

NATIONAL GEOSPATIAL-INTELLIGENCE AGENCY

Know the Earth... Show the Way... Understand the World

Internship Opportunities

Key Points:

Paid Internships

Application Period:

Open: September 4, 2012 Closed: October 12, 2012

Locations:

Washington, DC metro area St. Louis, MO metro area

Majors

Accounting Geography **Language Studies Remote Sensing International Affairs Human Resources Finance Environmental Science Aeronautical Science** Military & Foreign Affairs **National Security Intelligence Security Geophysics Marine Science Cultural Area Studies Imagery Science** Geology **Business Technology** ...and many more!

Who is The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency?

The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) is both a U.S. Intelligence Community Agency and a Department of Defense combat support agency -- we're known as "the eyes of the nation." We work with geospatial intelligence, or GEOINT, which is the exploitation and analysis of imagery and geospatial information that describes, assesses, and visually depicts physical features and geographically referenced activities on the Earth. The GEOINT we produce is used to support national security objectives, world events, disaster relief efforts, safety of navigation and military actions.

Internship Opportunities

Use your education, talent and experience to support NGA's mission! NGA's Student Employment Program offers college students the opportunity to perform mission related work while earning a paycheck. In addition to pay and valuable work experience, successful interns are guaranteed non-competitive conversion to permanent NGA employment upon graduation!

NGA is accepting applications from Sept. 4 to Oct. 12, 2012 for the 2013 summer internship program. Positions are available in the Washington D.C. and St. Louis, Mo. metro areas.

Eligibility Requirements

- U.S Citizen
- 18 years of age or older
- Able to obtain and maintain a Top Secret Clearance
- Have and maintain a 3.0 overall GPA on a 4.0 scale
- Currently enrolled in an accredited college or university, working towards a baccalaureate or graduate degree that aligns with an NGA work role
- Commit to at least 10 consecutive weeks of work during summer breaks

For additional information, search Student Opportunities on the NGA website at www.NGA.mil

"I first heard about **NGA** through my college **erecruiting** website. I was fascinated by the Intelligence Community and NGA's unique mission, so I applied. As a double major in Computer Science and Arabic, I have contributed to NGA's mission in a number of ways doing everything from informing technical policy makers to facilitating information sharing to offering my services as a linguist. Day by day, I feel that I make a lasting impact on the nation's security and I feel proud to serve my country in this way. I feel confident that **my future** at NGA will be a **bright one**!"

-Analyst, GEOINT Standards

"I heard about NGA through a career fair on campus. Once I learned of the various contributions made by this agency I knew that I wanted to come onboard. As a Human Resources Management major I wondered where I would fit in. I learned that the internship program welcomes students from diverse backgrounds and I could indeed utilize my education in HR to support the agency's mission. While here, I have had the opportunity to work on projects with meaning, while increasing my career potential. While completing the application, for what appeared to be yet another internship opportunity, I failed to realize how life changing this opportunity would become."

-Program Coordinator, Human Development

What NGA INTEINS are saying...

"I jumped" at the chance to apply for an internship after finding out about the NGA Student Employment Program by searching "GIS Internships" online. I was excited to apply because the agency's mission aligned with my academic work and interest in Information Science, Public Administration, and Geographic Information Systems. The tie that bound my studies was the belief that well-managed data collection and Well-crafted, well-presented analysis can lead to more informed and timely decisions by policy makers. Every day at NGA, as an analyst, I pull on these three disciplines to collaborate across agencies on pressing and complex questions, to understand and exploit government data sources, and ultimately contribute to one of the highest orders of public service - national defense. I plan to work for NGA well into the future."

-Analyst, Analysis and Production

"I heard of NGA through a class at my university where I study International Studies and Mathematics. I was interested from the start because of the diverse mission set and the opportunity to use both of my majors. During the internship, I was given important projects with real responsibilities. Instantly, I was a member of the team and contributing to the mission. With NGA's diverse mission set, there are plenty of different opportunities to expand my knowledge and to keep me challenged. This, along with the many benefits and culture, makes NGA a great place to have a career."

-GEOINT Officer