

Internships

The Scripps Howard Fund is offering paid internships, including new and long-standing programs that will allow students to get hands-on experience and participate in journalism training sessions.

Internships include:

- \$15 per hour
- Opportunities to connect with other interns and professional journalists through training sessions.

Opportunities:

Voces Internship of Idaho: An effort in Idaho to develop Hispanic interns in a state where Hispanic/Latinx people make up a more than 13% of the population but a small part of media. The Fund supported the program's initial internships in 2022. In 2023 and 2024, the Fund provided funding for a minimum of three interns. Voces will select the interns and the host newsrooms.

Nonprofit newsrooms: The Scripps Howard Fund is partnering with the Institute for Nonprofit News to offer 13 paid internships to journalism students in 2025. The Scripps Howard Fund created the internship program in 2023, aimed at giving students of diverse backgrounds high-quality, hands-on experience. The Institute for Nonprofit News (INN) leads the 400-newsroom INN Network. New in 2025, INN and the Fund will also partner with the Ida B. Wells Society for Investigative Reporting is dedicated to increasing and retaining reporters and editors of color in the field of investigative reporting. Learn more and apply here.

Science reporting internships: There will be two science-reporting internships with the Science News Media Group, which was co-founded by E.W. Scripps. Former Science News interns have gone on to positions with The New York Times, The Washington Post, Science, Nature, Health, NOVA, Discover, Popular Science, U.S. News & World Report, Scientific American, ABC television, the Associated Press, The San Francisco Chronicle and Science News, among others. Apply here.

University internships: The Fund's legacy program provides internships to universities that are then awarded to their students. Each participating university will select an intern and a host newsroom. Host newsrooms agree to pay the intern \$3,000 for the summer internship in addition to a \$3,000 stipend provided by the Fund. There will be eight of these.

Statehouse News Bureau: The Statehouse News Bureau through Ohio University will have two interns per year at \$3,000 each.

An intern can apply for a grant to help with housing, relocation and other expenses to support their ability to accept an internship. Interns would apply to the Fund after being awarded an internship.

Learn more about the Fund's internship program here.