

# Science, Technology, Engineering, & Math (STEM) Majors

Gain professional work experience, build your resume, and earn credits towards graduation in Washington, D.C.!

Students spend three or four days a week at an internship and one day in class. Participants live in furnished apartments at the University of California's 11-story building located in a lively neighborhood several blocks from the White House.

Hundreds of organizations offer internship opportunities for UC students in STEM fields. Conduct research at NIH labs, apply rocket science at NASA, or observe science policy being made in Congress or at many other scientific organizations.



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## Internships

## Courses

## Finances

Hundreds of organizations offer internship opportunities for UC students of all majors.

A mix of UC faculty and Washington policy experts prepare you for jobs in your field.

Tuition is the same as your home campus and your financial aid package travels with you.

# Sample Internships

**National Institutes of Health (NIH)**

**American Cancer Society**

Department of Energy

Lockheed Martin

Booz Allen Hamilton

**International**

Food & Water Watch

Genetic Alliance

**Monetary Fund (IMF)**

**Intelsat**

Department of Defense

**NASA**

National Academy of Engineering

Smithsonian National Zoo

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)

National Air & Space Museum

Department of Health & Human Services

National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

**Foundation for AIDS Research**

Senate Commerce & Science Committee

**Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)**

Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation

**National Geographic Society**

Northrop Grumman

*\*UCDC partners with many more organizations in this field. Students are encouraged to look at several options when applying to internships since job placement may not be guaranteed.*

## Recent Courses

<p><b><i>Energy in the Era of Climate Change and Instability</i></b> Steve Mufson <i>Washington Post</i></p>	<p><b><i>Green Politics: Science, Policy, and Polarization</i></b> Juliet Eilperin <i>Washington Post</i></p>	<p><b><i>Social Sciences Perspectives in Reproductive Health</i></b> Julia Steinberg UC San Francisco</p>
<p><b><i>Food Advocacy and Policy Making</i></b> Jeffrey Haydu UC San Diego</p>	<p><b><i>From Clay Tablets to the Cloud: Media and Info. Technologies</i></b> Randy Head UC Riverside</p>	<p><b><i>Language and Culture in Global Public Health and Risk Management</i></b> T.S. Harvey UC Riverside</p>



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