

Planning your International Studies Major, Graduate Studies, and Career Opportunities

Jobs, teaching, internships, and study abroad links

Note: Exercise caution when using the Internet to search for job or other internship, study and work opportunities abroad. Be sure also that the source/job/recruiter, etc. is reputable. These links below are from sites that are reputable:

<http://www.internationaljobs.org/>

International Studies subscribes to a weekly listing, but you can also access some information online

<http://www.ciee.org/404.aspx>

Council for International Educational Exchange—useful for both study abroad and teaching abroad opportunities

<http://www.sigmaintarho.org/Resources/8631/index.html>

See the **Sigma Iota Rho** for links to international jobs in the US and abroad

<http://www.sigmaintarho.org/Resources/1742/index.html>

See this webpage of **Sigma Iota Rho** for internships (if you qualify to become a member you can access this with your password, otherwise, the Directors could provide assistance)

<http://www.idealists.org/>

This site has links to jobs, internships and volunteer opportunities. You can search by country, region or specialization

National Endowment for Democracy Employment and Internship Opportunities

The International Forum for Democratic Studies Internship is open undergraduate and graduate students who are interested in democratization and international affairs. The forum internships, which are unpaid, provide students an excellent opportunity to improve their knowledge of democratization and international affairs and develop and improve their research, writing, and computer skill

<http://www.ned.org/employment.html>

Peacecorps Service

<http://www.peacecorps.gov/>

Serve a country in the cause of peace by living and working in developing countries.

<http://www.teachabroad.com>

<http://www.jobsabroad.com>

Americorps Service

<http://www.americorps.org/>

An independent federal agency created to connect Americans of all ages and backgrounds with opportunities to give back to their communities and their nation.

Times Educational Supplement (based out of London)

<http://www.tes.co.uk>

TES Jobs has more current permanent teaching jobs than any other UK publication or website. With new jobs listed in The TES newspaper and posted on this site every Friday, The TES offers you the best way to find your ideal job - in the UK or overseas.

Subscription to this newspaper can be found in the library.

Catholic Network of Volunteer Service

<http://www.cnvs.org>

This website is a directory of full-time, faith-based volunteer opportunities.

Foreign Services (Government-oriented jobs)

(For job placement within the US government both inside and outside the US)

<http://careers.state.gov/>

Visit the website to see options for student programs, foreign service officers, foreign service specialists, and civil service. We have an IL major alumni who is currently enrolled in the foreign service officers program.

NSEP Scholarship

(For non-Western countries to do study and research abroad at both the undergraduate and graduate level)

<http://www.iie.org/programs/nsep/default.htm>

Visit the website to get more information on the NSEP Graduate Fellowship. Also, we will have a representative from NSEP on campus on October 31st, 2006 at 11 AM in the Multimedia Room in the library. Come if you are interested!

Fulbright Scholarship

(For research or teaching abroad at both the undergraduate and graduate level)

<http://www.iie.org/>

You can apply for a Fulbright one year out of Fairfield, so seniors if you are interested in research or teaching abroad, visit the website and learn more about participating countries and competition statistics.

IREX International Fellowships

(For study abroad)

<http://www.irex.org/>

IREX is used to enhance advanced field research opportunities for Americans. Please visit the website to see all the opportunities and scholarships available through **IREX** (Short-term travel grants and US Embassy Policy Specialist Program are only a couple examples of the opportunities available).

Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program

(For research abroad)

<http://www.iie.org//programs/gilman/index.html>

The program's goal is to diversify the kinds of students who study abroad and the countries and regions where they go. Specifically, the Gilman Program offers scholarships for minority students.

Pickering Foreign Affairs Fellowships

(For both undergraduate & graduate levels *within* the US)

<http://www.woodrow.org>

This Fellowship scholarship provides funding to participants as they are prepared academically and professionally to enter the United States Department of State Foreign Service.

American Graduate Fellowships The Council of Independent College

http://www.cic.edu/projects_services/grants/americangrad.asp

Kip Tiernan Education and Social Justice Fellowship

The Kip Tiernan Education and Social Justice Fellowship is open to motivated, passionate females who are interested in developing and carrying out a project that will assist and empower poor and homeless women. You must be at least 21-years-old and base your project in a New England state (Massachusetts, Vermont, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Maine or New Hampshire). Additionally, you must submit a concept paper including a brief description of the project to be eligible for this award.

<http://www.rosies.org/Cultures/en-US/Programs/KipFellowship.htm>

Campus Resources

Career Center housed in the Kelly Center
International Studies Office, Canisius 302
Campus Ministry in the Campus Chapel

Career Fair: February 1st, 2007

Campus Ministry: Service Fair November 1 from 5-7:30PM, Oak Room

IL internship website for INAS majors:

<http://eidos.fairfield.edu/students/Internships/enter.cfm>

Internships for INBU majors: Please contact Kathy Tellis, Internship advisor for the Dolan School of Business, KTellis@mail.fairfield.edu, office DSOB 1109

<http://www.fairfield.edu/x2510.html>

International Studies Graduate Programs

<http://www.apsia.org>

This site, sponsored by the Association of Professional Schools of International Affairs (APSIA), provides links to major graduate programs in the US and outside that have recognized Masters and Ph.D. granting programs in International Studies, Government, Policy and Area Studies.

If you are interested in pursuing a graduate degree and would like to speak to a faculty member to explore more options, please contact Dr. Janie Leatherman in Canisius 302, ext. 3429 or JLeatherman@mail.fairfield.edu.

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