

University of Louisville  
Department of Political Science



## Ford Hall Goes to Washington Application

Internships in Washington D.C. are incredible resume-building opportunities for students who want to work in politics, but low pay and the high cost of living in D.C. can make these internships unattainable for many students. Sponsored by the Political Science Alumni Council, FHGTW will fund up to \$4,000 toward living expenses for students who plan to complete an internship in Washington D.C. Applicants must submit an updated resume, personal statement outlining their personal goals, internship program, how their grant will be used, and an estimated budget. Applicants must be Political Science undergraduate or graduate students at the University of Louisville, pursuing a degree, and have a minimum GPA of 3.0 at the time of application. Priority is given to those students who have not received this award previously. All information is required. The funding period is May 1, 2024, to August 26, 2024.

**Priority Deadline: March 22, 2024**

**Applications will be accepted after this date until all funds have been awarded.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

MAJOR(S): \_\_\_\_\_ MINOR: \_\_\_\_\_

PROGRAM DATES: \_\_\_\_\_

ONE-LINE DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM: \_\_\_\_\_

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TOTAL COST OF PROGRAM: \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL AMOUNT REQUESTED: \_\_\_\_\_

HAVE YOU REQUESTED FUNDING, OR NOTIFICATION OF FUNDING, FOR THIS PROJECT FROM OTHER SOURCES?     YES     NO

IF YES, HOW MUCH? \_\_\_\_\_ WHICH SOURCE(S)? \_\_\_\_\_

CUMULATIVE GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ CREDIT HOURS COMPLETED: \_\_\_\_\_

PROJECTED GRADUATION DATE (MONTH AND YEAR): \_\_\_\_\_

WHO WILL BE SUBMITTING RECOMMENDATION LETTERS TO SUPPORT YOUR APPLICATION?

1) \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CURRENT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PERMANENT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

LOUISVILLE E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

ALTERNATIVE E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

I CERTIFY THAT ALL OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE ATTACH YOUR PERSONAL STATEMENT, RESUME AND BUDGET TO THIS APPLICATION FORM:** A typed statement (one-page double-spaced) must accompany your application. In it you should discuss your educational and career goals and indicate how your program would assist you in the pursuit of these goals. In your statement, address your financial need and describe any other experiences or qualifications that would make you a good candidate for these grants. Please also attach an estimated budget for your program. **If possible, include a brochure or printed information about the internship in which you plan to participate.** Please submit your completed application packet to Emily Rasmussen to [Emily.Rasmussen@louisville.edu](mailto:Emily.Rasmussen@louisville.edu).