

# Tallahassee Semester Internship Program

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ UFID# \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR \_\_\_\_\_ UF GPA \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR @ UF \_\_\_\_\_

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List leadership positions held at UF or in your community.

Prior campaign/political/government experience?

What courses have you taken at the collegiate level that you feel would prepare you for this internship experience?

What are your policy areas of interest? (Examples can include but are not limited to education, health care, environmental issues, and homeland security)

Do you prefer to work in a particular office? (e.g. Senate, House, agency, media, lobbying firm) Why?

## Legislative Research and Response

- Please write a brief response (1 page or less) to the following questions:
  - Who is your State Representative and State Senator?
  - Which committee does your State Representative and State Senator serve on (if not on a committee what leadership position do they hold)?
  - Select a bill from the 2017 regular session that is of most interest to you and explain why. Include the final status of the bill.

## Please attach to this form:

- A current resume
- One letter of recommendation
- Personal statement (2-page, double-spaced)  
Address the following questions in your personal statement:
  - Why do you want to participate in the UF Tallahassee Semester Internship?
  - What qualities do you have that make you capable of working in the high stress environment of state government?
  - How would an internship contribute to your professional and academic development?

## Application Deadline:

Applications are due October 1, 2017. Please complete the application and attach the necessary documents. Letters of recommendation can be emailed (by the recommender) to [doctord@ufl.edu](mailto:doctord@ufl.edu) or sent to Dr. Sheila Dickison, 220 Pugh Hall, PO Box 112030, Gainesville, Florida 32611-2030.

For further information about this internship opportunity contact Dr. Sheila Dickison at 846-1575, or by email at [doctord@ufl.edu](mailto:doctord@ufl.edu). Visit the website at <http://www.bobgrahamcenter.ufl.edu/students/internships>