained here has not only informed my worldview but has also informed my spiritual life in a profound way. The passion for the persecuted Church I have seen here at ICC has infected me and will often be thought about as I continue in my professional career."

Toni, ME, "Visiting the Capitol, hopping from congressional office to congressional office, and meeting with the staff of congressmen and senators is one of my most cherished experiences with ICC. I would highly recommend this internship to anyone looking for well-rounded work experience where interns are kept busy with a variety of challenging assignments that have a significant, international impact."

Ariel, MD, "During my internship at ICC, I not only became more prepared to enter full-time into the work force, but I grew as a person and follower of Christ. While bolstering my knowledge of web development, public relations, and nonprofit administration, I learned about the true state of the persecuted church, intensifying my love for our foreign brothers and sisters and increasing my own trust in the Lord through the example of their faith."

Graphic Design Internship

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The Graphic Designer Internship position supports ICC's mission statement in reaching out to the persecuted Church worldwide. Responsibilities primarily include designing stellar graphics and web design.

Graphic Designer Internship Program Description:

- Full-time.
- Minimum 3-month commitment to receive stipend.
- Stipend: \$1,500 - \$2,500 per month, depending on experience.
- Available during three cycles: Spring, Summer, Fall
- Qualifications and requirements:
 - Minimum 2 years of undergraduate study completed
 - Resume
 - Portfolio or design samples.
 - Official letter of recommendation from current academic advisor or dean
 - Contact information for 3 references (including one spiritual reference)

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Layout, design, and produce various projects from start to completion, including, but not limited to: newsletter, appeals, premiums, and other brochures, postcards, reports, etc.
- Produce excellent, visually appealing graphics, as well as effectively complete assigned projects.
- Produce and edit media (video and pictures).
- Oversee the creation, modification, and maintenance of websites for ICC.
- Manage input of web content through a modified WordPress Content Management System.
- Possible travel locally to conferences, events, and the field to gather photographs, video, and stories for documentaries.
- Write articles and publications as needed.

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