

# PROGRAM OVERVIEW

#### **Overview**

- Policy-based internships in agriculture, natural resources,&/or life sciences
- Full semester, all three terms (summer, fall, and spring)
- Only for College of Agriculture& Life Sciences students

#### Locations

- ► Washington, D.C.
- International
- Austin, Texas
  - Legislative sessions only

### History

- Established spring 1990
- Dr. Ron Knutson, an AGEC professor, founded the program
- ▶ Over 1200 alumni



## AGGIE AMBASSADOR LOCATIONS



### Austin, Texas

Hosting Organizations may include:

- Legislative Offices
- State Agencies



### Washington, D.C.

Hosting Organizations may include:

- Congressional Offices
- House Committee on Agriculture
- Ag or Natural Resource advocacy groups



#### **International**

Hosting Organization:

Food & Agriculture Organization (FAO) of the United Nations

# POTENTIAL OFFICES

- American Seed Trade Association
- Farm Credit Bank of Texas
- Farm Credit Council
- Fertilizer Institute
- House Committee on Agriculture (majority & minority offices)
- Lix Cap
- National Association of State Departments of Agriculture
- National Association of Wheat Growers
- National Cattlemen's Beef Association Public Lands Council
- National Council of Farmers Cooperatives
- National Farmers Union
- US Department of Agriculture Communications team
- U.S. Representatives from the Texas delegation

# PROGRAM BENEFITS

	Paid Internship	Housing Provided	Scholarship	Academic Credit	Networking	Resume Building	Training & Support	Knowledge of Policy Process
Washington, D.C.	\$500/month				N. C.	W.		<b>A</b>
Austin, TX	\$1000/month			<b>A</b>				*
International			\$2000 su, \$2500 sp/fa					

# BASIC ELIGIBILITY



- D.C. & Austin must be a U.S. citizen
  - Permanent residents &/or international students may apply for the Rome program.
- Be in good academic and conduct standing at TAMU.
- Minimum 2.25 cumulative GPR; 2.5 preferred.
- Possess valid health insurance during the internship.
- Currently enrolled as an undergraduate, master's, or Ph.D. student in the College of Agriculture & Life Sciences.
- Be able to attend all pre-departure events in College Station, Texas.

# AGGIES IMPACT POLICY!

















## APPLICATION DEADLINES







### **Austin, Texas**

#### Term(s) Offered:

Spring '25 – applications open in August '24

### Washington, D.C.

#### Term(s) Offered:

- Spring & Summer '24 applications due September 27 by 5pm
- Fall '24 applications open in January '24

### **International**

#### Term(s) Offered:

- Spring '24 applications due September 13 by 5pm
- Summer '24 applications due November 1 by 5pm
- Fall '24 applications open in January '24

# CONNECT WITH US

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