



Semester in Washington 2010 Internships **Scripps Howard Foundation**

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The application deadline for the spring and summer 2010 Scripps Howard Foundation Semester in Washington Program internships is Nov. 2. Semester in Washington brings journalism students to D.C. for reporting internships of 14 or 10 weeks. Students with superior multimedia skills will be given preference over those without those skills.

Our program is one of the few in Washington that not only pays a stipend but also provides free housing in furnished apartments. Recently, interns covered President Obama's inauguration, Justice Sonia Sotomayor's confirmation hearings, a bill signing ceremony at the White House, debates over health care and cap and trade legislation, Iraqi refugees, Palestinian hip hop artists, the future of space travel and changes in the student loan program.

Our program is housed by the Scripps Howard News Service. Interns report for our Web-based wire and can report for campus or hometown news organizations. The interns work with an experienced Washington editor to choose, report and edit stories. We tour Washington journalism and government institutions and have guest speakers.

The interns live in one of two apartments near the National Zoo in Northwest Washington. The stipend covers food, transportation and other essentials. It is \$2,350 for the 14-week spring and fall programs and \$1,800 for the 10-week summer program.

Interns must be undergraduates – juniors or seniors – in the semester they are in Washington. For more details, visit our Web site: <http://www.shfwire.com>. Click on "how to apply," and download the application form. Program director Jody Beck will be accepting applications and doing interviews at the College Media Advisers convention in Austin on Oct. 31.

2010 program dates and application postmark deadlines:

Spring: Jan. 11 to April 16. Application deadline: Nov. 2
Summer: June 7 to Aug. 16. Application deadline: Nov. 2
Fall: Sept. 13 to Dec. 17. Application deadline: March 15