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Host a Graduate Intern in Summer 2027!

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Program Overview

A summer internship opportunity hosted within the Division of Student Affairs (or adjacent division/department) at one of the 27 JASPA member institutions.

The goal of the JASPA internship experience is to provide individuals currently enrolled in a student affairs preparation program a deeper understanding and commitment to the Jesuit approach to student affairs.

Internship Requirements

Host institutions should plan to offer the following benefits:

- ✓ Livable Wage (approx. \$20/hr)
- ✓ **Minimum** of 20 hours/week for 10 weeks (200 hours)
- ✓ Housing
- ✓ Professional Development
- ✓ Dedicated Supervision
- ✓ Optional: Meal plan, Parking, Rec Center Access, Vacation (unpaid), Travel Reimbursement



Online Professional Development

JASPA will host two online professional development sessions specifically for interns, allowing interns to network with each other and seasoned professionals.



Professional Mentorship

Interns will be matched with a professional mentor from within the JASPA network (not at the host institution).



JASPA Annual Conference or NJSJC Participation

Interns will be invited to present at the JASPA Annual Conference in the spring or at NJSJC the summer following the internship.



JASPA Newsletter Opportunities

Interns will have the opportunity to submit a reflection about their experience to be published in the JASPA newsletter.

Program Timeline

November 20: Host Registration Due
December (TBD): Intern Applications available via JASPA website

January 15: Intern Application Deadline
Week of Jan. 25: Hosts Begin Application Review and Schedule Interviews

February/March: Interviews & Offers; All Offers Made by March 31

Questions? Contact Dr. Molly Dugan (duganm@xavier.edu) or Douglas McAcy (mcacy@creighton.edu)

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JASPA Engagement

Interns receive a complementary JASPA membership, including monthly newsletter, conference opportunities, presentation workshops, and functional area networks.

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2026 Intern Reflections

"I learned how mission shows up in the small, everyday choices we make for students. I finally understood Ignatian work as something lived, not just taught." - 2026 Intern

"I saw firsthand how much care goes into every decision, and how much room there is still for growth, innovation, and deeper inclusion. I want to be part of that work. I want to help push these already strong institutions to become even stronger." - 2026 Intern

"I love what the Jesuits stand for and how welcoming they are. I felt good being at an institution like that. It feels different than public institutions in a very good way." - 2026 Intern

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