

Internship Announcement

Position: Policy and Communications Intern

Description: The **National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV)** is a social change organization that is dedicated to creating a social, political, and economic environment in which violence against women no longer exists.

NNEDV offers volunteer, unpaid internships (both full- and part-time) during the spring, summer, and fall. We offer a modest commuting stipend. College credit can be arranged.

NNEDV is seeking a Policy and Communications Intern to support our policy and communications initiatives in Washington, DC. NNEDV is dedicated to ensuring a mutually beneficial relationship with our interns – we offer interns a student-friendly environment and flexible schedule.

Responsibilities:

- Monitoring and analyzing legislation;
- Participating in lobby visits and strategy sessions with NNEDV staff and coalition partners;
- Developing materials to inform Members of Congress and state domestic violence coalitions about critical issues;
- Helping to write Congressional testimony and draft legislation;
- Attending Congressional hearings, briefings, and press conferences;
- Tracking media mentions, press contacts, and other communications;
- Designing visual communications including taking photographs and designing graphics;
- Brainstorming and implementing social media campaigns utilizing NNEDV's social media outlets.

Qualifications:

- Excellent research, writing, editing, and communications skills;
- Experience and comfort working across multiple outreach and social media platforms;
- Possession of creative flair and originality;
- Attention to detail and ability to work independently, sometimes under pressure;
- Proficiency in MS Word and Excel;
- A commitment to ending domestic violence;
- Understanding of and commitment to diversity issues;
- Experience working with victims of domestic violence or on state or federal policy a plus.

NNEDV is an EOE dedicated to empowering all individuals dedicated to ending violence.

How to Apply

• Please submit your cover letter, resume, and a short writing sample (2-4 pages) to the attention of the contacts below with the subject line "Policy and Communications Intern."

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