

Country:

Belize

Intern Locations:

Belmopan, Belize

Job Description:

Internships available in Belmopan, Belize with a member of **Belize Parliament** http://www.belize.gov.bz/legislative_houseofrep.html. Responsibilities will vary but may include research, preparing legislation and being a personal assistant to members of Parliament and their staff. Interns may attend committee meetings, debate sessions, and coordinate events. Students may be offered a range of projects according to interests and academic background.

Language Requirements:

Spanish

Prerequisites:

- Matriculated undergraduate student at the University of Utah
- Junior or Senior Status
- Cumulative 3.0 GPA
- Students must register for Political Science 4900 “political internship” to qualify.

Preference Given to Students Who Have:

- Completed previous Hinckley internships in Washington, DC, the Utah Legislature or with local/state agencies.
- Prior international experience including (study abroad, personal travel, humanitarian or/and religious service).

Semester/Dates:

<http://www.hinckley.utah.edu/internships/index.html>

Cost:

Students must pay tuition and be prepared to cover flight, living and transportation expenses, personal expenses, health insurance, and fees for visa and passport applications.

Financial Assistance:

Apply for a **Hinckley Institute of Politics International Scholarship**

<http://www.hinckley.utah.edu/internships/international/internationalscholarshipapplication.pdf>.

The Hinckley Institute of Politics also offers the **Bill Rischel Loan**, for more information contact Jayne Nelson at jnelson@hinckley.utah.edu. Financial aid for tuition may be obtained through University of Utah financial aid or scholarships.

Housing:

Students will be responsible for securing their own housing. Intern host office may assist students with finding housing.

Application Process:

Complete the application online at:

<http://www.hinckley.utah.edu/internships/application/index.html>

Once your application is submitted, e-mail intern manager [Courtney McBeth](#) to set up an appointment. She will interview you and will help you find an internship that matches your interests and qualifications.

Orientation:

All students who are accepted as an international intern are required to attend a mandatory orientation, complete the academic requirements, send weekly emails during the internship, and set up a post internship debriefing with [Courtney McBeth](#).