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Native American Internship Students Program 2026

Hiring organization
Native American

Employment Type
Intern

Duration of employment
6 Months

Industry
Non-profit Organizations

Job Location
Phoenix, Arizona, United States, 85001, Phoenix, Arizona, United States

Working Hours
8

Base Salary
10

Date posted
February 25, 2026

Valid through
25.02.2027

Description

The Native American Internship Students Program (NAISP) 2026 is committed to providing exceptional internship opportunities for passionate and talented Native American undergraduate and graduate students. This immersive program offers a chance to gain valuable work experience within a supportive environment, contribute to meaningful projects, and learn from esteemed professionals dedicated to serving Native communities. As an intern, you'll collaborate closely with our team, tackling real-world challenges and gaining insights into diverse career paths within our organization.

Responsibilities

- Work alongside mentors and staff on projects aligned with your interests and chosen career path.
- Conduct research and analysis, providing culturally relevant insights and recommendations.
- Contribute to projects that directly benefit Native communities or address key issues faced by Native populations.
- Participate in cultural immersion activities and workshops designed to strengthen your understanding of Native culture and history.
- Attend meetings, trainings, and professional development opportunities to enhance your skills and knowledge.

Qualifications

- Be enrolled in an accredited undergraduate or graduate program at the time of application.
- Be a member of a federally recognized Tribe or Alaska Native Corporation.
- Possess a strong academic record with a minimum GPA of 3.0.
- Demonstrate a commitment to serving Native communities and promoting tribal sovereignty.
- Have excellent communication, collaboration, and problem-solving skills.
- Be adaptable, highly motivated, and eager to learn in a fast-paced environment.

Experience

- Previous internship experience preferred, but not required.
- Experience working with Native communities or organizations a plus.
- Proficiency in relevant software programs and technologies a plus (depending on specific project requirements).

Skills

- Strong time management and organizational skills.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a team.
- Strong cultural awareness and sensitivity.

- Excellent communication and presentation skills.
- Proficient in written and verbal communication.
- Adaptability and ability to learn new concepts quickly.
- Commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion.

Job Benefits

- Competitive stipend and potential travel/housing assistance.
- Meaningful work experience focused on serving Native communities.
- Mentorship and guidance from experienced professionals.
- Networking opportunities with leaders in the field.
- Professional development workshops and trainings.
- Opportunity to contribute to positive change and impact your community.

How To Apply

Please submit your resume, cover letter, a personal statement outlining your career goals and interest in NAISP, and a letter of recommendation from a tribal leader or advisor through our online application portal. The cover letter and personal statement should specifically address how your skills and experiences align with the program's mission and your desire to serve Native communities. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis until all positions are filled.