



TFAS
WASHINGTON
FELLOWSHIP

A fully-funded semester in the **Nation's Capital.**

The **TFAS Washington Fellowship** is a comprehensive leadership development initiative that immerses undergraduate students in the core concepts of free enterprise and personal liberty.

This intensive program aims to equip **future leaders** with a deep understanding of the values on which America was founded and empower them to make a positive impact on their communities.

The fellowship consists of a curated **academic curriculum** centered around freedom-based principles, with credit from George Mason University. Semester-long **internship placements** with organizations devoted to advancing liberty are coordinated for each fellow.

Participants receive **full-tuition scholarships** for the semester that includes comfortable, fully-furnished housing situated in the dynamic heart of Washington, D.C. and a **\$1,000 living stipend**.

Fellows engage in a range of exclusive guest lectures and site briefings, as well as professional development and **networking events** to further enrich their experience.

The program will run January 20 - April 26, 2024.



Learn More + Apply

Priority Deadline: October 20

Final Deadline: November 15



GUARANTEED INTERNSHIP IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

Gain real-world experience at an organization committed to advancing the cause of liberty and work alongside like-minded individuals to make a real-world impact.



ACADEMIC CREDIT FROM GEORGE MASON UNIVERSITY

Delve into America's founding principles and explore the vibrant free market enterprise system with dynamic professors and a variety of speakers.



FURNISHED HOUSING ON CAPITOL HILL

Imagine waking up to breathtaking views from your furnished housing on Capitol Hill, knowing you're at the center of it all.

The Fund for American Studies

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INTERNSHIPS

The fellowship guarantees an internship placement. Dedicated staff works to match students with an internship that fits their interests, skills and career goals. Past sites include:

- American Enterprise Institute
- American Legislative Exchange Council
- Americans for Tax Reform
- Americans United for Life
- Center for a Secure Free Society
- Citizens Against Government Waste
- Competitive Enterprise Institute
- U.S. Congressional and Senate Offices
- Free Russia Foundation
- FreedomWorks
- Hudson Institute
- International Foundation for Electoral Systems
- Institute for Free Speech
- McCain Institute for International Leadership
- Mercatus Center at George Mason University
- National Federation of Independent Business
- Religious Freedom Institute
- Republican Governors Association
- The Daily Caller
- The Federalist Society
- The Washington Examiner
- U.S. Government Agencies
- Washington Council of Lawyers



LIBERTY FOCUSED LECTURES

Weekly guest lectures allow you to engage with some of the best public policy experts and political minds in D.C. Past speakers include:

- **Doug Bandow**, Senior Fellow, The Cato Institute
- **Rachel Ferguson**, Director of the Center for Free Enterprise, Concordia University Chicago
- **Steve Hanke**, Professor of Economics, Johns Hopkins University
- **Lindsay Hayes**, President, Free the Facts
- **Greg Lukianoff**, President of the Foundation for Individual Rights and Expression
- **Judge Andrew Napolitano**, Senior Judicial Analyst, Fox News
- **U.S. Senator Rand Paul** of Kentucky



SITE BRIEFINGS

Attend exclusive tours and hear from leaders within such powerful institutions as:

- American Enterprise Institute
- Cato Institute
- CIA + FBI
- Congressional Budget Office
- Embassies
- Federal Reserve
- Heritage Foundation
- National Press Club
- Reagan International Trade Center
- U.S. Congress
- U.S. Department of State
- U.S. Securities + Exchange Commission
- World Bank



EXCURSIONS + SOCIAL EVENTS

Embark on a journey through history on the highway of hallowed grounds, as we explore iconic sites where significant moments in American history have unfolded. Past excursions include:

- Visit to The National Archives
- Guided Tour of the Monuments + Memorials
- Tour of the U.S. Capitol + Speaker's Balcony
- Visit to the Library of Congress
- Tour of Mount Vernon + Old Town Alexandria
- Day trip to Philadelphia

NETWORKING

Gain insights from top Capito Hill staffers, lobbyists, nonprofit executives, journalists, Foreign Service officers and policy makers to leverage your D.C. experience into a promising future internship or full-time job after graduation.

HOUSING

Enjoy an engaging community of peers in furnished housing on Capitol Hill. Amenities include high speed internet, laundry on site, in-suite bathrooms and private kitchens. Metro access, grocery stores + restaurants all within walking distance.

MENTOR PROGRAM

Connect with a D.C. professional in your field, who will serve as your mentor and contact before and during your internship, providing valuable support and guidance throughout your experience.

ACADEMICS

Fellows earn 12 credits from George Mason University. The courses are designed to complement your D.C. internship experience by offering a thorough examination of our free enterprise system and the economic way of thinking.