



Future Leaders in Public Service Internship Program

Our nation's current and future challenges—from the COVID-19 pandemic and national security threats to economic turmoil, racial inequity and more—make it imperative that government identify, recruit and retain the next generation of public servants.

Managed by the Partnership for Public Service, the **Future Leaders in Public Service Internship Program** is actively recruiting its summer 2023 cohort and seeking young talent—undergraduate, graduate and professional students from across disciplines—to join the federal workforce as paid interns.

With just under 7% of the full-time federal workforce under the age of 30, executive branch agencies are working to meet this need, prioritizing the design and implementation of paid internship programs that provide students with valuable work experience, an expanded professional network, and a better understanding of the importance and impact of public service.



As of December 2019, less than 7% of the full-time federal workforce is under the age of 30.

Applications to join the program's summer 2023 cohort are now open. Apply today at gogovernment.org/fellowship/future-leaders-in-public-service-internship-program.

Ready to apply to the 2023 Future Leaders in Public Service Internship Program?

Program Dates June-August 2023 • **Duration** 10-12 weeks • **Application Deadline** Sunday, November 27, 2022



Program benefits

Selected participants in the program will receive:

- A 10-12 week summer internship with a federal agency.
- \$4,000 to cover stipend and other expenses.
- Professional development sessions, including orientation and networking events throughout the summer.



Program eligibility

To apply to the program, candidates must be:

- U.S. citizens at the time of application submission.
- Currently enrolled at an accredited educational institution in an undergraduate or graduate program. Undergraduates must be current second-year students/sophomores and above.
- Able to demonstrate superior academic achievement and have a GPA above 2.5.
- Interested in at least one of the following career tracks:
 - » **Public Administration:** May include positions in finance, human resources, management/administration, or similar fields.
 - » **STEM and Innovation:** May include positions in the fields of science and health, technology, engineering and math, potentially with a focus in entrepreneurship and innovation.
 - » **Government Contracting and Acquisition:** May include positions relating to federal contracting and acquisition, procurement, and business.
 - » **Liberal Arts:** May include positions in communications, arts, humanities, graphic design, public policy, writing/editing, communications, public affairs and social sciences.

Students admitted to the program must successfully complete a background check before beginning the internship in June 2023.

Participating Agencies



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