

GSPiA

University of Pittsburgh
Graduate School of Public
and International Affairs



Internship Information
Fall 2020, Spring 2021, Summer 2021

GSPIA STUDENT EXPERIENCES

GSPIA students in the MPIA, MID, and MPA programs are required to complete a 300- hour internship relevant to their academic and career goals. Internships allow students to gain first-hand, real world experience across the public, private, and nonprofit sectors. Interns work in local, state, and federal government, and for local, national, and international nonprofits, as well as in the private sector.

Career Services provides a number of resources to assist with the internship search, including individual career advising, alumni panels and employer information sessions, a spring break career trip to Washington DC, and an annual GSPIA Career & Internship Fair.



2020 – 2021 Internships by Degree

MASTER OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT Energy & Environment

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Governance and International Public Management

ASA Social Fund for Hidden Peoples
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
U.S. Department of State
U.S. Department of State
Africa Business Partners
Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

Human Security

U.S. Global Leadership Coalition
Bridge
United Nations Development Programme
RIDC

Nongovernmental Organizations and Civil Society

The International Institute of Urban Reconstruction
(IIRR)

Social Policy
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
The Small Things

Urban Affairs and Planning

Daqing Municipal People's Government
City of Pittsburgh

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION Energy and Environment

Beijing Xindi Security Technology
Center for International Understanding (CIU)

Governance & International Public Management

Thinking Huts
Nanling County Local Government
IFLYTEK Co LTD
Orange Arrows Players Association
Liuzhou Firefly Volunteer Association
Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance
UNDP Oslo Governance Center

Policy Research and Analysis

Tencent Foundation
U.S. Department of State
University of Pittsburgh - Ridgway Center for
International Security Studies
University of Pittsburgh - The Johnson Institute
Roche Diagnostics
China Unionpay
Qizhi Future Education Technology Co LTD
Anhui Antai Technology Co LTD
Jingdong
City of Pittsburgh - Department of City Planning

Public and Nonprofit Management

Education Law Center
Sister Cities Association of Pittsburgh
University of Pittsburgh - CONNECT
HNCEG Communication Construction Co
Confluence Ballet Company
Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance
Literacy Pittsburgh
Scoobi Inc
Agricultural Bank of China
China Association for Educational Technology

Social Policy

Women in International Security
Borough of Swissvale

Urban Affairs & Planning

Allegheny Land Trust
City of Pittsburgh - Department of City Planning
Wilksburg Community Development Corporation

2020 – 2021 Internships by Degree continued...

Urban and Regional Affairs

Forest Hills Borough

MASTER OF PUBLIC & INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Human Security

University of Pittsburgh - CONNECT
U.S. Department of State
Housing Authority of the City of Pittsburgh
U.S. Department of State
The International Institute of Rural Reconstruction (IIRR)
U.S. Department of State
University of Pittsburgh - The Johnson Institute
Center for Russian and East European Studies
Women and Girls Foundation of Southwestern PA
University of Pittsburgh - Ford Institute for Human Security
The Borgen Project
Verite
Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance
ASA Social Fund for Hidden Peoples
Cancer Support Community
Government Accountability Office (GAO)
National Park Service
U.S. Department of State
The Borgen Project

International Political Economy

U.S.-ASEAN Business Council
U.S. Department of State
NCFTA
Inter-American Development Bank
University of Pittsburgh - Ridgway Center for International Security Studies
Commerce, International Trade Administration

Security and Intelligence Studies

U.S. Department of State
U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID)
National Defense University Foundation
Middle East Institute
Pittsburgh Regional Alliance (PRA)
American Red Cross of Southwestern PA
City of Pittsburgh - Mayor's Office
A Glimmer of Hope
PA State Representative Sarah Innamorato
American Red Cross of Southwestern PA
Center for Russian and East European Studies
Office of the Director of National Intelligence
American Red Cross of Southwestern PA
University of Pittsburgh - Ridgway Center for International Security Studies
Allegheny County Council
The Conservation Coalition
Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance
Meredith Dolan for City Council
The U.S.-Russia Foundation
Counterterrorism Group
U.S. Commercial Service
City of Pittsburgh - Innovation & Performance
Pittsburgh Human Rights City Alliance
Georgia State University
The Starter Group Pittsburgh
National Cyber-Forensics & Training Alliance
National Insurance Crime Bureau
U.S. House of Representatives

