

The Conference of Asian Pacific American Leadership (CAPAL) is now accepting applications for its summer Scholarship & Internship Program. The Scholarship program provides a stipend for students who are doing an unpaid government or non-profit internship in DC, and the Internship program provides students the opportunity to be placed in a federal agency for an 8-10 week internship. Both programs provide \$3,500 stipend.

- **Eligibility:**
 - Only currently enrolled students are eligible for an internship or scholarship through CAPAL. Only applicants with a 3.0 GPA or higher will be considered. All majors are encouraged to apply.
 - **Priority deadline to submit applications is Monday, February 22. Final deadline is Monday, March 7.**
 - For more information and to apply, please [click here](#).

The APAICS Congressional Fellowship program offers full-time legislative and public policy fellowships in Washington, D.C. The Fellowship provides exceptional graduates and young professionals an opportunity to work on policy issues as legislative staff in a congressional office. The program to builds leadership skills, encourages political civic engagement, and fosters a strong interest in public service careers.

- **Final Deadline is April 29, 2016.**
- For more information, [click here](#).

Interested in Running for ASLMU President, Vice-President, or Senator?

You must attend one Candidate Information Session

Thursday, February 18 at 5:30 PM, Malone 306

Friday, February 19 at 3:00 PM, Malone 103

Monday, February 22 at 3:00 PM, Malone 112 AB

Tuesday, February 23 at 11:30 AM in Malone 112 AB

For more information, email ASLMUELECTIONS@LMU.EDU

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CAUSE Leadership Academy (CLA), formerly known as the California Asian American Student Internship Coalition (CASIC).

This leadership academy was founded to develop a pipeline of leadership for the Asian Pacific American (APA) community.

The CAUSE Leadership Academy - Los Angeles, CA Program offers opportunities for students to gain firsthand experience in politics through constituent services, community organizing,



The CAUSE Leadership Academy teaches students the importance of civic engagement and political participation, and prepares its participants to be leaders at the forefront of the democratic process. Through exposure to decision-makers, policy makers, and the issues of the day, students gain a deeper awareness of the political issues facing the APA community in California and the nation. Graduates of the program have gone on to run for political office and have even become leaders in politics, business, and nonprofits.

Program Duration: **June 13, 2016 - August 12, 2016 (9 weeks)**

Location: **Los Angeles, CA** or **Washington, DC**

Programs include:

- ✓ Internship Placement In Legislative or Public Office
- ✓ Civic Leadership Workshops
- ✓ Civic Engagement Project (LA) | Public Policy Paper (DC)
- ✓ \$1,200 Stipend upon Satisfactory Completion of Program (LA)
- ✓ \$3,000 Stipend upon Satisfactory Completion of Program (DC)
- ✓ Airfare Sponsored by Southwest Airlines

Mandatory Attendance:

- ✓ Orientation Week: June 13-17, 2016
- ✓ Kickoff Press Conference: June 17, 2016
- ✓ APA Legislative Conference in Sacramento, CA: July 11-12, 2016* (LA)
- ✓ APA Legislative Conference in Washington, DC: July 11, 2016* (DC)
- ✓ Graduation: August 12, 2016

*Date is subject to change.

APPLY NOW at www.causeusa.org

All application materials must be received by **January 31, 2016**.
Submit your application materials to info@causeusa.org.
For more information, visit www.causeusa.org or call (626) 356-9838.



community relations, legislative research, etc. Program participants intern at the district offices of various elected officials' offices at the state and federal level.

The CAUSE Leadership Academy - Washington, DC Program offers opportunities for students to gain firsthand experience in politics through legislative work, attending various legislative briefings and hearings, conducting policy research, etc. Program participants intern in the highest levels of the federal government including, but not limited to: congressional capitol offices or federal agencies.

Duration: June 13, 2016 – August 12, 2016 (9 weeks)

Time Commitment: Must be able to commit full time for 40 hours per week. Additional hours to work on a group project will also be required.

The number of additional hours necessary will depend on collaborative group efforts. Stipend*: A stipend will be provided upon satisfactory completion of the program and will serve as reimbursement for

expenses accrued throughout the program's duration.

Los Angeles, CA Interns: \$1,200 stipend

Washington, DC Interns: \$3,000 stipend

*Additional awards will be given to outstanding interns pending sponsor participation

STUDENT QUALIFICATIONS

Minimum GPA of 3.2

Graduating high school seniors, undergraduates, and recently graduated undergraduates

Able to commute and arrive to designated program activities on time

Must be able to attend and actively participate during all mandatory events

THE SELECTION PROCESS

Candidates will be selected on the basis of demonstrated academic and personal excellence, as well as demonstrated leadership capabilities in extracurricular activities.

Previous students have been selected from Ivy League schools, the campuses of the University of California, as well as many other notable institutions.

All application materials must be received by CAUSE via email by Sunday, January 31, 2016 at 11:59 PM PST. Submit your applications to info@causeusa.org

All applications will be reviewed and top candidates will be asked to participate in a personal interview with the CAUSE Leadership Academy Interview Committee.

Top candidates will interview either on Saturday, March 5, 2016 or Saturday, March 12, 2016 at the CAUSE office. Decisions will be made towards the end of March.

2016 Committee of 100 Leadership and Mentoring Program

The Committee of 100 (C-100) Leadership and Mentoring Program (LMP) is a feature mentorship program in the Southern California Region. The Committee of 100 is a group of outstanding Asian Americans in many career fields in the U.S. Some prominent members included in this program are John Chiang (CA State Controller), Lucy Liu (actress), Stewart Kwoh (Founder of Asian Pacific American Legal Center), and Yo-Yo Ma (cellist). The mentoring program allows those chosen to become mentees of some of these individuals. The program empowers young and mid-career professionals through opportunities to learn directly from C-100 members in different fields and aims to develop a pipeline of next-generation leaders to support C-100 missions in the long-term. The program is conducted over a six-month period, including individual and group meetings and activities, through which mentees can engage with established leaders, gain hands-on experience, and establish lifelong connections.

Please note that this program is designed for individuals with a level of work experience and who want to advance their careers. Current students without professional experience may not be considered. Please click [HERE](#) for our online application. The application is due on January 31, 2016. Please kindly share with your networks who might be interested in applying.

For questions, please contact Maxine Hu at mhu@committee100.org

2016 Summer Internship in Washington D.C.

Asian Pacific American Institute for Congressional Studies

The program provides undergraduate students the opportunity to work in the nation's capital in a congressional office or federal agency. Internship is for eight weeks beginning June 2013.

To apply, please click at this link: [Apply Here](#).

Deadline to apply: January 30, 2016